



Hand in Hand

Learning together for a better future



Friday 26th September 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

We certainly have been lucky with the weather this week! The children have had lots of fun at lunchtime and breaktimes playing with the equipment. I have seen children working together to make dens, racing one another on Didi cars and playing as a team on the pitches. We are very lucky to have such wonderful resources available to the children at Roskear. Next week is our first Super Six assembly, where we award the label of 'Super Six' to selected children who consistently demonstrate the Roskear values: Golden, Responsible, Empathetic, Aspirational, Tenacious. These children will be easily identifiable around the school as they will be awarded a 'golden' top to wear with pride.

Finally, I wish you all a restful week. Take care.

Nic Furnish
Headteacher



Team EYFS

Over the past few weeks, Nursery have enjoyed getting to know their new friends and families. To celebrate this, we used apples to print and make our own apple families. We drew the arms and legs on and added eye stickers. We think they look amazing!"

Notice: Roskear School distributes fliers and magazines offering family services or posts details of local activities on the newsletter. Whilst we think that parents might like the information and find it useful, the school does not necessarily endorse these services.

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IMPORTANT—ACTION REQUIRED Arbor Parent App and Parent Portal

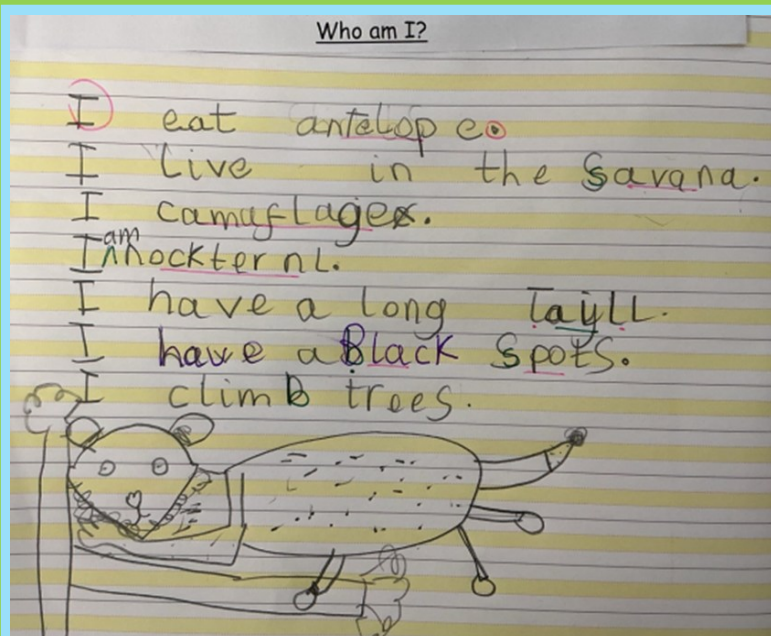
We are now ready to start using the Arbor Parent Portal and Parent App. Initially we will use this for communicating with you through in-app messages and emails. You will also be able to update the data we hold on you through the App instead of having to talk directly to the school office. For instance, if you move house or change your mobile number. In the future we will look at other areas that we can use e.g. parental consultations.

- The **Parent App** is the mobile version of our Parent Portal, for use on mobile devices such as smartphones and tablets.
- The **Parent Portal** is a version of Arbor accessible to parents/carers on a laptop or computer.

There is information for parents/carers on getting started and logging in:

<https://tinyurl.com/y7dsu968>

We have sent an information email to you; please check your inbox for your App access. If you have not received an email it probably means we don't have an up-to-date email for you. Contact the school office to let us know, thank-you.



