



Mount Hawke Academy

Head of School: Miss C Biddick

20.9.24

Dear Families

It was lovely to see so many families visiting classrooms and meeting teachers this week. Thank you for taking the time to do this and please do remember that if you need to contact your child's teacher, email the office or pop in and we will get back to you as soon as possible. We are also always so pleased to learn more about what the children get up to out of school, so if you have any news or photos to share of them enjoying a hobby, passing an exam,...always feel free to let us know. We also post regularly on social media, so do follow us on Twitter, Facebook or Instagram to see what we are doing in school.

This week we have put out all the playground equipment that our School Council requested last year, thanks to a very generous donation from FOMHS. The children are playing beautifully with it and it has made our break times extra special.

On Wednesday, our Mental Health Ambassadors had their first meeting of the year and set up a timetable of activities for our children to access. This morning, they have reintroduced themselves to the school and talked about how they are going to run this year. A big thank you to these Year Six children who are showing such great maturity.

This morning, our Year Five children have worked with Stay Safe Initiative, taking a full look into the world of bullying, everything from what it is, why it happens, the damage it can cause all the way through to how to deal with face to face bullying and how to get help. Such important messages and learning.

Celebrations

We held our Friday Whole School Celebration Assembly today and it was lovely to share the news from each class with everyone and celebrate all the hard work together. All of our children make us very proud each week, and to gain this additional recognition is very special.

Class	Celebration	Achievement
Mousehole	Kierah	Bill
Godrevy	Ocean	Cora
Longships	Eli	Tamsin
Pendeen	Millie	Caitlin
Carne	Harry	Theo
Lamorna	Charlie	Maks
Allen	Tallulah	Theo
Kenwyn	Lilah	Bowe
Truro	Leah	Theo

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My Personal Best Life Skills for next week are...

EYFS and KS1 – Trust
KS2 – Encouragement

We will explore these life skills and link them to our ASPIRE values, encouraging their use in all our activities. You can read more about this here - [My Personal Best - Youth Sport Trust](#) and here - [Mount Hawke Academy - Ethos, Aims & Values](#)



Recommended Read

This week's recommendation is from Bella in Kenwyn Class, who has chosen The Highland Falcon Thief by MG Leonard and Sam Sedgman...Harrison (Hal) Beck and his Uncle Nat go on lots of train journeys together. There is always a crime that needs to be solved. It has lots of facts and detailed descriptions about the beautiful world around them. The illustrations are stunning!



Phonics Workshop – Find Out How We Teach Phonics and Early Reading

This workshop will be held on Thursday 3rd October between 9.00 am and 9.30 am in the hall. Drop your children to class and then come to reception.

This information session will especially be for Mousehole parents, but parents from other classes are welcome too.

You will find out more about our scheme - [For parents | Letters and Sounds](#)

<http://littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk> – and what you can do to help your child at home.

Attendance

We had our regular visit from our Cornwall Council Education Welfare Officer this week. Our attendance is looking very good currently, at 98.4%. Thank you for your support with this. Please remember the changes to attendance regulations and do not book holidays in term time as these are unauthorised.

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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Autumn Term Calendar

Thursday 3rd October – 9.00 am – 9.30 am

Phonics Workshop for EYFS parents in particular – other years welcome

Monday 21st October – Thursday 24th October

Parent Consultation Evenings – booking nearer the time

Christmas Performances – more details to follow:

Monday 9th December

Years One and Two – 1.30 pm & 5.00 pm

Tuesday 10th December

Years Five and Six – 1.30 pm & 5.00 pm

Wednesday 11th December

Years Three and Four – 1.30 pm & 5.00 pm

Friday 13th December

Year R – 9.15 am & 2.00 pm

Friday 20th December

Christmas Jumper & Dinner Day

Break Up at 3.15 pm / Playzone until 5.00 pm

Mount Hawke Academy – Term Dates 2024-2025

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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:

- Tuesday 3rd September 2024
- Wednesday 4th September 2024
- Friday 25th October 2024
- Monday 6th January 2025
- Friday 14th February 2025

Please book holidays in school holidays – thank you

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