

VICTORIA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

"Together we aim for the stars"

10th January 2020
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HEADTEACHER'S THOUGHTS THIS WEEK

Dear Parents,

Happy New Year/ Blwyddyn Newydd Dda and welcome back! I hope that the children had a restful break and are ready to take up their learning challenges for this term.

On behalf of **all** staff, I would like to thank you for your generosity; we are very grateful for the many Christmas cards and presents that we received at the end of last term.

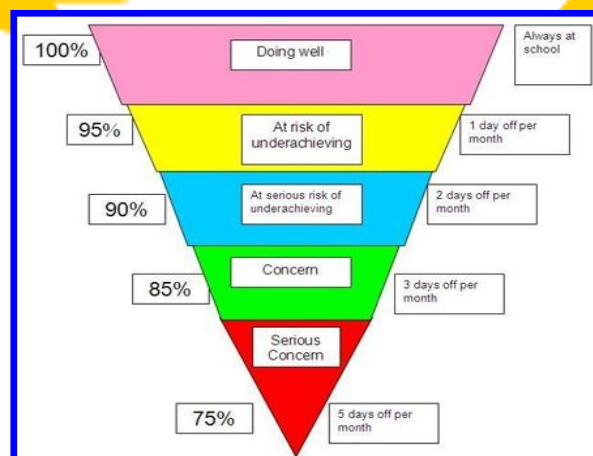
We look forward to working with you again in ensuring that your children have another happy and successful term.

Have a lovely weekend,
Mrs Daniels

ATTENDANCE

Below is a pictorial reminder to parents on how important it is for children to attend school everyday. We would like to thank you for your continued support in this area.

School attendance for this week was 96%. A special well done to Classes 2SW and 4WH who had the highest attendance with 99.3%. **WELL DONE!**



Reading Volunteers Needed

- We are always looking for parent/grandparent helpers to come into school to hear our children read.
- If you feel that you can offer a small amount of time each week, to support our children with their learning, please contact your child's class teacher.
- Full training and an induction will be given.



STAR OF THE WEEK



Reception

Cody Webber

Phoebe North

Y1

Seb Van Keogh

Rosie Hampton

Y2

Emily Morris

Isla Cowley

Y3

Soo-Lin Williams

Malik Ferriday-Adams

Y4

Sophia Greyling

Savannah Villis

Y5

Seb Tan

Sam James

Tom Ferries

Y6

Ollie Atkins

Matilda Sergeant

Notices

SRE (Sex Relationship Education)

Each year the school delivers a programme of SRE lessons. These lessons are planned over a 4 week period and will commence during the spring term .

It is important that a comprehensive and well-planned graduated programme of sex education be given to pupils in order to help them cope with their physical, emotional, moral and spiritual development and to help prepare them for the opportunities, responsibilities and experiences of adult life.

The lessons will place great emphasis upon helping pupils to respect themselves and others, equipping them with the skills to make responsible and informed decisions. The SRE policy is available on the school web site and includes an overview of lessons for each year group.

Unwanted bikes

If we have any families with unwanted/ outgrown bicycles for 5-6 year olds, that they no longer need, we would welcome them for our Reception outside area. Our bicycles are always popular and are used regularly to improve physical development, but many now need replacing. Any donations will be gratefully received.



Twitter

Please follow our twitter feed @victoriapenarth to keep up to date with the great work that our children are doing. We hope to be updating as often as we can to celebrate our school.



Calendar 2019/2020

Y6 Cycling Proficiency
Reception Immersion day (nightwear needed)
Y4 Techniquet Workshop
Y3 cake sale
KS2 Reading Workshop
Y2 Immersion day (costume needed)
Y4/Y6 Techniquet Workshops
FP Numeracy workshop
Y2 film event
Y2 cake Sale
PTA Quiz Night
Curriculum Workshop

INSET—school closed to pupils

Half Term

Sponsored Bounce
Eisteddfod Celebrations
World Book Day
Y1 cake sale
Parent Consultation Meetings

Y6 Lifeboat trip
Y6 Magistrates in the community
Mother's Day Secret Room
Whole School STEM Week
Y5 Harry Potter Trip
Y3 Bristol Zoo Trip
Class Photos
Last day of Spring Term

INSET—school closed to pupils

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(Additional day to implement new Curriculum for Wales)

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Mon 13th Jan—Fri 27th Jan
Wednesday 15th January
Thurs 16th January
Fri 17th January
Thurs 30th January
Friday 31st January
Fri 31st January
Tues 4th February
Friday 7th January
Fri 7th February
Fri 7th February
Tuesday 11th February

Friday 14th February

Mon 17th Feb—Fri 21st Feb

Fri 28th February
Mon 2nd March
Thurs 5th March
Fri 6th March
Mon 9th February
Weds 11th February
Tuesday 10th March
Tues 17th - Weds 18th March
Thurs 19th—Fri 20th March
Mon 23 March—Fri 27 March
Weds 25th March
Friday 27th March
Mon 30th March
Fri 3rd April

Friday 22nd May

Friday 26th June

Monday 20th July

