MAWGAN-IN-PYDAR SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWS

10th September 2021

Welcome back everyone!

A very warm welcome back to all our families and our new families as well. We are incredibly proud of how our pupils have transitioned back into school this week. Our new starters have also joined us confidently, some even walking in from the school gates already by themselves – what superstars!

As always, our school days are jam packed with exciting learning and activities and it has been lovey to hear children laughing with their friends, playing together outside and demonstrating acts of kindness, support and friendship towards others.

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome two new members of staff to our team - Mrs Beal who is working alongside Mrs Turner in Class 1 and Mrs Walker who is working alongside Mrs Olefhile in Class 3. They both bring a wealth of experience to our team and we are very pleased to have them join us.

SCHOOL MENU

As per our email, the summer term menu will continue until half term. Children who have just moved from Year 2 to Year 3 are no longer entitled to Free School Meals therefore any meals taken will be charged on ParentPay. All children will continue to select their meal option each morning in class. If you feel you are eligible for funding for FSM please complete the following application Free School Meals (servelec-synergy.com)

EXTRA CURRICULAR CLUBS

Details for Extra Curricular Clubs will be sent out next week and will commence w/c 20th SEPTEMBER. Registration for clubs will be done via Arbor. First come, first served.

CLASS LETTERS

These will be coming out on Monday. They will include information about your child/ren's Imaginative Learning Project this term and other useful information about their class/es.

GOOGLE CLASSROOM

To ensure all pupils can access the same learning, whether they are in school or at home, we will be using Google Classroom. More information and a reminder of your child/ren's log in and password will be communicated next week. Google Classroom will also be used in the classroom so that ALL children become familiar with it. Parents of Reception age children will receive Google Classroom logins and passwords next week.

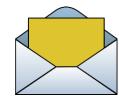
PE KITS

This term, ALL pupils need to come to school on their PE day dressed in their PE kit.

- Class 1's PE day is Monday
- Class 2's PE day is Monday ٠
- Class 3's PE day is Wednesday
- Class 4's PE day is Tuesday
- Class 5's PE day is Friday













MORNING AND AFTER SCHOOL CLUB FROM SEPTEMBER

Breakfast Club will run from **8:00am - 8:40am**. The price is **£3.00 per child per session**, **including breakfast** - toast, cereal, muffins, crumpets and orange juice, milk or water. Children have access to a range of equipment and games and if weather permits, we will often get out for a breath of fresh air! Children also have the opportunity to complete reading or homework with a member of staff if required.

After School Club will run from 3:10pm - 5:00pm Monday – Friday. The price is £4.00 per child per session. There will be two sessions that run from 3:10pm – 4:00pm and 4:00pm – 5:00pm. This club includes a healthy snack, drinks and access to indoor and outdoor play as well as the opportunity to complete reading or homework with a member of staff if required.

Please note: if your child attends a session for 10 minutes or 1 hour you will still be charged the $\pounds4.00$.

All sessions are to be booked and paid for on ParentPay by the previous Friday – the initial glitch this week should be resolved by the weekend.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

When ordering through School trends (www.schooltrends.co.uk), you can find the school by entering the following: Mawgan-in-Pydar Community Primary School **or** TR8 4EP.

BIKEABILITY

Children in Year 5 have the chance to take part in Bikeability sessions from Monday 20th September. Please can <u>all Year 5 children</u> bring their bike, helmet, PE Kit and raincoat on **MONDAY 20th SEPTEMBER**. Letter to come home today with more information.

GUITAR

Guitar lessons for those already registered will commence next week: Wednesday and Friday afternoons as per last term.

ARBOR APP

We are pleased to advise that Mawgan-in-Pydar School uses an information system called Arbor. The Arbor App allows you to receive the latest secure messages from us, book parent/guardian consultation slots and view your child's attendance data. You will soon receive a welcome email from us with a link to set a password (ask the office to resend it if you do not receive it). Once you have set a password, search for 'Arbor' in your app store, download the app and login.

For a direct link to download the app, as well as to read the user guide, go to: http://www.aspireacademytrust.org/app

Important: Please allow notifications when installing the app. The notifications will alert you when you receive a message from the school.

Thank you for providing contact information for your child, we would ask that you log into the Arbor app and check these details. Please advise us by email hello@mawgan-in-pydar.org.uk if there are any amends to these details

So, please download the Arbor app and use your activation code within 96 hours of receipt.









STAFF WANTED

Sadly, in October, we will be saying good-bye to Mrs Keeley Delaney in the Kitchen. This means that there is a vacancy in the school kitchen for approx. 16 hours work. Approximate hours being 10:30am to 1pm each day, term time. If you would be interested in receiving an application form please email us on <u>hello@mawgan-in-pydar.org.uk</u>.

TERM DATES 2021-2022

AUTUMN TERM 2021

Training Day	Monday 6 th September
School Starts	Tuesday 7 th September
School Closed	Friday 22 nd October
Half Term	Monday 25 th Oct to Friday 29 th Oct
Last day of term	Friday 17 th December
SPRING TERM 2022	
School Starts	Tuesday 4 th January
Training Day	Friday 18 th February

Half-Term	Monday 21st to Friday 25th February

Last day of term Thursday 8th April

SUMMER TERM 2022

Training Day	Tuesday 26 th July
Training Day	Monday 25 th July
Last day of term	Friday 22 nd July
Training Day	Friday 10 th June
Half-Term	Monday 30 th May to Friday 3 rd June
May Day	Monday 2 nd May
School Starts	Monday 25 th April