

LADOCK CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL

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A Note from Mr Stoyles

Welcome back! I hope that you all had a brilliant summer holiday with lots of fun activities to enjoy. The children have all settled well into their classrooms and continue to be enjoying their learning in school.

I'm sure that you will have seen the building work completed across the holidays to Keyne classroom. It has been further insulated with a refreshed exterior wooden cladded finish. A special thank you to Gary (our site supervisor), who made this one of his summer projects. In the coming weeks, the classroom will also have new windows and a fire door fitted.



The children have now returned to school with fewer restrictions than when they left for the summer holidays. They continue to have their lunch in class groups but their outside play is mixed within their Key Stage due to the removal of 'class bubbles.' We are aware that cases are still high across the county of Cornwall, and understand that it has been moved to an 'Enhanced Response Area.' - more information can be found [here](#).

[Please Click Here to see our School Operation Guide](#)

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Of course, one of the biggest changes is the removal of our staggered start and finish times. Although this worked well easing traffic flow, it had implications on the children's learning time as a whole class. I will always be so grateful for the additional hours voluntarily given by our staff during this time. Please continue to email your comments around operational procedures as this really helps during review. With changes in rules around positive cases and isolation periods, please see our '[Covid Contingency Plan](#).' This will help us if we are instructed to alter school plans and we hope it may help you if have any questions around positive cases.

[Covid Contingency Plan—Ladock School](#)

We are delighted to open the booking period for our after school enrichment clubs starting next week. These will run from the end of the school day at 3:10pm until 4:15pm where children should be picked up from the main school car park. Maximum capacities will be only be considered if bookings exceed supervision numbers. Booking through the online form below secures your child/children's place for every session until the beginning of half term. Children should wear PE kits to school if they are attending a sports based enrichment club.

Enrichment After School Clubs (Autumn 1)				
Day	Club	Adult	Available to	Booking Link
Monday	One & All Sports	Mr Webb	KS1 (including reception + nursery)	Click Here
Tuesday	Cross Country for keen runners	Mrs Denning	KS1/KS2 (not including nursery)	
Wednesday	Staff Meeting Day			
Thursday	The Reading Club	Miss Green	KS2	
Friday	Team Games	Mr Webb	KS2	

We are delighted to welcome Mrs Whitelegg to our school who will be completing her teacher training through the school direct route. This will be Mrs Whitelegg's main placement school where she will be based in Ladoca class with her mentor Mrs Tringham. Sadly, we have to announce that Miss Morcom will be leaving the team at the end of September. She has always been such a loyal and dedicated member of the school. We wish her every success as she moves to a senior role in her second job, but are delighted that she remains eager to volunteer in the

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at school in the future. After relocating and settling in Cornwall, Miss Rideout has now moved into a secondary school post. We wish her every success in her new role.

We are delighted to restart our weekly collective worships as a whole school in Ladock church. These will begin from next Friday, where all children will gather to celebrate our stars of the week and special mentions. As we have recently had a few technical problems in the church, and want this weekly worship to be as special as it can be, we will be having a 'trial run' next week before inviting parents the following week—Friday 24th September. Award winners will be posted on ClassDojo on Thursdays; we would be delighted to hand out any certificates/awards gained outside of school.

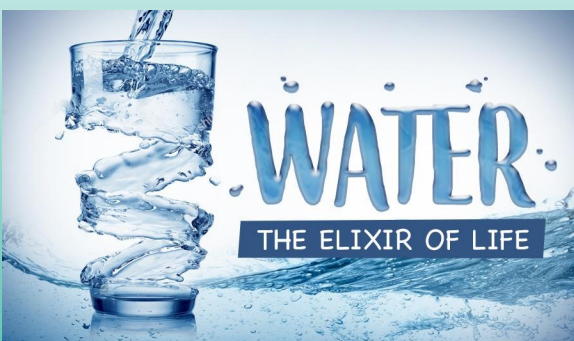
Spirituality Vision Day—Monday 13th September

Our next school vision day will take place on Monday with the theme of water. Children will be in mixed groups and carousel around different staff led activities throughout the day including:

- Collective Worship
- Yoga & Mindfulness - guided meditation
- Prayer
- The Water Well nature walk
- Music—sound based painting
- Art—awe and wonder (waterfalls)
- Drama—empathy acting












Please send your child to school in PE kit with a school jumper/cardigan.

