

Weekly Newsletter

06/02/26



This Week in school

Dear Parents and carers,

On Monday Wynstream had two sporting events.

Firstly, some Year 2 children visited the Exeter City Training ground with Mrs Wisdish for a day of chilly but enjoyable sports. The children represented the school brilliantly, showing both the school values and being 'Ready, Respectful and Safe' even when other teams forgot to!

After school, children from Year 5 and Year 6 represented the school at the Exeter Primary Football League.

Mr Fricker comments, "Well done to our other Year 5/6 boys' football team, who played three league games last night and came away unbeaten — winning one and drawing two. A fantastic achievement and a big congratulations to all the boys involved. Goal scorers:



Freddie – 1 and Elyon – 1"

Thanks to Lynn Mills for driving during the day yet again and to Christian Daly for driving after school. It is very much appreciated!

On Monday our 'Green Team' started working on improving our recycling in the lunch hall.



Ms Vickery comments, "Great to see the ever-growing Green Team in action today. Today they interviewed Sharon who works in the school kitchen about correct bin use in the school canteen. Then they got straight to work labelling bins and advising children where their waste needed to go. They also set up a plastics recycling bin.

After this they checked all the bins in the school were clearly labelled so children

knew what to put where. All great steps to more efficient recycling and reducing the school's carbon footprint.

On Wednesday afternoon, Reception had some more visitors from Exeter University's Hong Kong Volunteer Society. They are teaching children about their home culture and how to make origami.







Also, our steering group has been busy working on our Right to Play and our right for a voice.

We will be observing playtime's and making sure everyone feels included.

On Thursday afternoon we had a visit to Year 2 from Peninsula Dentist who shared about the importance of teeth brushing. Mrs Wisdish added:

Yesterday a local dental nurse visited the year 2s to talk about tooth hygiene. She shared how we can best look after our teeth and some of the dos and don'ts around this. The children watched a short video which had some key take home messages for the children which were:

-  brush your teeth twice a day
-  use a pea sized amount of fluoride toothpaste
-  visit your dentist every six months
-  brush your teeth for two minutes, not forgetting your tongue!



The children all got their own tooth brushing pack to take home too!

On Thursday Mrs Wisdish led an assembly with our School Council. The children spoke about all the things they have changed already in school and welcome any further change.

On Friday we had a group of children from Year 5 and 6 represent the school at two football matches at Exeter School. We will share the results next week in the newsletter or watch Dojo for an update!



Eat with your family!

Next Week, Eat with your family!

We're inviting Year 1 parents/carers to join us for lunch Week commencing 9th February. Lunch will begin around 11:45 am (some classes may be slightly later).

- Cost: £3.50 per meal (payable via the school office or ParentPay)
 - Places: Limited to 10 guests, first come, first served
 - Sign-up: [Eat with your Year 1 child- Feb 26 Monday 9th Feb- Friday 13th Feb – Fill in form](#)
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Attendance

Attendance Update

Some classes have begun the year with outstanding attendance. Kestrels had an incredible 97.7% attendance for January. Followed closely by Hedgehogs at 97.2%, who will win it for February?

Unless unwell we need every child at school every single day at 8:25 ready to learn.

Additional Information



'10 a day' choices towards balancing our mental health



Next week is Children's Mental Health Week. You may want to look at this site as there are useful tips for families to support children's mental health.

[Place2Be's Children's Mental Health Week - Official site](#)

We are lucky enough to have the Mental Health Support Team in school every week working with children.

Please speak to your child's class teacher if you feel that your child would benefit from support.

Thank you so much to all the parents, carers and staff who have volunteered to help at the disco next week. Without your support, we cannot do these events.

It is crucial that children attend school, even if a little tired, the day after the disco. If they do not, they may not be able to attend future discos.

Thank you for your support.

We hope that you have a lovely weekend and we look forward to seeing you back in school on Monday at 8:25



Best wishes,

Elise Redman

CORNWALL & DEVON
School Age Immunisation Service
Provided by Kernow Health CIC

NHS

Flu Vaccination

School Age Reception - Year 11

Drop In Clinic

Complete your consent form here

Saturday 7th February 2026
11:00 - 13:00
Riverside Community Centre
Station Road
Bovey Tracey
TQ13 9AW

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