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Dear Families

We are all very excited to be starting a brand new school year here at Mount Hawke Academy. Everyone would like to send out a very big thank you for all your kind words, cards and gifts at the end of last year. We have the privilege of working in a wonderful community and very much appreciate all the support we get.

A big thank you too for ensuring that the children are all looking so smart in their school uniforms. We continue to keep pre-loved uniform in our reception area too. If you have uniform that your child has grown out of and would like to donate it to this, please just drop it into the office.

We would like to invite you into school, after school, the week after next from 3:15 pm for about half an hour, giving you an opportunity to see your child's new classroom, meet their teacher and find out a little more about their learning for the term. Just come into the classroom through their external classroom door.

- Monday 18th September – EYFS (Mousehole) and Upper Key Stage Two (Allen, Kenwyn & Truro Classes)
- Wednesday 20th September – Key Stage One (Godrevy, Longships & Pendeen Classes)
- Thursday 21st September – Lower Key Stage Two (Carne, Gwithian & Lamorna Classes)

Our Ethos, Aims and Values

We spent time on one of the Training Days this week reviewing our school values. We have updated the rationale behind our school motto of 'We Grow Together' as well as thinking about what we aspire to achieve for and with our children, reflecting on who we are and all we hope to become. You can read this on our website - [Mount Hawke Academy - Ethos, Aims & Values](#)

Some September Reminders

- Please let the office know first thing in the morning if your child is going to be absent.
- Please let the office know before midday of any school bus changes, or any new going home arrangements.
- If you have moved house in the holidays or have changed your landline or mobile number/s, please do let the office know, so that we can update your child/ren's records.
- Yoga Club will start on Thursday 14th September – KS1 3.15-4pm and KS2 4-5pm in the Microhall. Yoga is a fun, non-competitive way to build strength, coordination, flexibility and concentration; and to learn relaxation and calming techniques. Cost is £5 per session, payable before term starts. For more information and to book a place: dawn@mindfulkidscornwall.co.uk / 07881 694393.
- Toys should not be brought in from home.
- Jewellery is limited to stud earrings and a watch – our uniform information can be found here - [Mount Hawke Academy - School Uniform.](#)
- Do follow us on our social media feeds – Twitter, Instagram and Facebook.

Communications

Remember to use the email hello@mounthawke.org or phone 01209 890230 if you need to speak to one of us, let us know about something or share something with us. Miss Biddick is usually on the gate every morning and afternoon too.

All of us here at school would like to wish you a very happy and safe weekend.

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Mount Hawke Academy

Head of School: Miss C Biddick

Dates

Autumn Term

- Visit the Classroom from 3:15 pm to 3:45 pm
 - Monday 18th September – Upper Key Stage Two (Allen, Kenwyn & Truro Classes)
 - Wednesday 20th September – Key Stage One (Godrevy, Longships & Pendeen Classes)
 - Thursday 21st September – Lower Key Stage Two (Carne, Gwithian & Lamorna Classes)
 - Parent Consultation Evenings
 - Christmas Performances
 - Christmas Jumper & Dinner Day
- Monday 16th October – Thursday 19th October
Week commencing Monday 11th December
Tuesday 19th December

Mount Hawke Academy – Term Dates 2023-2024

September 2023	October 2023	November 2023
Mon 4 11 18 25	Mon 2 9 16 23 30	Mon 6 13 20 27
Tue 5 12 19 26	Tue 3 10 17 24 31	Tue 7 14 21 28
Wed 6 13 20 27	Wed 4 11 18 25	Wed 1 8 15 22 29
Thurs 7 14 21 28	Thurs 5 12 19 26	Thurs 2 9 16 23 30
Fri 1 8 15 22 29	Fri 6 13 20 27	Fri 3 10 17 24
Sat 2 9 16 23 30	Sat 7 14 21 28	Sat 4 11 18 25
Sun 3 10 17 24 31	Sun 1 8 15 22 29	Sun 5 12 19 26
December 2023	January 2024	February 2024
Mon 4 11 18 25	Mon 1 8 15 22 29	Mon 5 12 19 26
Tue 5 12 19 26	Tue 2 9 16 23 30	Tue 6 13 20 27
Wed 6 13 20 27	Wed 3 10 17 24 31	Wed 7 14 21 28
Thurs 7 14 21 28	Thurs 4 11 18 25	Thurs 1 8 15 22 29
Fri 1 8 15 22 29	Fri 5 12 19 26	Fri 2 9 16 23 30
Sat 2 9 16 23 30	Sat 6 13 20 27	Sat 3 10 17 24
Sun 3 10 17 24 31	Sun 7 14 21 28	Sun 4 11 18 25
March 2024	April 2024	May 2024
Mon 4 11 18 25	Mon 1 8 15 22 29	Mon 6 13 20 27
Tue 5 12 19 26	Tue 2 9 16 23 30	Tue 7 14 21 28
Wed 6 13 20 27	Wed 3 10 17 24 31	Wed 1 8 15 22 29
Thurs 7 14 21 28	Thurs 4 11 18 25	Thurs 2 9 16 23 30
Fri 1 8 15 22 29	Fri 5 12 19 26	Fri 3 10 17 24 31
Sat 2 9 16 23 30	Sat 6 13 20 27	Sat 4 11 18 25
Sun 3 10 17 24 31	Sun 7 14 21 28	Sun 5 12 19 26
June 2024	July 2024	August 2024
Mon 3 10 17 24	Mon 1 8 15 22 29	Mon 5 12 19 26
Tue 4 11 18 25	Tue 2 9 16 23 30	Tue 6 13 20 27
Wed 5 12 19 26	Wed 3 10 17 24 31	Wed 7 14 21 28
Thurs 6 13 20 27	Thurs 4 11 18 25	Thurs 1 8 15 22 29
Fri 7 14 21 28	Fri 5 12 19 26	Fri 2 9 16 23 30
Sat 1 8 15 22 29	Sat 6 13 20 27	Sat 3 10 17 24 31
Sun 2 9 16 23 30	Sun 7 14 21 28	Sun 4 11 18 25



School holidays

Bank holidays

Christmas Day	25 December 2023
Boxing Day	26 December 2023
New Years Day	01 January 2024
Good Friday	29 March 2024
Easter Monday	01 April 2024
May Bank Holiday	06 May 2024
Spring Bank Holiday	27 May 2024
Summer Bank Holiday	26 August 2024

AUTUMN TERM (72 days)

4 September - 19 December 2023
(HALF TERM 23-27 October 2023)

SPRING TERM (56 days)

3 January - 28 March 2024
(HALF TERM 12-16 February 2024)

SUMMER TERM (67 days)

15 April - 24 July 2024
(HALF TERM 27-31 May 2024)

195 days are on the school calendar. School will be open to pupils for 190 days. The five additional days are allotted for staff training.

Training Days – school closed for children:

- 4th September 2023
- 5th September 2023
- 20th October 2023
- 9th February 2024
- 28th March 2024

Please book holidays in school holidays – thank you

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