They may wish to bring a pair of welly boots.



Healthy Break Time Snacks

At Ladock, we're eager to promote healthy break time snack eating. Please see our break time snack ideas below.

Good ideas	Bad ideas
<p>Fruit and vegetables</p>  <p>A small extra sandwich</p> 	<p>These are NOT healthy snacks and should be enjoyed in moderation as part of a balanced diet, but NOT as break time snacks:</p> <p>Fruit winders etc</p> <p>These dried fruit type snacks have a high sugar content and can stick to teeth so are not advised for snacking between meals.</p> 
<p>Cheese and crackers or yoghurt (be careful of sugar content in some brands)</p> 	<p>Crisps</p> 
<p>Bread sticks, pretzels or bread/pita bread</p> 	<p>Treat bars</p>  <p>Cereal bars</p> 
<p>Rice cakes or plain popcorn</p> 	<p>Chocolate biscuits</p> 
	<p>Pastries or cakes</p> 

Please see information of our new topics in school next week via
ClassDojo.

Celtic Cross Education Initial Teacher Training School Direct

Open Information Sessions for 2022-2023

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:

Wednesday 29th September 2021 – 4.00 – 5.00pm

Tuesday 19th October 2021 – 5.00 – 6.00pm

Thursday 25th November 2021 – 4.00 – 5.00pm

Wednesday 8th December 2021 – 6.00 – 7.00pm

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

karen.holmes@celticcross.education

Ladock School **Vision** & Values

READING

You know that learning to love books and reading is one of the most important gifts you can give your children. Here are some top tips to help you and your child get the most out of sharing books and develop their love of reading.



1. Be a reading role model.

Make sure you read yourself and that your child sees you reading. It doesn't need to be a novel and it might not be a book BUT you need to talk about what you have read with your child.

2. Reading with or to your child every day

Spending 10 minutes a day reading to your child helps them develop social and emotional skills and become confident, happy learners. Little and often is more effective than a half an hour splurge.

3. Read from technology TOGETHER

Evidence has shown that reading from a tablet, laptop, mobile phone etc can be beneficial in engaging children in reading (particularly boys) BUT they need to do it alongside an adult. Using a device to find out information about something in their interest, to watch videos with the subtitles on or to read ebooks is effective when it is linked to other things your child is learning, and when it is balanced with other learning activities.



4. Have a family bookshelf

Keep all your books together and allow your child to organise the books in their own way, e.g. books from most favourite to least favourite, to group them based on author or what they are about. Keeping books together allows children to see that books and reading are important.

5. Ask and answer questions about what you are reading about

Reading words is important but talking about what they are reading and the pictures helps them look for meaning from what is on the page. Here are some questions to ask when reading together.

- What do you see on this page?
- How do you think the characters feel?
- What do you think is going to happen next?
- When you have finished, talk about how your child feels about the book:
- What did they like?
- What didn't they like?
- What can they remember about what happened?
- Who was their favourite character? Why?
- Link the story to their own experiences.

Dates for your Diary

INSET Days

2021-22

Monday 6th September 2021

Tuesday 7th September 2021

Monday 1st November 2021

Monday 25th July 2022

Tuesday 26th July 2022

[Click here](#)

to find Cornwall
Council term dates
and holidays.



Strings Demonstration

**CMST are hosting a wonderful
live demo to introduce the
string instrument family.**

Please join us at 2pm on Thursday 9th September as we
demonstrate the family of string instruments –
violins, viola, cello and double bass.

