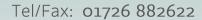
#### LADOCK CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL

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#### A note from Mr Stoyles

I hope this week has gone well for you all as we now reach the end of this half term. We look forward to hearing the upcoming announcement on the 22nd February and hope that scientific advice allows for the return of all children to school from the 8th March. It's great to hear that there seems to be an overarching priority around a return to school safely and feel that a two week window to communicate our plans seems a luxury. This week I have been looking in a little more detail at how many of our children are engaging with home learning. This is not to check up but to ensure we are doing all we can to support you at home. We have really good levels of engagement across the school and the staff are so pleased to see the work that is being uploaded and the effort that is being made. Home learning will be posted and restart on the 22nd February.

I'm sure that you can appreciate that our staff have worked incredibly hard this half term. We ask that you do not contact them during the holidays. However, if your child develops symptoms of Covid-19 within 48 hours of their last school day, please obtain a test. If this result is positive, please contact via email on enquiries@celticcross.education or by telephone on o1208590150 stating your child's name, class and school.

I wish all an enjoyable half term.

Click Here for information around the No One Goes Hungry Project

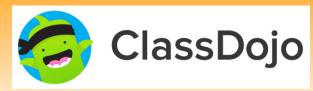


Click here for Remote Education Top Tips for Parents

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Loving, learning, achieving together
Forgiveness, Trust, Compassion, Perseverance, Respect & Truth.





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Using phonics cards to spell words—great words!



A Polar bear and the Hulk, good idea to use sticks!



Cooking up a feast over the camp fire!



An instruments that can be used to make a lot of noise!





Using cards instead of counters to help with maths.



Star challenge, now this is what I like to see, helping to clear up after dinner!



**Teaching Auntie how to** do decoupage

great 3D



On-line Ukulele les-

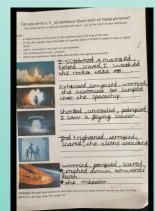
A super example of some different sentence types



This looks healthy!



What a yummy looking pancake planet!



Nutella chocolate cupcakes, I want one!!



Out getting some fresh air, after working hard!



Rocket style food, are those chocolate chips?!!



Different spelling techniques for literacy.

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Click Here

Primarily aimed for children in KS1, this website is well suited to help your child with their reading. The program begins by assessing your child's reading ability, provides fun and interactive tasks as well as offers over 2500 e-books in their online library. It is currently offering a free trial and credit/debit card information is not required on signup. Please see individual terms and conditions on the website.

# The Oxford Owl is a website with a large free e-book library.

Click Here



## Celtic Cross Education Initial Teacher Training School Direct Open Information Sessions

Have you thought about training to be a teacher?

Already have a degree or currently working on one and considering teaching for the future?

Want to stay local or within our Trust?

Then why not find out more about the School Direct process for teacher training offered by CCE in conjunction with Plymouth Marjon University.

Join us on one of our Open Information Sessions and find out what the process entails and what CCE can offer.

The sessions are on:

Monday 28th September 2020 - 3.30 - 4.30pm

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2020 – 5.00 – 6.00pm

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2020 – 10.30 – 11.30am

Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2020 – 6.30 – 7.30pm

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2021 - 3.30 - 4.30pm

Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2021 – 5.00 – 6.00pm

If you are interested in joining one of our Zoom Information sessions, please email:

ITT@celticcross.education

stating which session, you would like to join. We look forward to meeting you.

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#### **School Closure**

In the event of an emergency school closure due to adverse weather conditions such as snow, you will be contacted by text service, so please make sure we have the correct contact details for you and any other carer. Information will also be posted on Class Dojo, Ladock School web-site and local radio stations—Radio Cornwall, Pirate FM and Heart FM.

If a child arrives at school, parents/carers will be informed as soon as possible and the pupil will be looked after until they are safely collected.

Should we need to close the school during the school day, messages will again go out on local radio stations and a text and Class Dojo message will be sent to all parents. Parents will be asked to collect their child as soon as possible, your child will be cared for until they are collected.

# **YOUNGMINDS**

Are you worried about your child's wellbeing? Are they feeling low, isolated, unmotivated? Maybe anxious or worried?

Young Minds are a charity who support the mental health of children and young people. They have created a useful 'Supporting Parents Help Finder' on their website. Parents who are concerned about the mental health of their children can answer six simple questions online; with the outcomes you submit, parents can find out how to support their child's mental health through helpful tips, blogs and specific guides. Find the help finder here: <a href="https://youngminds.org.uk/supporting-parents-helpfinder/">https://youngminds.org.uk/supporting-parents-helpfinder/</a>

Please also remember that support is available from school. You can contact Mr Stoyles or Mrs Milling on 01726 882622 who will be able to provide advice & guidance.

#### Please find a link below with some useful Online Working tips

https://drive.google.com/file/d/19HP9V4vPsjKdldj1WRQAaTRVPcDME0i6/view?usp=sharing

Please find below the support organisations available on the county website:

https://www.supportincornwall.org.uk/kb5/cornwall/directory/results.page

The following web-site is very helpful, you can put in your details and it tells you about any advice/support services in your area based on your circumstances.



## Supporting young people, and their families, with positive mental health.

We recognise that this time of national lockdown may be difficult for children and young people. How a child or young person reacts to being away from school, and their normal routine, may vary according to their age, understanding, their previous experience of lockdown and how they typically cope with stress. Addressing the mental health of your child, and those in your family, can be supported with some of the following resources:

- Public Health England have produced the following set of guidance for parents and carers:
  - https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-onsupporting-children-and-young-peoples-mental-health-and-wellbeing
- Every Mind Matters: A website that explores expert advice and practical tips to help you look after your mental health and wellbeing: https://www.nhs.uk/oneyou/every-mind-matters/

May we remind you that, if you have concerns about your child's wellbeing, or the wellbeing or safeguarding of another pupil, please contact the school immediately on 01726 882622 to speak to our Designated Safeguarding Leads – Mr Stoyles, Mrs Tringham or Mrs Milling.

### **Parents 4 Parents Cornwall**

Are you a parent/carer of a child with additional needs or disabilities?

Do you attend meetings with schools, health services and organisations?

Do you lack confidence in attending these on your own and wish you had someone who could go with you?

Parents 4 Parents Cornwall will accompany you to important meetings, empowering you to ask the questions about your child's needs whether at schools, health, care providers, short breaks, etc.

Parents are trained in

- Understanding and supporting your needs
- · Developing Education, Health and Care Plans
- Signposting

They are part of the Parent Carer Council for Cornwall, an independent organisation that enables parent carer voices to be heard through parent participation.

You can access Parents 4 Parents Cornwall and book a trained parent to accompany you to a meeting by calling 07591 019548

Please try to give at least 10 days notice of a meeting taking place where you require support. You must have all of the details of the meeting to hand.

You will receive a confirmation of who will be accompanying you and they will meet you at the location of your meeting.

Please note trained parent supporters cannot take you to the meetings and you will need to organise your own transport.

To book support contact 07591 019548 infoparentcarercornwall@gmail.com

