

Canute Class Weekly Newsletter

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This week

Dear Parents/Carers and Children,
Canute had a lovely afternoon for forest school, looking for minibeasts and thinking about whether they are super heroes or super villains. The children enjoyed climbing trees in the shade and making dens. We have been finding out about tin mining, practising Camborne Hill and learning 'Trelawney'. In RE we looked at a picture of Trethevy Quoit and found out about its history. We have been reading a book called 'Beast Of Bodmin Moor' about a big cat called Tegen. We have been writing stories about our own Beasts of Bodmin Moor and have drawn a picture of our beasts on the ipads. In Maths we have been comparing lengths of objects and measuring in cm and m. We have also started to work on capacity, working in litres and millilitres. Some of us have been looking at labels on containers to see how much liquid they hold. We baked a chocolate cake on Thursday so that we could help to celebrate Miss McClellan's birthday today. We hope she enjoyed her surprise party.

HOMEWORK

The children in Years 1 and 2 have their "Magical Moors" homework grid. Please could they choose one piece of homework from the grid each week. Homework should be handed in on Thursday mornings, but please let us know if this is difficult. Please practise spellings ready for the spelling challenge on Fridays.

Coming up...

Monday – Forest School

Gardening Club

Tuesday - Maypole dancing

Wednesday- Transition Day

Thursday – Trip to Minions

Friday- PE

Some ways you could support your child's learning next week.

- Please listen to you child read everyday.
- Practise counting in twos, fives and tens.
- Practise handwriting, checking letters are formed properly.

Who looks after your child?

Monday to Friday morning – Mrs Lovell.

Friday afternoon – Mrs Isaac.

Miss McClellan every day, Mrs Dean every afternoon.

What does your child need to bring to school?

It is important that the children feel prepared and ready for learning each day. Below are the things that they will need:

Everyday

- PE Kit (we need PE kit in school every day in case we practise Maypole dancing as well as for PE).
- Reading Book, sound or word cards, reading record and book bag.
- Water bottle
- Coat, wellies and sun hat and sun cream for outdoor learning.

Monday

- Forest School kit – Coat, warm jumper, old long trousers, old shoes / wellies, sun hat .

What your child will be learning next week

English – legend, think of questions and answers to find out about The Hurlers.

Maths- Measuring weight and temperature.

Science – I can describe things that are living, dead and never lived.

Computing – find errors in a program and correct.

Forest School and PSHE - minibeast super heroes.

RE – Trip to Minions – standing stones and Celtic crosses.

History– look at the exhibition in the engine house at Minions to find out about our mining history.

PE – striking and fielding.

Art – make animal masks to take to Minions for story telling.

Music – create music to represent the moors.