

A note from Mrs Manning

Dear Parents and Carers

We have come to the end of a lovely week at Kings Nympton. There is a feeling of summer in the air and the children arrive each morning well prepared for the sun with drinks bottles; sun cream on and hats for protection.

We were delighted to welcome Tristan to Class 2 this week and are so pleased to see how quickly you have settled in. Welcome to our school!

The children have enjoyed Forest School over two sessions this week. As always, Mrs Blacker thinks carefully about the learning taking place and how best to ensure the children can develop socially, emotionally, spiritually, physically and intellectually. Forest School creates a safe, non-judgemental nurturing environment for learners to try things out and take risks. It inspires a deep and meaningful connection to the world and an understanding of how a learner fits within it. The approach to risk means that learners constantly expand on their abilities by solving real-world issues, building self-belief and resilience. It is lovely to see how well our children engage with the sessions.

Every 3–4 years, moderators come into our schools to quality assure the judgements made by our teachers. On Friday afternoon last week, Key Stage 1 was moderated. The moderator was impressed with the children's abilities across schemes of work and was able to evidence the teacher judgements made by Mrs Godly. She was particularly complimentary of handwriting and the work that goes into this in the classroom. Well done children and well done Mrs Godly, a great achievement!

We are very much looking forward to the London trip next week. We are so pleased to be running this trip again after the limitations of the past two years. We have been busy making contingency plans with regard to the proposed rail strikes and would like to thank the Friends for their generous donation which will help towards the extra payments made by the school for additional coach transport. We really do appreciate all the fundraising you do and the help you have given. Please see page 8 for details of the next Friends' Bag2School collection—the Friends' fundraising is so important to the school community; please support it if you can.

Finally, we are actively recruiting for school governors at the moment. This is an exciting and rewarding role. If you, or someone you know, would like to find out more, please make contact via the office and we'd be delighted to have an informal chat. Governors do not need to be parents or indeed have any direct link to the school or Federation.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes

Mrs Manning
Deputy Headteacher

Welcome Tristan!



DIARY DATES

W/C 20TH JUNE



Daily	8.00am deadline for booking school meals on the Gateway
Monday 20th June	Year 5 and 6 London residential day 1 Deadline for booking Before School Club for next week Lego Sense Club, 3.30pm-4.30pm
Tuesday 21st June	Year 5 and 6 London residential day 2 Cookery Club, 3.30pm-4.30pm (spaces available)
Wednesday 22nd June	Year 5 and 6 London residential day 3 Class 2, PE lessons today (wear PE kit) Class 1, Lunchtime Sports Club (wear trainers) SSW Sports Club, 3.30pm-4.30pm (spaces still available)
Thursday 23rd June	Reception: vision screening Stay & Play, 10am-11.30am Lunchtime Basketball Club, open to all children Art Club, 3.30pm-4.30pm (spaces available)
Friday 24th June	Forest School, Class 1

Emails sent this week: London Trip Contingency Planning (Rail Strike), Forest School Consent Class 1, Preschool Session Booking Forms, Outstanding Club Payments, Sept 23 Reception Meeting, Year 6 PSHE and Sex Education

WHAT'S ON?

SUMMER HALF TERM 2



Don't forget to like our Facebook page for news and updates



Every Thursday, 1000-1130

A free and friendly session for babies, toddlers and their parents/carers.

