



Head teacher's Message

It was so lovely to be back in school this week, and seeing all of our families again. My highlight of the week was taking the year 5 and 6 children to Cape Cornwall School for their experience day on Wednesday. Their behaviour was exemplary; they had a wonderful time, and were polite and enthusiastic throughout. It really was lovely to show off what wonderful children we have at Sennen.

The children are continuing to work very hard and some are definitely starting to feel tired now that we are half way through the term, which can make them worried about coming to school. If you have any concerns at all, please come and let us know so that we can make sure we are helping them as much as possible. We always say to the children, unless we know, we can't help!

Clubs—As part of our school development plan this year, we are aiming to give children a wide range of experiences through after school clubs. Some of these will be led by staff in school, and some by external providers. If you know of anyone that would be able to provide a block of after school sessions in anything (music, crafts, sports etc), please get in touch and we will get something arranged. We have a few clubs in the pipeline, we will keep you posted! From next week, we will be able to offer:

Wednesday 3.15—4.15 —Football club from years 3-6

Thursday 3.15—4.15—Hi Five Netball club from years 3-6

Thursday—3.15—4.15— Multi-sports club for years 1 and 2

Children can bring something to change into on Thursday if they wish to attend.

These sessions will run until Christmas, when we may switch to something different.

Big Dig day—many thanks to those who have expressed an interest in coming to help us develop our school site on 23rd October. As you know, we don't have any site maintenance teams at all and most improvements are made by the staff, which can be quite time consuming, so it will be lovely to see lot of people there.

Have a great weekend everyone.

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Important dates:

- Tuesday 5th October—Mounts Bay open day for year 6
- Wednesday 6.10—Open day for new year R pupils 2022
- Wednesday 20.10— INSET day
- Thursday 21.10—End of topic celebration to parents
- Friday 22.10—end of term
- Saturday 23.10—community big dig day
- WB 15.11—Parents' evening

Important notices

- ⇒ A lot of children have expressed an interest in signing up for music lessons. The link is: <https://www.cornwallmusicservicetrust.org/>. You can specify if you are entitled to Pupil Premium discount.
- ⇒ PE days will be WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, please come in your kit for those days. For a link to the correct uniform, please visit our policies page <http://www.sennen.cornwall.sch.uk/website/policies/399342>
- ⇒ Children are allowed a healthy snack for breaktimes, as well as access to the fruit from the shed. We are asking them to save crisps etc until lunch time. For ideas for healthy snacks please visit

<https://www.nutrition.org.uk/healthyliving/helpingyoueatwell/healthypackedlunches.html?start=3>

