



Mount Hawke Academy

Head of School: Miss C Biddick

24.10.24

Dear Families

Although this week has only had four school days in it, we have continued to fit a lot in. The children had their photos taken on Monday, two football matches were played and Mrs Martin had some Teach Active training, exploring ways of making teaching more interactive and action based in maths and English.

Thank you for coming to our Parent Consultation Evenings. The last ones are tonight. We hope that you have found them useful, and please do remember that if you have a query or a concern at any time, do either catch your child's teacher at the end of the day, or let the office know and we can arrange a meeting.

On Monday 4th November, Key Stage Two are going to have a talk from Tom Palmer, a well-known children's author. If you would like to find out more about him, do have a look at his website - [Tom Palmer | Children's Author](#). This is something special to look forward to on our first day back.

Celebrations

Yesterday saw a lovely end to the month – our Superstar Assembly. The parents of the children named below have already had a letter, telling them that their child has been noticed for going above and beyond in all that they do and we are giving them a Book Token too to help them buy a book of their choice. This is to say a huge THANK YOU and WELL DONE for all that our Superstars do, from everyone at school.

Class	Superstar
Mousehole	Elka
Godrevy	Isla
Longships	Millie
Pendeen	Dulcie
Carne	Auren
Lamorna	Joey
Allen	Piran
Kenwyn	Karolina
Truro	Stan



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

EYFS and KS1 – Responsibility

KS2 – Resilience

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](#)

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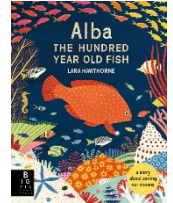


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Recommended Read

Longships have chosen the read this week. Our book recommendation comes from Orla....It is 'Alba the Hundred Year Old Fish' By Lara Hawthorne. Orla says, 'It is all about coral and the sea and I love the ocean and the animals in it!'



Hub Councillor Needed

Are you passionate about improving the outcomes for pupils? We have a Hub Councillor vacancy at Mount Hawke Academy. You will work with the Head of School and other Hub Councillors in Aspire Academy Trust to monitor progress and assess the impact of academy improvement. If you are interested in school governance, and believe you have the skills and time available, then please contact the school office for more details.

Sports News

Last Friday both our football teams played ever so well against St Agnes at home and after very strong competition, St Agnes took the wins. Congratulations to them. On Monday, two teams plays St Mary's from Truro, again at home and we were delighted to get two wins, with some of our Year Four children adding great strength to our teams.

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 half term break and we look forward to welcoming you all back on Monday 4th November.



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Autumn Term Calendar

Friday 25th October - TOMORROW

School closed to children – staff training day

Children in Need Day – Friday 15th November

Wear spots / yellow to school – non uniform day – donation details to follow.

Christmas Performances – dates below & 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

Tuesday 7th January

Spring Term starts

Mount Hawke Academy – Term Dates 2024-2025

September 2024	October 2024	November 2024	December 2024	January 2025	February 2025	March 2025	April 2025	May 2025	June 2025	July 2025	August 2025
Mon 2 Tue 9 Wed 10 Thurs 11 Fri 12 Sat 13 Sun 14	Mon 7 Tue 8 Wed 9 Thurs 10 Fri 11 Sat 12 Sun 13	Mon 4 Tue 5 Wed 6 Thurs 7 Fri 8 Sat 9 Sun 10	Mon 23 Tue 24 Wed 25 Thurs 26 Fri 27 Sat 28 Sun 29	Mon 5 Tue 6 Wed 7 Thurs 8 Fri 9 Sat 10 Sun 11	Mon 3 Tue 4 Wed 5 Thurs 6 Fri 7 Sat 8 Sun 9	Mon 10 Tue 11 Wed 12 Thurs 13 Fri 14 Sat 15 Sun 16	Mon 7 Tue 8 Wed 9 Thurs 10 Fri 11 Sat 12 Sun 13	Mon 12 Tue 13 Wed 14 Thurs 15 Fri 16 Sat 17 Sun 18	Mon 2 Tue 3 Wed 4 Thurs 5 Fri 6 Sat 7 Sun 8	Mon 6 Tue 7 Wed 8 Thurs 9 Fri 10 Sat 11 Sun 12	Mon 4 Tue 5 Wed 6 Thurs 7 Fri 8 Sat 9 Sun 10

School holidays

- Christmas Day: 25 December 2024
- Boxing Day: 26 December 2024
- New Year's Day: 01 January 2025
- Good Friday: 18 April 2025
- Easter Monday: 21 April 2025
- May Bank Holiday: 05 May 2025
- Spring Bank Holiday: 26 May 2025
- Summer Bank Holiday: 25 August 2025

AUTUMN TERM (74 days)
3 September – 20 December 2024
(HALF TERM 28 October – 1 November 2024)

SPRING TERM (60 days)
6 January – 4 April 2025
(HALF TERM 17-21 February 2025)

SUMMER TERM (61 days)
22 April – 23 July 2025
(HALF TERM 26-30 May 2025)

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 5th October 2024
- Monday 6th January 2025
- Friday 14th February 2025

Please book holidays in school holidays – thank you

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