Move-Up Days



Tuesday
12th &
Wednesday
13th July



Forest School

Class 1:
Fri 17th, Fri 25th &
Tues 28th June, Fri
9th July

Parents' Forum

Date TBC



Year 6 Surfing
Residential

Thursday 7th-
Friday 8th July

2 nights at
Budehaven with
our peers from
Winkleigh



KINGS NYMPTON
Primary School

Preschool Trip to The Big Sheep
Wednesday 6th July



Leavers' Assembly

Friday 22nd July
9am-10am



Year 6
Splashdown Trip

Tuesday 19th July



Year 3 & 4 Camping
Residential

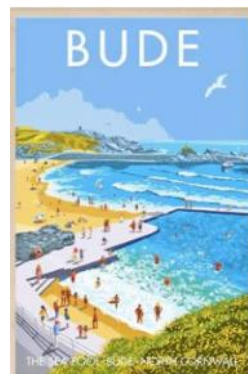
Thursday 30th June-
Friday 1st July



Class 1 Bude Beach Trip

Monday 18th July

Details to follow



Tuesday 12th &
Wednesday 13th July



London
Residential
Years 5 & 6
20th-22nd
June



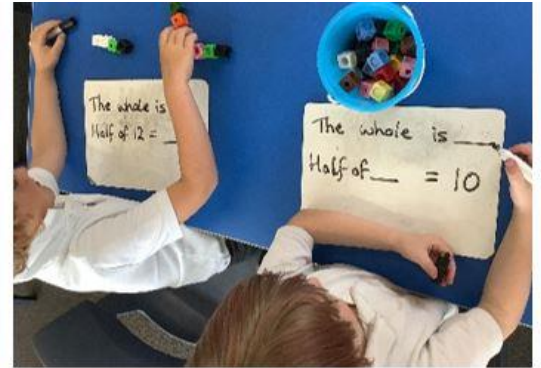
Sports Day
Monday 4th July

THE LEARNING ZONE

SHARING OUR LEARNING AND A MESSAGE FROM THE TEACHERS



Class 1



This week, the weather has been great and the children have really enjoyed spending more time outside, especially at Forest School. We are so excited that it is our turn to enjoy these sessions in the woods.

Reception have started their topic on *Families, People and Communities*. They have shared how they celebrated the Queen's Platinum Jubilee and their favourite books with each other. They have written about these as well as writing about what they would do if they were King or Queen for a day. In Maths activities, they have been learning how to share and group a variety of objects. They all can and know how to share fairly!

In English, Years 1 and 2 have been extending their sentences by using coordinating conjunctions and adverbials. They have been practising writing facts for a variety of mini-beasts, so that they are prepared for their independent writing next week. In Maths, Year 1 have started a unit of work on fractions. They have been learning how to recognise, find and name a half as one of two equal parts of an object, shape or quantity. Year 2 have completed their unit of work on length and height. They have been comparing and ordering lengths, as well as solving length problems. In other lessons, the children have been practising how to give positive feedback to others, thinking about what happens to bread when it is toasted, creating collages of the four seasons and discussing the communities they belong to.

A great week, Class 1!

Mrs Godly

THE LEARNING ZONE

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Class 2

Another busy week in Class 2. It's been great to welcome Tristan to our class.

This week, the children have continued with our English sequence *Paint me a Poem* and have been using similes and metaphors within their own poems. In Science, Year 3 and 4 have been investigating growing conditions that plants need and have set their own experiment up that we will continue to observe and monitor over the next two weeks, to see where the plants grow best and then explain why. In Year 5 and 6, the children have been looking at the chemical reaction that takes place when you add Mentos to Cola and explaining what is happening when you combine them to cause the chemical reaction. The children enjoyed the experiment and see the reaction take place.

This week saw Year 3 and 4 have their final day of Forest School. It has been fantastic to see the children's confidence and skills develop over this period. Yesterday the children were practising their fire lighting skills and enjoyed cooking jam doughnuts. Thank you to Mrs Blacker for organising Forest School for us.

Year 5 and 6 have been practising their skills to find missing angles in triangles this week and applying their knowledge of different types of triangles to find missing values. Yesterday the children enjoyed discussing questions with their peers and sharing new ways of solving the problems given. I have been amazed with the children's enthusiasm for Times Table Rockstars these past weeks and it has been fantastic to see their excitement for times tables grow and hear the discussions in class.



We have a very exciting week lined up next week with our Year 5 and 6 trip to London!

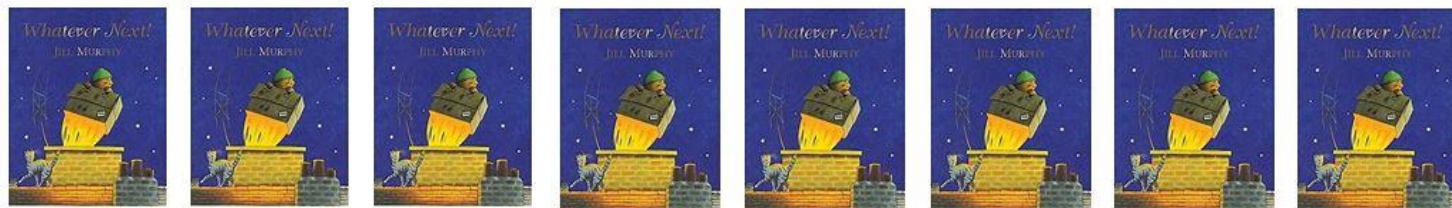
Have a great weekend Class 2.

