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### **NURSERY NEWS**

Next week we will be reading Little Red Riding Hood and the letter sound will be 'p'. Don't forget your parents consultation next week, if you haven't yet made your appointment please contact the office.

We are missing a lot of clothes that children have borrowed but not brought back. Could you please wash and return them as they are always needed, thank you.

### **KNOWLEDGE ORGANISERS**

Our knowledge organisers for science, computing and languages are now on the school website under the curriculum tab. Others will be added over the next few weeks. A knowledge organiser sets out important, useful and powerful knowledge on a topic on a single page. Knowledge organisers are a summary of the key facts and essential knowledge that pupils need about a unit of work or a curriculum subject. They should be no more than one side of A4 with all the information broken down into easily digestible chunks. Research shows that our brains remember things more efficiently when we know the 'bigger picture' and can see the way that chunks of knowledge within that subject area link, forming powerful schemas. Making links, helps information move into our long-term memory.

THANKS TO the Holmes family who have given some lovely books and toys to the Nursery.

THANKS ALSO to Miss Thomas who has given the school vegetable plants for the children to plant in the school garden.

AND THANKS to Mrs Robbins who has been in every day to oversee the administration of the Y6 National tests. THANKS ALSO TO Mrs Bennett and Mrs Williams who served teas at the village produce market last weekend, raising £41 for school funds.

# READING

Can we remind you that the expectation is that Foundation, Year 1 and Year 2 children should read every day, and Y3-Y6 children should read at least 4 times a week. When you listen to your child read please record it in their reading diary, thank you.

### **NATIONAL TESTS**

Well done to all the year 6 children who took their Y6 National Tests this week. Next week it is the turn of the Year 2 children. If your child is in Year 2 please make sure they have a good night's sleep and a good breakfast Monday-Thursday in preparation, thank you.

### CRISP PACKETS

We can no longer recycle crisp packets as the Terracycle scheme has finished. However, we understand that they can be recycled at both Morrisons and the Co-Op in Liskeard.

## **CHANGE OF MENU**

On Thursday 19th May Kevin will be serving a changed menu of Beefburger or Quorn burger, with strawberry jelly or ice cream for pudding. Meals will cost £2.34 as usual. We are sorry that we aren't able to give you this term's menu, we are still waiting for them to arrive from Chartwells.

### SCHOOL DINNER PAYMENTS

Chartwells staff have been in to sort out the dinner money and we now have a list of payments outstanding. We will be contacting parents direct to let them know if they owe any money but if you are not sure please ask at the office. We are hopeful that ParentPay will be up and running after half term, you will receive a registration email from ParentPay soon. Please be aware that if your outstanding payment has not been paid you won't be able to order meals for your child.

### **NO RIVERSIDE**

A reminder that on Wednesday 8th June there will be no Riverside after school club as we have whole school staff training on that day.

### **CLIMBING ON WALLS**

Over the last few weeks there have been several instances of children climbing or sitting on the walls at the front of the school, and climbing in the front flower beds. Can you please prevent your child from doing this, not only is this dangerous but it also damages the walls and flower beds, thank you.

# **FOOTBALL AT LUNCHTIME**

From next week, weather allowing, children will be able to play football at lunchtimes on the field. They will need a t-shirt, shorts, socks and trainers/boots-all named-if they wish to play.

# Chartwells Catering have a Vacancy in St Neot Community Primary School SCHOOL CATERING ASSISTANT - 10 hrs Hours a Week

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