

Weekly Newsletter

14th October 2024

We are committed to safeguarding children.

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What we did last Week!

This afternoon, Lou from Public Health came in to talk to all the children about the importance of being hygienic and stopping the spread of germs.

The children were reminded of how to wash their hands properly and how this is super important to help stop the spread of nasty viruses!



The children are invited to wear a brightly coloured hat to school on Tuesday 15 October for a donation to CAFOD.

The money will go towards helping the poorest communities to help themselves by providing seeds, education and farming tools.

BRIGHTEEN
UP *this* [★]
- **HARVEST**
and **BUILD** a
BRIGHTER WORLD

This week's Gospel Value

Justice



Justice means behaving fairly to everyone.

This week can you:

- Make sure that everyone gets a turn to play or speak.
- Accept a decision even if you don't agree with us.

Jesus,

Thank you for giving me a community of people to share my life with.

Help me to learn to treat others with respect and to show them the fairness and justice they deserve.

Amen

Torbay's SEND Newsletter

Did you know there is a special newsletter for parents and carers of children with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND)? It's sent out electronically just before the end of every half term and is packed with updates about SEND services, training, resources and events, both online and face-to-face. If you'd like to read previous copies or subscribe, head to:

<https://www.torbay.gov.uk/send-newsletters/>

Secondary School applications

Children born between 1 September 2013 and 31 August 2014 will start Secondary School in September 2025.

You must apply by 31 October 2024. If you apply after 31 October your application will be considered late and may be at a disadvantage.

The online application system is open until the 31 October 2024. If you have any queries, or you are unable to apply online, please call 01803 208908 or email pupil.services@torbay.gov.uk to request an application form.

Autumn - After School Clubs

Tuesday - Art and Crafts 4,5,6-full

Tuesday - Netball 3,4,5

Tuesday - Choir 3,4,5,6

Wednesday - Girls Football Yr 3,4,5,6-full

Thursday - Scratch/Coding club 5,6-full

Thursday - Tennis 4,5,6

Friday - Boys football Yr 3,4,5,6

Friday - Dance 1,2

The clubs are free and are available to book online via your ParentPay account.





The main purpose of the PTA is to raise funds for extra items for the children such as football kit, ukuleles and gardening equipment.

Our PTA is completely reliant on volunteers to be able to run events. All parents / carers are automatically PTA members and are welcome at all meetings. New parents are encouraged to come along and bring their ideas.

We would love to see you!

**you scan,
We DONATE
££s TO
SCHOOLS.**



Asda Rewards

Asda will donate 0.5% of your total spend each time you shop to our school.

Please sign up today! Don't forget to select our school!

£117.02 raised so far!

Asda Rewards Cashpot for Schools

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1

Download and sign up to the Asda Rewards app

Opt into the Cashpot for Schools campaign and select a specific primary school or select 'Schools in Need'.

2

Shop in store across Asda and George, or online at Asda.com

Asda will donate a percentage of your shop to your chosen school each time you shop and scan.

3

Asda does the rest

The money raised will be donated through Parentkind to schools to spend on what they need most. This won't affect your own Cashpot earn.

Once opted in and selected a school, we will add £1 to your chosen schools Cashpot to help get them started.

Each school will get an additional £50 added to their Cashpot, after at least one customer has shopped and scanned their Rewards app.

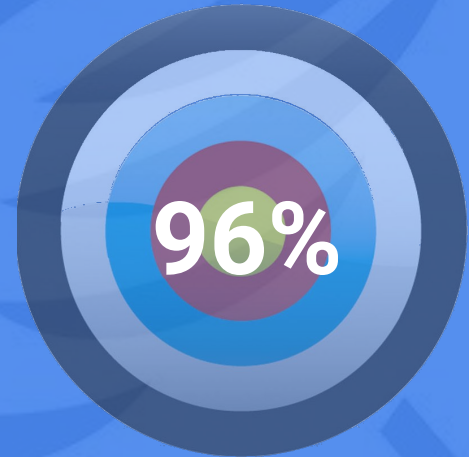




Whole school attendance this week 94.3%

Current overall attendance 96.1%

This week's trend ↓1.8%



Attendance Reminders

If your child is sick please ring on the first day of absence by 9.00 a.m. and every other day thereafter. If you don't do this we will ring you as we are required to check on the welfare of our pupils. You must inform us of your child's symptoms.

[Is my child too ill for school? \(Government advice\)](#)

Evidence of all medical appointments must be provided.

If your child arrives after 9am (after registers close) this is recorded as an unauthorised session (unless evidence of a medical appointment has been provided).



House Points - Weekly



Bevan House
431
Stephenson House
286
Pankhurst House
580
Thompson House
375



Awards last week

Class R

Nicola

Theo

Conall

Class 1

Frankie

Atlanta

Felix

Class 2

Damian

Riley

Joshua

Awards last week

Class 3

Nevaeh

Tamara

Saanchi

Class 4

Jacob

Shivadha

Caroline

Class 5

Holly

Lucas

Brian

Class 6

Charlotte D

Nadia

Riley



Holy Angels After school Club

If you require an After school club place for your child in Holy Angels Pre-school, it is important that you book them in prior to your child arriving at the pre-school door. After School club has a maximum number of children it can accept and there are occasions when it has been full and places are not available. Also, for your child's safety, it is important that Pre-school know to expect your child.

Further to the above, please let the school know if you have booked your child into After School club at Holy Angels Pre-school. Again, for their safety we need to know where the children are going at the end of each day.

School Meals

The cost of a school meal is currently £2.81.

All meals must be ordered by midnight the day before via ParentPay.

Please note that parents whose children are entitled to Free school meals or universal infant free school meals must also order their children's lunches in advance.

Nut free school!



Please be reminded that the school is a nut free zone.

Please check your child's packed lunch before sending it in. Children are not permitted to eat products containing nuts on the premises.

Nuts and peanuts can cause allergic reactions, which are sometimes severe, resulting in anaphylaxis. This can be life-threatening.

We insist on the school being a nut free zone to protect the children in our school who have this life threatening allergy.

Thank you for your understanding.

Library Opening



The library is open every day at hometime. Please feel free to pop in after school to choose books with your child.

We have books for sharing for younger children and the children's Accelerated Reader books.

Remember that research tells us that the more children read for pleasure the higher their academic attainment will be. [More information here!](#)

Upcoming Events

Monday 21st October	Parents evening Y5 only 3.30 - 6 by appointment
Tuesday 22nd October	Parents evening R,1,2,3,4,6 3.30 - 6 by appointment
Thursday 24th October	Parents evening All classes 3.30 - 6 by appointment
Friday 25th October	Celebration assembly 2.30 by invitation only



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