<https://www.nhs.uk/change4life/food-facts/healthier-snacks-for-kids>



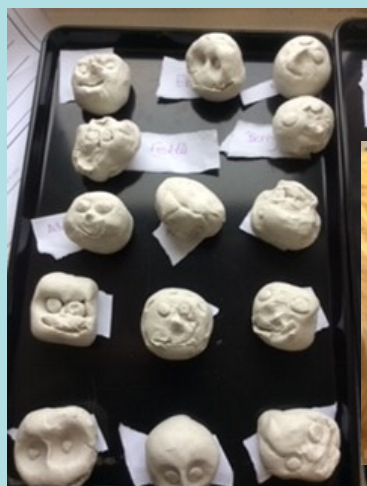
Aire class round up

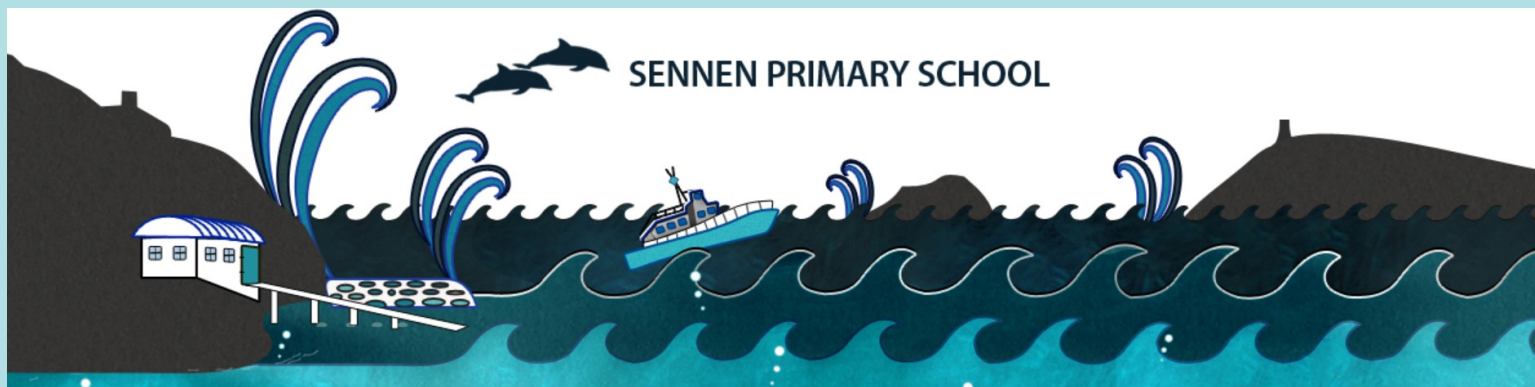
The children have been really getting along well in Aire Class and it is lovely to see new friendships blossom with special acts of kindness as well as everyday sharing of playthings. In phonics, children have been focusing on rhyming and blending by making silly soup and listening to our class robot talk using 'sound speak'. In Maths, we read The Button Box and got busy matching and sorting. The children have started writing their own stories and have enjoyed acting these out as a class on our special story stage. Other activities have included weather-watching and learning about rainbows, baking for various class birthdays, working in the sweetie factory, playing families and much, much more! Well done Aire Class - a brilliant few weeks!



Brisons class round up

This week in Brisons we have spent a lot of time talking about our feelings and emotions. We made some clay faces to show our emotions, which the children thoroughly enjoyed! In English, we have been reading the story of 'Little Red'. We did some role play as newspaper reporters and interviewed Little Red. The children created some excellent newspaper reports, year 2 even managed to include some quotes! As a class I am really proud of their achievements and the high level of effort they have put in this week, it is really showing in their work so great job guys, keep it up!

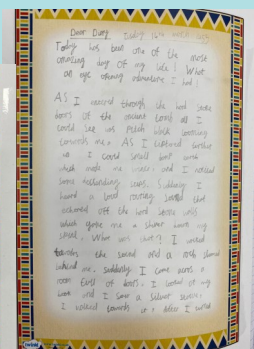
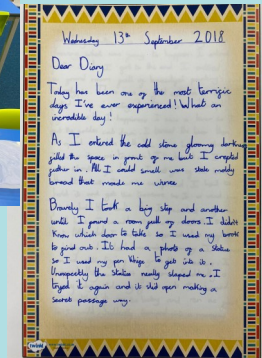




Longships class round up

This week we have been editing and producing a final draft of our diary entries. We wrote them as explorers entering an ancient Egyptian tomb and they were just fab—so much to be proud of! We have also started looking at instructions and we had a go at following some to mummify a tomato. This was very messy but great fun and led to some thoughtful decisions about what features good instructions have. We have learned about the ancient art of embalming and have been incredible at remembering the 9 different steps.