Mr Saltearn



LITTLE WOODLANDS

SUMMER HALF TERM 2 LEARNING



Our concept for this half-term is *Innovation* and we will be looking at *Amazing Machines*. Over the next two weeks we will be focusing on space travel. The children have been busy in the garden, measuring how tall they are and constructing space ships to allow them to blast off to the moon. We've also enjoyed getting messy outside with the foam in this lovely weather.

Our focus book this week has been 'Whatever Next' by Jill Murphy. The children loved hearing the story of the little bear who uses his imagination (and a bit of junk modelling) to zoom off to the moon via the chimney. We loved seeing all the stars and hearing how he enjoyed a picnic on the moon before blasting back down to earth again. During Circle

Time discussions, we talked about how we can use our imaginations and "wish upon a shooting star" to think about our dreams and aspirations for the future. Lots of us want to be tractor drivers, work at home on the computer (like Daddy), astronauts and train drivers. Our future is safe in your hands!!



We have been spending lots of time in the garden this week. The water has been out in abundance and the children have enjoyed mixing up potions using water, food-colouring and glitter. The weather has certainly turned hot, hot, hot! Please ensure your child is 'lathered' in sun cream before entering Preschool and that they have a named bottle of sun cream in their bag. We will show the children how to re-apply sun cream themselves. Could we also recommend t-shirts that cover shoulders rather than strappy tops, and a sun-hat?

On Sunday most of you will be saying thank you to those special Dads/ male relatives/friends in our lives, who help look after us throughout the year. The children have been making cards for those male role models to say thank you. We hope you have a lovely relaxing day.

Next week our focus book will be *Aliens Loves Underpants* by Claire Freedman. We will be investigating how aliens visit planet earth using flying saucers and having a go at re-creating all the planets in our solar system.

Have a lovely weekend. Let's hope the sun continues to shine!

Cherry and Tammie

JOB VACANCY



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JOB VACANCY at KINGS NYMPTON PRIMARY SCHOOL CATERING ASSISTANT

**Monday to Friday
10.15am – 1.15pm
(15 hours/week, term time only)
£505/month
(paid 12 months a year)**

**Duties to include:
Helping out with meal prep at Filleigh Primary School
Transporting meals to Kings Nympton Primary
Serving meals to children; washing up etc.**

**Full training given & uniform provided
(DBS check will be carried out by Norse for this role)**

**For more details, please contact
Kim.cook@norsegroup.co.uk
(please quote school name when emailing)
(also posted on www.indeed.co.uk)**

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In partnership with your school or organisation



Kings Nympton Primary School



Bag 2 School is a company that specialises in the reuse and recycling of good quality second-hand clothing and we have arranged to make a collection from your school. All the bags will be weighed and you will be paid for the total weight collected. Remember, the more you collect the greater the benefit to your school.



PLEASE USE YOUR OWN BAGS (THERE IS NO LIMIT).

When the clothes have been removed from the bag the plastic will be packed and sent for recycling.

We are collecting good quality items for RE-USE:

Men's, ladies' & children's clothing, paired shoes, handbags, belts & accessories.

(No uniforms, workwear, pillows, duvets or pieces of fabric please)

The more we weigh the more we pay!
Extra bags are welcome - there's no limit

Please return your Bag2School on:

Thursday 14th July 2022 by 9am -
at Orchard House, Steeple Meadow



01609 780 222



www.bag2school.com



helpdesk@bag2school.com

SUMMER DRAMA WORKSHOPS

Workshop 1 - for 11-15yrs, 15th to 17th August 10am - 3pm £55 total

Workshop 2 - for 5 -10yrs, 18th & 19th August 10am - 3pm £45 total



Using improvisation and fun drama games create your own play or scene with your own devised characters!

These sessions are intended to be fun rather than formal sessions, guided by all of you and what you would like to learn and find out about.

All ages welcome from 5yrs upwards, you'll be working in groups of similar ages, so don't worry!

Sessions run at the times shown above in the Heywood Hall at Chulmleigh Community College.

For further details contact Antonia Whittick on: **07938 956158** or
Antoniawhittick1970@gmail.com
awhittick@chulmleigh.devon.sch.uk

KIDS' SUMMER SCHOOL

PERFORMING ARTS Summer School

Monday 1st August - Friday 5th August

Ages: 5-13 years.

Hours: 10am - 3pm.

Cost: £140 per child (£100 for siblings).

Children will work on singing, dancing and acting and put on a short performance to parents at the end of the week!

MULTI ACTIVITY Summer School

Monday 8th August - Friday 12th August

Ages: 5-13 years.

Hours: 10am - 3pm.

Cost: £140 per child (£100 for siblings).