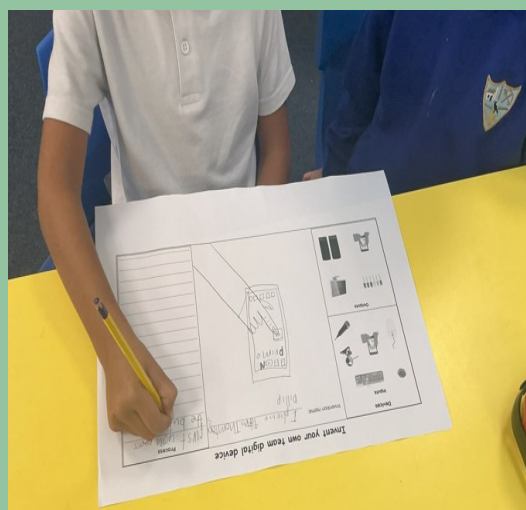
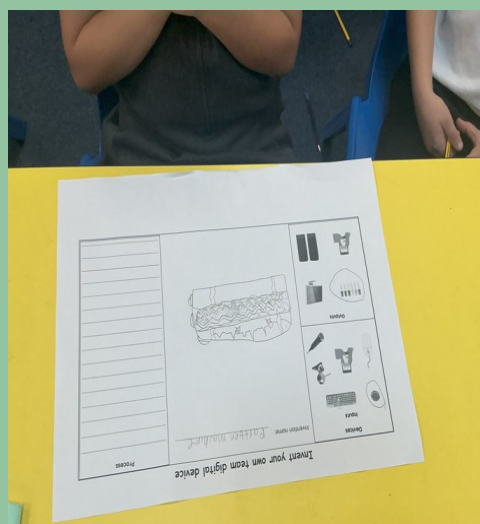
Team 1 & 2

Year 2 have been learning about different habitats in science. We looked at different habitats and what animals we might find there. We played a fun game! We had to say where our animal lives, what it eats and describe what it looks like. Our friends then had to guess our animal.

Team 3 & 4

Coverack Class have had a great start to the new school year. We have started a new computing unit, where we have been looking at digital devices and exploring their inputs, processes and outputs. We had a go at drawing

Van Gogh's 'Starry Night' and comparing the differences between painting a real picture and painting one on a digital device. We have also designed our own digital devices, looking at what their inputs and outputs could be. The children came up with some very creative designs



A Halloween-themed background illustration featuring a large, bright orange full moon in a dark red sky. Silhouetted against the moon is a spooky house with a tall, pointed tower and several windows. Bare, gnarled tree branches frame the scene, and several black bats are flying in the sky. In the lower right, a silhouette of a cross is visible.

Halloween Disco

Roskear Primary School Hall

Monday 20th October 2025

Yr R to Year 2 – 5:30–6:15pm

Yr 3 to Year 6 – 6:30–7:30pm

£2.50 entry (please purchase tickets via ParentPay)

Games & Tuck

Team 5 & 6

Year 5:

This week Year 5 have been investigating how to separate sugar and water from a solution.

We firstly experimented with evaporation: applying heat to the solution so that the liquid turns to gas and evaporates, leaving the solid sugar behind. We discussed where and when evaporation occurs and they identified real-life scenarios where evaporation would be useful. After that, we looked at filtration: using filter paper, which has tiny holes letting liquid through but not small solid particles, we filtered the solution. This method did not work as the sugar was completely dissolved in the solution. We discussed real-life scenarios where filtration could be used.

Harvest Festival Invitation

We are delighted to invite you to our annual Harvest Festival on Friday, 10th October at 10:00am in the Centenary church (Pink Church) postcode: TR14 8HW.

Children from Years 3, 4, 5, and 6 will be taking part, sharing songs and celebrations to mark this special time of year.

We warmly welcome all families to join us as we give thanks for the harvest together.