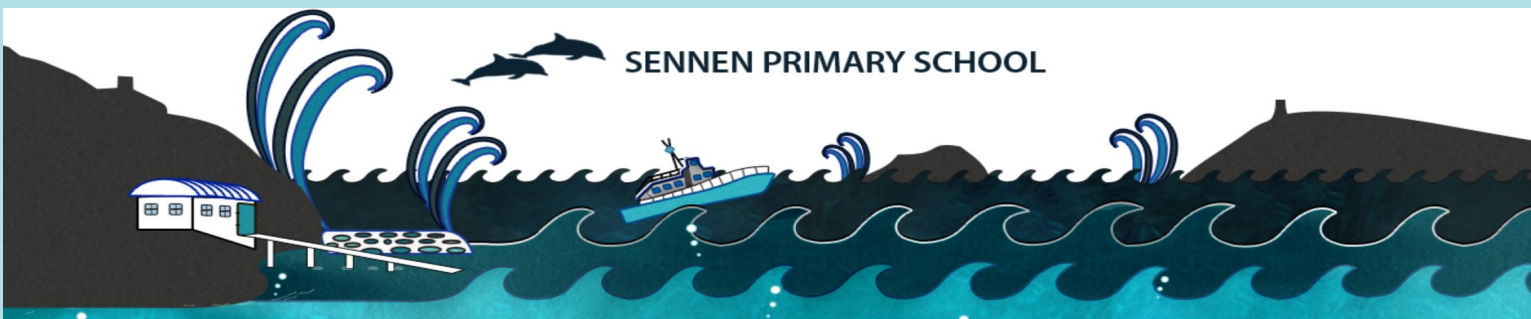
In maths we have worked on number lines to find out missing values and estimate the position of given numbers. We found out that it involved lots of division and counting skills.



Cowloe class round up

The children have been enjoying our topic and we have painted our planets! They are looking great! In English the children have been building up to their final piece by learning how to use descriptive features and embedded clauses. In Maths we have been focusing on place value and looking at rounding numbers up to 100,000. I was really proud of the children on Wednesday at Cape. They represented Sennen School brilliantly!





SENNEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

Volunteer readers—we need you!

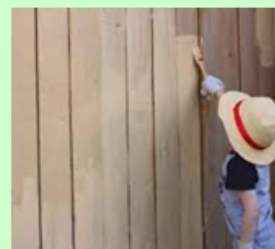
Do you have an hour to spare during the week to come and listen to children read? At Sennen School we believe that reading is the key to unlocking education for children and would like them to have as many opportunities as possible to read to others. If you would like to become part of our volunteer scheme, email me directly on head@sennen.cornwall.sch.uk and we will get it set up!



Sennen School's Big Dig day—Saturday 23rd October 2021

We need help preparing our school for the harsh winter months! We are looking for volunteers to come along for a few hours in the morning to restore parts of our exterior to their former glory. Some of the tasks we need doing are:

- * Painting fences, sheds etc
- * Jet-washing pathways and certain buildings
- * Clearing pathways
- * Moving plants / bushes
- * And much more I'm sure!



We want children to be involved too and so invite you to come along as a family and help the school. We will keep the tea, coffee and hot chocolate flowing, and maybe even have some cake!



SENNEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

Open Afternoon

Wednesday 6th October 2021 from 1.30 - 2.30pm

Do you have a child due to start school in September 2022?

If so, come along to our open afternoon and have a look around our lovely school.




























Phone the office to make a booking on 01736 871392

Or visit www.sennen.cornwall.sch.uk to find out more about us!

Lunch Menu

Children will be asked what they would like each day by their teacher. Children in year R—2 get infant free school meals and it is £2.32 for the rest of the school, other than for those pupils who have been awarded income based free school meals.