A whole range of activities all week to include cooking, arts and crafts, football, basketball, games and much more!

Both clubs will be held at Chulmleigh Pavilion and will be run by Matt and Andrews-Straw. We have several years of experience working with children and are fully insured and hold current DBS checks.

There are a limited amount of spaces available, if you are interested, please email amyvictoriaandrews@gmail.com or message: 07816 509583.

Please let me know the names and ages of your child/ren and which weeks you are interested in.

COMMUNITY NEWS

WHAT'S ON LOCALLY?



Summer Reading Challenge 2022

GADGETEERS

Presented by The Reading Agency.
Delivered in partnership with libraries.



summerreadingchallenge.org.uk



Supported using public funding by
**ARTS COUNCIL
ENGLAND**

**SUMMER
READING
CHALLENGE**

**SCIENCE
MUSEUM
GROUP**

**IGNITING
IMAGINATION
INSPIRING
INNOVATORS**

**20 YEARS
THE
READING
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FAMILY SUPPORT



Parent Talk



Parent Support

There's a lot of pressure on parents at the moment. Parent Talk is a free and confidential service for parents of 0-19 year olds in the UK. You can get support with anything that's worrying you about parenting or your child.

We're on hand to support parents, when you need us. Browse our articles on the most common parenting questions from our experts. Or talk one-to-one with a qualified parenting coach about anything that's worrying you. It's all free, and no topic is too big, small, or embarrassing.

Visit:

www.parents.actionforchildren.org.uk

We're here:

**12:30-19:30 Monday
10:30-16:30 Tuesday
9.30-16:30 Wednesday
12:30-19:30 Thursday
09:30-16:00 Friday**



SUMMER MENU

Side salad is offered with the main course and fresh fruit or yoghurt as an alternative to the daily pudding is also available.



Week One

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Pasta Bake	Chicken Korma & Rice	Roast Gammon & Pineapple	Organic Pork Meatballs & Wholemeal Pasta	Mini Battered Fish Fillet
Option 2 (v)	Cheese Baguette	Cheese Wheels & Wholemeal Pasta	Potato Topped Vegetable Pie	Vegetarian Chilli	Veggie Fingers
Sides	Crusty Bread, Sweetcorn & Summer Salad Sticks	Peas, Carrots & Tomato Ketchup	Roast or Boiled Potatoes, Carrots, Green Beans & Gravy	Seasonal Mixed Vegetables	Chips, Wholemeal Pasta, Peas, Baked Beans or Vegetable Sticks
And for pudding	Flapjack or Fresh Fruit	Sticky Chocolate Cake with Chocolate Sauce or Fresh Fruit	Peaches & Langage Farm Ice Cream or Fresh Fruit	Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter	Chocolate Cookie or Fresh Fruit
Jacket Potato	Beans Jacket Potato	Ham Baguette	Tuna Baguette	Cheese Jacket Potato	Fish Finger Baguette
Available each day	Freshly Prepared Salad, Home Baked Bread and Drinking Water. Fresh Fruit or Organic Yoghurt available as a pudding alternatives				
Week starting:	25/04/22 – 16/05/22 – 13/06/22 – 04/07/22 – 05/09/22 – 26/09/22 – 17/10/22				

Week Two

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Cheese & Tomato Pizza	All Day Breakfast (Westcountry Sausage, Bacon & Free Range Egg)	Roast Chicken	Vegetarian Chilli	Fish Finger
Option 2 (v)	Jacket Potato & Beans	Vegetarian Brunch (Quorn Sausage & Free Range Egg)	Cauliflower & Broccoli Cheese Bake	Cowboy Pasta (with Quorn Sausage)	Battered Quorn Dippers
Sides	Potato Wedges, Peas & Sweetcorn	Tomatoes, Mushrooms, Baked Beans & Diced Potato	Roast or Boiled Potatoes, Green Beans, Carrots & Gravy	Seasonal Mixed Vegetables	Chips, Wholemeal Pasta, Peas, Baked Beans or Vegetable Sticks
And for pudding	Pip Organic Ice lolly or Fresh Fruit	Eves Pudding (Apple Sponge) & Custard or Fresh Fruit	Fruit Jelly & Langage farm Ice Cream or Fresh Fruit	Toffee Banana Cake or Fresh Fruit	Chocolate Cracknel or Fresh Fruit
Jacket Potato	Cheese Baguette	Ham Baguette	Tuna Baguette	Egg Mayo Baguette	Fish Finger Baguette
Available each day	Freshly Prepared Salad, Home Baked Bread and Drinking Water. Fresh Fruit or Organic Yoghurt available as a pudding alternatives				
Week starting:	02/05/22 – 23/05/22 – 20/06/22 – 11/07/22 – 12/09/22 – 03/10/22				

