



Dear families,

It is lovely to be back at school and to see such enthusiasm in everyone. Children have been in on time and ready to learn. We have been talking about what 'love of learning' looks like and it's brilliant to see so many children take ownership of their goals.

Miss Andrew has been busy in the holidays painting a tree mural upstairs which is now a quiet space for children.

As you were aware, in July we had to postpone our Moorland trip due to severe weather. We now have a new date! We will be going next Tuesday 19th September. We will be leaving school promptly around 9am and back before the end of the school day. Please can children wear their wildtribe clothing. Although it might be warm, there is a chance of rain/damp conditions so waterproofs may be required. We have been told that trainers or walking boots are



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preferred rather than wellies. Please pack suncream, a drink and packed lunch (if your child is FMS please request one for those in receipt of it).

IMPORTANT: We are also a NUT FREE school. Please continue to check the ingredients of food as we have members of Werrington with a severe nut allergy. Thank you.

Our focus learning disposition this week is collaboration. Collaborative learning allows pupils to make independent progress while working as part of a team. They'll learn to take responsibility for their part and recognise the different skills that members of their team have and use this to enhance learning.



We are looking forward to an exciting week of learning. Keep an eye out for the Dojo and Facebook posts from your children's classes.

Class 1: Ladybirds have had a lovely first few days, settling back in and getting to know our new friends. On that note we would like to offer a warm welcome our new children and their parents.

If your child is new to the setting this week, we would appreciate if you could send some photographs of your child/children as babies, and a more recent photograph, as well as photographs of/with significant family members for us to make their family books to share with their peers. Please let us know the names you child calls these relatives.

These can be sent via the message option on class dojo or via email tolcooper@andaras.org, or brought in. Thank you.



Class 2: During Maths we have been exploring shapes.

The children had a variety of groups to choose from. They either got to choose making pictures, making jigsaws, sorting the shapes into groups and creating their very own! One child was able to tell me that he had created "a square with two triangles." While another told me he had made "a Christmas tree!"

Class 3: in art we began our new study 'typography'. Children used everyday resources to inspire them to make letters look interesting 🌀 🖌️ 📄 We watched an animation and noticed how handwriting can be art!



Dates for your diary:

Please keep up to date with events through our Dojo and Facebook pages.



INSET dates for the year - 15/4/24 , 3/6/24 , 24/7/24

Class 2 Wild Tribe at the Woodland Skills centre (please wear Wildtribe clothes - the mini bus will take children to and from 10-2pm) - 15/9 , 22/9, 29/9

Summer Fete: 16th September

Year 1-6 Moors Day - Tuesday 19th September

20/9: Year 6 parents and children to meet in the hall 2:45-3pm



September 2023					
Mon		4	11	18	25
Tue		5	12	19	26
Wed		6	13	20	27
Thurs		7	14	21	28
Fri	1	8	15	22	29
Sat	2	9	16	23	30
Sun	3	10	17	24	

October 2023						
Mon		2	9	16	23	30
Tue		3	10	17	24	31
Wed		4	11	18	25	
Thurs		5	12	19	26	
Fri		6	13	20	27	
Sat		7	14	21	28	
Sun	1	8	15	22	29	

November 2023						
Mon			6	13	20	27
Tue			7	14	21	28
Wed		1	8	15	22	29
Thurs		2	9	16	23	30
Fri		3	10	17	24	
Sat		4	11	18	25	
Sun		5	12	19	26	

December 2023					
Mon		4	11	18	25
Tue		5	12	19	26
Wed		6	13	20	27
Thurs		7	14	21	28
Fri	1	8	15	22	29
Sat	2	9	16	23	30
Sun	3	10	17	24	31

January 2024					
Mon	1	8	15	22	29
Tue	2	9	16	23	30
Wed	3	10	17	24	31
Thurs	4	11	18	25	
Fri	5	12	19	26	
Sat	6	13	20	27	
Sun	7	14	21	28	

February 2024					
Mon		5	12	19	26
Tue		6	13	20	27
Wed		7	14	21	28
Thurs	1	8	15	22	29
Fri	2	9	16	23	
Sat	3	10	17	24	
Sun	4	11	18	25	

March 2024					
Mon		4	11	18	25
Tue		5	12	19	26
Wed		6	13	20	27
Thurs		7	14	21	28
Fri	1	8	15	22	29
Sat	2	9	16	23	30
Sun	3	10	17	24	31

April 2024					
Mon	1	8	15	22	29
Tue	2	9	16	23	30
Wed	3	10	17	24	
Thurs	4	11	18	25	
Fri	5	12	19	26	
Sat	6	13	20	27	
Sun	7	14	21	28	

May 2024					
Mon		6	13	20	27
Tue		7	14	21	28
Wed	1	8	15	22	29
Thurs	2	9	16	23	30
Fri	3	10	17	24	31
Sat	4	11	18	25	
Sun	5	12	19	26	

June 2024					
Mon		3	10	17	24
Tue		4	11	18	25
Wed		5	12	19	26
Thurs		6	13	20	27
Fri		7	14	21	28
Sat	1	8	15	22	29
Sun	2	9	16	23	30

July 2024					
Mon	1	8	15	22	29
Tue	2	9	16	23	30
Wed	3	10	17	24	31
Thurs	4	11	18	25	
Fri	5	12	19	26	
Sat	6	13	20	27	
Sun	7	14	21	28	

August 2024					
Mon		5	12	19	26
Tue		6	13	20	27
Wed		7	14	21	28
Thurs	1	8	15	22	29
Fri	2	9	16	23	30
Sat	3	10	17	24	31
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)

4 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 included on the school calendar. Schools will be open to pupils for 190 days. The five additional days are allotted for In-Service Training (INSET). Schools allocate their own INSET days.



These application processes are for children currently living in Cornwall who need a school place in Cornwall or in another local authority.

Starting infant/primary school

For children born between 1 September 2019 and 31 August 2020. **Application deadline: 15 January 2024.**

[Apply for a place in a reception class >](#)

Transfer to junior school

For children born between 1 September 2016 and 31 August 2017 (attending an infant school in Cornwall). **Application deadline: 15 January 2024.**

[Apply for a place in year 3 in a junior school >](#)

Transfer to secondary school

For children born between 1 September 2012 and 31 August 2013. **Application deadline: 31 October 2023.**

[Apply for a place in year 7 in a secondary school >](#)