		WEEK 3		W/C: 13/09 04/10 15/11 06/12 17/01 07/02 28/02 21/03					
MONDAY		HOT SPECIALS...		DAILY FAVES...					
		Macaroni Cheese Cheesy Macaroni Pasta Veggie Sausage and Mash with Gravy  Fluffy mash with veggie sausages and rich gravy		Jacket Potatoes  A choice of hot and cold fillings Tomato Pasta   Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta		SIDES...		PICK A PUD!	
						Peas and Carrots		Oatie Biscuit with Fruit Slices	
TUESDAY		Allegra's Garlicky Chicken and Spanishy Spuds  Garlic seasoned chicken served with spanish style potatoes Allegra's Cheesy Peasy Risotto Bake  A delicious baked cheesy, pea risotto		Jacket Potatoes  A choice of hot and cold fillings Tomato Pasta   Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta		Sweetcorn and Broccoli		Apple and Carrot Yoghurt Muffin 	
WEDNESDAY		Roast Pork with Roast Potatoes & Gravy Roast pork with fluffy roasties and tasty gravy Meat-free Roast with Roast Potatoes and Gravy  Delicious Quorn roast with fluffy roasties and tasty gravy		Jacket Potatoes  A choice of hot and cold fillings Tomato Pasta   Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta		Carrots and Cabbage		Strawberry Ice Cream	
THURSDAY		Cornish Steak Pasty with Potato Wedges Steak pasty with potato wedges Veggie Lasagne served with a Bread Wedge   Delicious sheets of pasta layered with veggies and tomato sauce		Jacket Potatoes  A choice of hot and cold fillings Tomato Pasta   Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta		Green Beans and Sweetcorn		Chocolate Sponge Cake	
FRIDAY		Southern Fried Chicken Tasters with Chips Lightly seasoned crispy chicken strips and scrummy chips Soft Taco and Chips   A soft taco shell filled with a yummy veggie tomato chilli		Jacket Potatoes  A choice of hot and cold fillings Tomato Pasta   Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta		Baked Beans and Peas		Crispy Snow Bar	

Lunch Menu

Vegan - Week 1 - Mains

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Main Dish	Burrito (V) NO CHEESE IN BURRITO	Allegra's BBQ Beans (V) With Potato Wedges NO CORNBREAD	SD Sweet Potato and Chickpea Roast 93165175 with Roast Potatoes and SD Gravy 93132538	SD Butternut Squash and Tomato Bake with Rice (V) ** 93166601 NO BREADCRUMBS ON TOP	Vegetables Nuggets VMC 3732 and Chips
Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato With Baked Beans NO CHEESE OR TUNA MAYO				
Pasta	SD Tomato Pasta 93171286				
Vegetables	Green Beans Sweetcorn	Peas Broccoli	Carrots Cabbage	Broccoli Sweetcorn	Baked Beans Peas
Desserts	Raspberry Smoothie 93166798	SD Chocolate Crispie 93158451	Shortbread Biscuit with Fruit Slices*	Berry & Peach Oaty Crumble* With Rice Milk Custard 93166606	Orange, Sultana & Carrot Crispie 93177935
Cool Water, Fresh Fruit, Freshly Baked Bread available daily *Fruit Based **Wholegrain SD = SPECIAL DIET RECIPE					

Lunch Menu

Vegan - Week 2 - Mains

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Main Dish	Vegan Cheese and Tomato Pizza ** 93170278 with Dough Balls (V)	Jacket Potato With Baked Beans	Vegetable Pie (V) with Roast Potatoes and SD Gravy 93132538	Mild Chickpea and Potato Curry (V) with Rice **	Tomato Veggie Burger NO MAYO IN BURGER with Chips (V)
Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato With Baked Beans NO CHEESE OR TUNA MAYO				
Pasta	SD Tomato Pasta 93171286				
Vegetables	Green Beans Sweetcorn	Peas Broccoli	Carrots Cabbage	Green Beans Sweetcorn	Baked Beans Peas
Desserts	Flapjack with Fruit Slices*	Peach Shortbread Pudding* With Rice Milk Custard 93166606	SD Berry Crispie 93158452	SD Chocolate Crispie 93158451	Orange and Mango Smoothie 93199797
Cool Water, Fresh Fruit, Freshly Baked Bread available daily *Fruit Based **Wholegrain SD = SPECIAL DIET RECIPE					