Week Three

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Macaroni Cheese	Organic Beef Burger in a Bun	Roast Turkey	Lasagne	Mini Battered fish fillet (Salmon)
Option 2 (v)	Spanish Omelette	Roasted Vegetable Lasagne	Vegetable Wellington	Quorn Dog in a roll	Southern Style Quorn Burger
Sides	Crusty Bread, Peas & Summer Salad Sticks	Herby Diced Potatoes, Sweetcorn & Side Salad	Roast or Boiled Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli & Gravy	Garlic Bread, Sweetcorn & Green Beans	Chips, Wholemeal Pasta, Peas, Baked Beans or Vegetable Sticks
And for pudding	Summer Fruits & Langage Farm Ice Cream or Fresh Fruit	Iced Orange Muffin or Fresh Fruit	Cheese Crackers & Apple	Pear & Chocolate Crumble with Custard or Fresh Fruit	Honey Cookie or Fresh Fruit
Jacket Potato	Beans Jacket Potato	Cheese Jacket Potato	Tuna Baguette	Cheese Baguette	Fish Finger Baguette
Available each day	Freshly Prepared Salad, Home Baked Bread and Drinking Water. Fresh Fruit or Organic Yoghurt available as a pudding alternatives				
Week starting:	09/05/22 – 06/06/22 – 27/06/22 – 18/07/22 – 05/09/22 – 19/09/22 – 10/10/22				

TERM DATES

ALSO AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE: SEE PARENT INFO SECTION



School Holiday
Bank Holidays
27 Dec 2021 (Christmas)
28 Dec 2021 (Boxing Day)
3 Jan 2022 (New Years Day)
15 Apr 2022 (Good Friday)
18 Apr 2022 (Easter Monday)
2 May 2022 (May Day)
2 June 2022 (Spring Bank Holiday)
3 June 2022 (Jubilee Bank Holiday)
29 Aug 2022 (Summer Bank Holiday)

Term Lengths	
Sept to Oct half term	35
October to Christmas	35
Jan to Feb half term	30
Feb to Easter	30
Easter to June half term	24
June to end of term	39
	197
Training Days	-5
Occasional Days	-3
	189

Devon School Term Dates: 2021-22 Academic Year

	Sep-2021						
Monday		06	13	20	27		
Tuesday		07	14	21	28		
Wednesday	01	08	15	22	29		
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Saturday	4	11	18	25			
Sunday	5	12	19	26			

	Dec-2021						
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Sunday	05	12	19	26	02		

	Mar-2022						
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	Jun-2022						
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	Aug-2022						
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Families with children in Class 1 who are eligible are encouraged to apply as the funding is in addition to Universal Free School Meals!

If your circumstances have changed and you are now in receipt of one or more of the following:

- Universal credit (provided you have a net income of £7400 or less)
- Income support
- Income-based jobseekers' allowance
- Income-related employment and support allowance
- Support under Part IV of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of state pension credit
- Child tax credit, provided that you are not also entitled to working tax credit and have an annual gross income of £16,190 or less

You may be eligible for pupil premium funding for Kings Nympton Primary School, which entitles your child/ren to receive Free School Meals.

It takes less than a minute to apply.

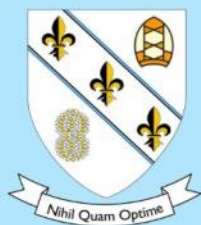
Visit the Citizen Portal Devon

https://oneonline.devon.gov.uk/CCsCitizenPortal_LIVE

or call the Education Helpline on 0345 155 1019.

If eligible, please send a screenshot
of your confirmation to

admin@kingsnympton.devon.sch.uk



Chulmleigh College

Our Pupil Progress is amongst the 'BEST IN THE SOUTH WEST'



Year 5 Taster Day

Wednesday 29th June 2022

We are delighted to invite prospective pupils to join us for a fun day experiencing life at the College. For parents/carers there will be a presentation from senior leadership at the end of the day. **To book a place** please visit

<https://tinyurl.com/CCYear-5-Taster-Day-2022> and complete our booking form.

Out of catchment? SCHOOL TRANSPORT is available from Barnstaple, CREDITON, Rackenford & Torrington areas. Please contact us for more information. (Transport is not available for the Year 5 Taster Day.)

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