

Bude Primary Academy

Head of School – Mr James Pritchard

Friday 8th November 2024

Dear Parents,

Welcome back, and what an amazing start to the new term! This week, our pupils have dived into their exciting units of study, including the Iron Age, the Vikings, the Victorians, and the Battle of Britain.

Our children have shown remarkable enthusiasm and creative construction as they built and tested their own versions of wartime Anderson shelters in our Outdoor Learning area, an activity led by our Trust's Outdoor Educational Lead.

We hosted a special workshop led by our amazing Cognition team, with the support of LEGO, whose representatives travelled from far-flung places to work with our pupils, fostering STEM learning, creativity and teamwork. Our visitors praised the children for their incredible commitment and, most importantly, their outstanding support for one another.

Additionally, we welcomed Cornwall Cricket into our school and our pupils enjoyed high-quality cricket lessons led by their team. Well done to our children who took part in a football tournament with other pupils from across Cornwall, showcasing both their sportsmanship and camaraderie.

All of this will be capped off on Friday, with our fabulous Disco Party led by our incredible PTA.

A huge thank you to everyone who has made these experiences possible—from all of our dedicated staff to our amazing community and the esteemed visitors who enrich our school life.

Ready, Respectful, Safe - Together.

Anti-Bullying Week

We are excited to let you know that we'll be taking part in Odd Socks Day on Tuesday 12th November! This day celebrates individuality, and we'll be encouraging all pupils to come to school wearing odd socks to show that uniqueness is something to be proud of. If you'd like to make a donation, please click on the link below. <u>Anti-Bullying</u> <u>Alliance - JustGiving</u>



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Stars of the Week – Our Ways of Learning

Congratulations as ever to our marvelous children who have all shown what it means to be a learner by demonstrating their Creativity, Reflection, Empathy, Independence, Resilience and Curiosity. Your character shines brilliantly among so many stars, embodying our ways of being **Ready**, **Respectful**, **and Safe – Together**. Well done!





PE Days

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 4	Year 3	Year 3	Year 4	Year 6
Year 5		Year 5		Рорру
		Year 6		
		Рорру		

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IMPORTANT NOTICE: Arbor parent App.

From October half term, parents/carers will receive instant messaging via the Arbor Parent App ONLY. The old SMS service is being withdrawn. If you haven't already done so, please download the ARBOR APP via the App Store or Google Play. The app allows you to receive the latest messages from your child's school, book parent/carer consultation slots (where applicable), track your child's attendance, view club information and manage/update the information that we hold about both you and your child, including consents. Visit <u>https://www.aspireacademytrust.org/arbor</u> for support.

Diary dates

Tuesday 12 th November	Odd socks day for Anti Bullying Week		
Tuesday 12 th November	Year 3 history trip		
Monday 25 th – Friday 29 th November	Year 6 swimming		
Saturday 7 th December	BPA PTA Christmas fair		
Friday 20 th December	End of autumn 2		
Thursday 13 th – Friday 14 th March	Year 4 Plymouth Residential		
Wednesday 21 st – Friday 23 rd May	Year 5 Carnyorth Residential – more information to follow		
Wednesday 2 nd – Friday 4 th July	Year 6 Bristol Residential		

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