Each instrument will be introduced and we will play a
mix of musical items to entertain and inform. There will
be a live Q&A session following the demo.

To sign up and receive your link to the live stream
please email:

office@cornwallmusicservicetrust.org



Ladock School **Vision** & Values

Loving, learning, achieving together

Forgiveness, Trust, Compassion, Perseverance, Respect & Truth.

The
deadline for
applications is
**15 January
2022**

Starting school

September 2022

Applying for a place in a reception class for children born between 1 September 2017 and 31 August 2018

Attending a nursery or pre-school

You will need to apply even if your child attends a school's nursery or pre-school class. Please note that if a school is oversubscribed the fact that a child attends a school's nursery or pre-school, or a local nursery or pre-school, does not automatically guarantee a place at that school. The school's oversubscription criteria will be used to allocate places. Visit our website or contact us for more information.

Information and guidance

Website and application form: www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions

Email: schooladmissions@cornwall.gov.uk

Post: **School Admissions Team, County Hall, Truro, TR1 3AY**

Telephone: **0300 1234 101**

Need help with your application?

Contact the Family Information Service on **0800 587 8191**



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The
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applications is
**31 October
2021**

Transfer to secondary school

September 2022

Applying for a place in year seven at a secondary school

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Applying for a **secondary school** place for **September 2022**

Special Educational Needs

If an Education, Health and Care (EHC) Plan has been issued for your child you do not need to complete an application form. Please contact the Statutory SEN Service for more information: Tel: **01872 324242** Email: **statutorysen@cornwall.gov.uk**

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Decide on your preferred schools

You are strongly advised to name **three** preferences on the application form. Naming a second or third preference does not give you any less chance of getting a place at your preferred school. When making your decision you should...

...think about how your child will get to school. Go to **www.cornwall.gov.uk/schooltransport** for more information on whether your child would be entitled to transport to school.

...look at the **admission arrangements** on our website that will be used to allocate places for each school.

...consider naming your **nearest or designated school** as one of your preferences. You can find your nearest or designated school on our website.

...look at the detailed **admissions information** on our website, also available on request.

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Submit your application by **31 October 2021**

Apply online at **www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions**

3

Wait to find out which school you have been allocated

If you applied on time you will be notified of your allocation on **National Offer Day: 1 March 2022**. **Apply on time!** Late applications will only be dealt with after National Offer Day and there may not be any places left at your preferred schools.



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Cornwall

ARE YOUR KIDS TAKING THEIR NEXT STEPS?

Is now the right time to take
your own steps for the future?

We will help you take the next steps!

- ♥ Build your confidence and skills
- ♥ Plan your work and life goals
- ♥ Connect with people in your community
- ♥ Job search, CVs and interview
- ♥ Meet positive employers
- ♥ Work trials and tasters.

Whatever support you need, we'll be here every step of the way.

To find out more please contact Harriet:

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hwc@pluss.org.uk

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The ME within WE: Your time is here! Workshop

Dates: 30 Sept, 7 Oct, 14 Oct
Time: 10.30am - 12

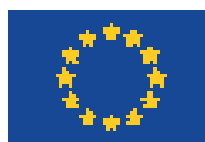
Parents! Time flies when your little ones grow every day. Join our **FREE** online workshop to think about what's next for the **YOU** part of **WE**.

As they start to take independent steps in the world, sketch out your next chapter, reflect and address what change means for you.

This first step on a path to new adventures for you and your family will be led by the inspirational Julie Thompson; with ongoing support to achieve your life and work goals from your local Pluss Health Works for Cornwall team.

To book your **FREE** place, please email HWC@pluss.org.uk or call **07546 412325 / 07751 095395**

Please book early as places are limited (up to 12 per workshop)



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Ladock Church

Children's Sunday Club

Resuming on Sunday 23rd May!

11am



Please join us every 4th Sunday of the month for exciting activities, arts and crafts, games, bible stories and lots of fun in a Covid safe environment.

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