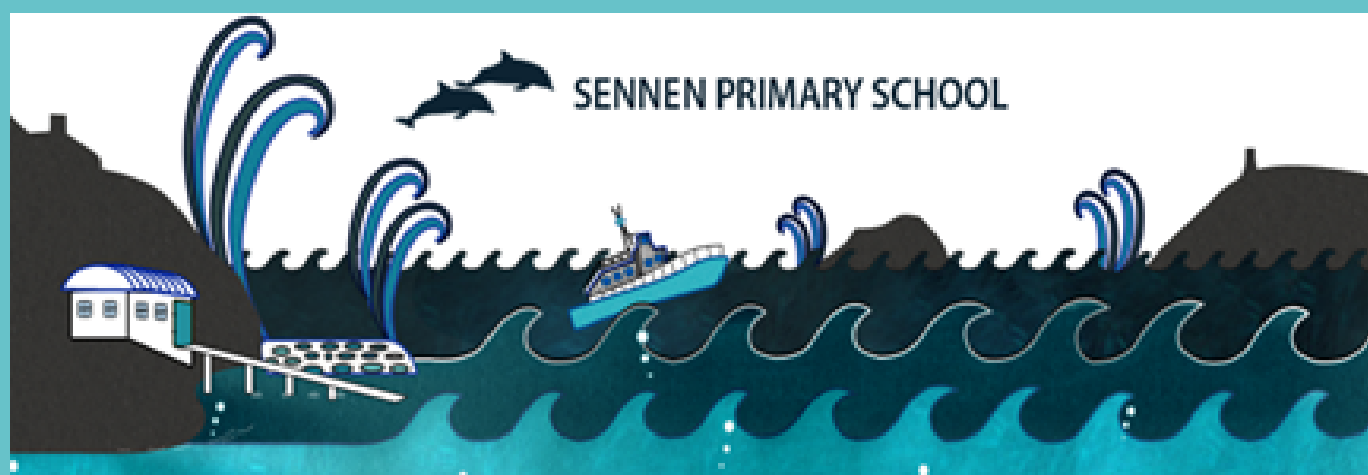
Lunch Menu

Vegan - Week 3 - Mains

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Main Dish	Vegetable Nuggets VMC 3732 with SD Mashed Potato 93165179 And SD Gravy (V) 93132538	SD Easy Peasy Risotto Bake (V) 93177963	SD Sweet Potato and Chickpea Roast 93165175 with Roast Potatoes And SD Gravy 93132538	SD Tomato Pasta 93171286	SD Mexican Tomato Lentil Taco 93170475 with Chips
Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato With Baked Beans NO CHEESE OR TUNA MAYO				
Pasta	SD Tomato Pasta 93171286				
Vegetables	Peas Carrots	Sweetcorn Broccoli	Carrots Cabbage	Green Beans Sweetcorn	Baked Beans Peas
Desserts	Oatie Biscuit with Fruit Slices*	Flapjack with Apple Slices*	Raspberry Smoothie 93166798	SD Chocolate Crispie 93158451	Orange and Mango Smoothie 93199797
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Please see our website for links to the application form.



Nurture TA vacancy

Are you the inspirational and caring nurture teaching assistant needed to join our outstanding team?

A caring, skilled and creative teaching assistant is needed to start immediately, mainly based in our lovely Year 5/6 class in our vibrant and friendly village school of 80 children. The role will be to support various children with their social, emotional and communication needs, with some 1-1 support for a specific child.

The successful candidate will:

- Be highly flexible and child centered
- Have an understanding of the trauma informed schools approach
- Have an understanding of SEND
- Have a good sense of humour and be highly resilient
- Support with positive, active playtimes
- Have a nurturing approach to help develop children's emotional and social skills.

Hours—8.45—1.00 daily (with the possibility of extra afternoons and one Breakfast club cover)

Please see www.sennen.cornwall.sch.uk for a link to the application form.