If you wish to make a foodbank donation, please sent it in on the day. Thank you.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Davies



Position	Class	% Attend	Number of Late pupils	Change from last week
1st	Truro	99.3	0	-2
2nd	St. Blazey	96.8	2	+1
3rd	Portreath	96.7	1	+1
4th	Coverack	95.4	3	+2
4th	St. Petroc	95.4	2	-
5th	St. Piran	95.2	3	+1
6th	Marazion	95	5	+2
7th	Poldhu	94.8	2	+1
8th	Falmouth	94.3	3	+1
9th	Porthcurno	94.1	3	+3
10th	Newlyn	93.8	2	+1
11th	Helston	93.3	0	-4
12th	Gwithian	92.3	1	-
13th	Chapel Porth	87.1	4	+2

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE DATA

This year's target is

96%

Congratulations to

TRURO

who came

1st

this week.

**Congratulations to the following
pupils who achieved
'Star of the week'**



Golden Responsible Empathetic Aspirational Tenacious

Class	Name	Reason for Certificate
Porthcurno	Carson	For being GREAT and always following the GOLDEN rules. We are very proud of you!
Chapel Porth	Amelia	For always being RESPONSIBLE and a kind friend to everyone.
Poldhu	Olivia	For being ASPIRATIONAL with her maths learning this week and comparing numbers using symbols independently.
Gwithian	Dean	For being TENACIOUS when reading and writing his sounds this week.
Portreath	Bonnie	For consistently being GOLDEN with everything she does. Thank you.
Marazion	Hoorain	For being TENACIOUS and ASPIRATIONAL with her writing this week.
Coverack	Finley	For being GOLDEN all week and showing great kindness and helpfulness in the classroom.
Truro	Amelia	For being RESPONSIBLE throughout the whole week in all of her learning.
Falmouth	Jack	For always giving his learning his best effort and showing how GOLDEN he is everyday.
Newlyn	Olivia S	For being GREAT and always following the GOLDEN rules. We are very proud of you!
St. Piran	Milana	For showing kindness this week throughout the school. She has shown how GOLDEN she is.
St. Blazey	Arlo	For being TENACIOUS and always persevering .
Helston	Julia	For being ASPIRATIONAL across all learning this week - putting 100% into all that she does.
St. Petroc	Leila	For being a wonderful role model to her peers. You remind us what GOLDEN is each and every day.



If your child has a Children's University passport, could your child please see Mrs James with their passport to record the number of hours completed. Children who have completed their milestones will receive their certificates at the end of half term.

ROSKEAR PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL

SPORTS STAR OF THE WEEK

Maks in Coverack for being a GREAT team player and making good effort to use a variety of passes in handball.

House Points		
	Poldark	115
	Crofty	96
	King Edward	57
	Geevor	53



Better Housing Better Health

The Warmth & Wellbeing Service

HOME ENERGY ADVICE

Better Housing Better Health (BHBH) is a charity working locally to improve your warmth & wellbeing. In a preventative approach, our free helpline provides you with a single point of contact for services, advice and financial support in order to help improve the energy efficiency of your property.

BETTER HOUSING BETTER HEALTH CAN HELP WITH:

ENERGY BILL
SUPPORT

GRANT
ELIGIBILITY
CHECKER

£ FINANCIAL
SUPPORT

PRIORITY
SERVICES
REGISTER



CALL US FOR FREE

0800 107 0044

OR VISIT : WWW.BHBH.ORG.UK

Out of this World

MAINS

'Crispy Crater' Chicken Burger
(Southern Fried Chicken Goujon Burger)
or 'Crispy Crater' Veggie Burger (V)
(Veggie Finger Burger)

SIDES

'Moon Rock' Potatoes
'Rocket Fuel' Baked Beans
'Pluto' Peas

DESSERTS

'Shooting Star' Shortbread with
Chocolate 'Space Dust'

*Menus may be subject to change

Chartwells

CALENDAR *(additions in red)*

Inset Days for academic year 2025/2026: 22/10/2025, 23/10/2025, 24/10/2025, 03/11/2025, 23/02/2026, 23/07/2025

Teacher-Run After-School Clubs commence: 22nd September 2025

YR/KS1 Harvest festival – school hall 2.45pm, 9th October 2025 (all parents/carers invited)

KS2 Harvest festival at Centenary Church Camborne (pink church) 10.00am, 10th October 2025 (all parents/carers invited)

Halloween Disco: 20th October 2025. Yr R—Yr 2 5:30-6:15pm, Yr3-Yr6 6:30-7:30pm
tickets available next week via ParentPay

Last day of half term - 21st October 2025

Half term - 27th - 31st October 2025

Closing date for Transfer to Secondary School: 31st October 2025

Autumn 2 - Yr 3 swimming on Thursday mornings

Rec - Yr 6 Parent/Teacher meetings - 4th & 6th November 2025

Christmas lunch - 17th December 2025

Yr 1, 3 & 5 nativity Carol Service - 18th December 2025

Yr 2, 4 & 6 Nativity Carol Service - 19th December 2025

Closing date for Starting School in Reception Class 2026: 15th January 2026

Yr 5 residential - Isles of Scilly - 8th - 12th June 2026

Yr 6 residential - London - 18th - 20th May 2026

Winter break - 22nd December - 2nd January 2026

Spring term starts - 5th January 2026



Together
for Families

The
deadline for
applications is
31 October
2025

Transfer to secondary school

September 2026

Applying for a place
in year seven at a
secondary school



Information and guidance

Application form and information: www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions
Telephone: 0300 1234 101



www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions



Together
for Families

The
deadline for
applications is
15 January
2026

Starting school September 2026

Applying for a place in
a reception class for
children born between
1 September 2021 and
31 August 2022



Attending a nursery or pre-school

You will need to apply even if your child attends a school's nursery or pre-school class. Please note that if a school is oversubscribed the fact that a child attends a school's nursery or pre-school, or a local nursery or pre-school, does not automatically guarantee a place at that school. The school's oversubscription criteria will be used to allocate places. Visit our website or contact us for more information.

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Menu for week commencing Monday 29th September 2025

WEEK 3

W/C: 05/06/2025, 16/06/2025, 07/07/2025, 08/09/2025, 29/09/2025, 20/10/2025

		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
HOT DISHES	OPTION 1	Cheese and Tomato Pizza Served with Garlic and Herb Bread 🌱	Sausage Hot Dog Served with Potato Wedges	Roast Chicken Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	See special menu on page 6	Battered Pollock Served with Chips 🌱
	OPTION 2	Veggie Supreme Pizza Served with Garlic and Herb Bread 🌱	Veggie Sausage Hot Dog Served with Potato Wedges 🌱 🌱	Roast Quorn Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy 🌱		Quorn Dippers Served with Chips 🌱 🌱
	OPTION 3	Tomato Pasta Fresh, Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta 🌱 🌱	Tomato Pasta Fresh, Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta 🌱 🌱	Tomato Pasta Fresh, Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta 🌱 🌱		Tomato Pasta Fresh, Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta 🌱 🌱
HOT DISHES ARE SERVED WITH TWO VEGETABLES						
DELI DISHES	OPTION 4	Ham Wrap	Ham Baguette	Cheese Wrap 🌱	See special menu on page 6	Ham Wrap
	OPTION 5	Cheese Baguette 🌱	Tuna and Sweetcorn Wrap	Egg Mayo Baguette 🌱		Cheese Baguette 🌱
DELI DISHES ARE SERVED WITH 1						
DESSERT		Flapjack 🌱 🌱	Chocolate Brownie 🌱	Lemon Cookie Served with Fruit 🌱		Cornflake Tart



BAKED POTATOES SERVED DAILY
With a choice of toppings 🌱 🌱



AVAILABLE DAILY
Fresh fruit, salad, yoghurt and water

🌱 Vegetarian 🌱 Vegan 🐟 Oily Fish 🌾 Wholegrain 🍏 Fruity! ❤️ Nutritionist's Choice

Our menu is subject to change. Please be assured that all notified medical diets and allergy requirements will be safely catered for

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