

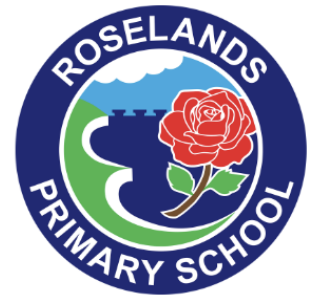
Roselands Primary School Weekly Newsletter

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Message from Mr Brown

As we continue through an exciting and productive term, I'm delighted to share with you the latest updates and highlights across our school. This reflects the vibrant, collaborative spirit that makes our school such a special place. Thank you for your ongoing support in ensuring every child thrives - we couldn't do it without you!



On Monday, our governors visited with a focus on children with Special Educational Needs. The governors saw the changes put in place in our Cove and spent time talking to our SEN children about their learning, how they keep safe and how they are supported in class. The feedback was very positive and very useful to the Senior Leadership Team moving forward.



As the colder weather sets in, we kindly remind you to ensure your child comes to school with a warm coat each day. Outdoor play is an important part of our routine, and we want everyone to stay cosy while enjoying the fresh air. Hats, scarves, and gloves are also welcome for those frosty mornings! Thank you for helping us keep your children warm and ready for winter adventures.

I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Mr Brown

Boccia Champions

A huge congratulations to our Boccia teams who brought home the trophy following a fierce competition against Oldway and Shiphay. A massive thank you to Mrs Dark and Mrs Gendall for their enthusiasm and supporting the children.



Community morning

On Wednesday, we held our half-termly coffee morning with different members of our local community. The theme was Christmas crafts with all children and members of the community having a wonderful time. Thank you to Mrs Chapman for organising.



School council residential

On Tuesday, our school council members went to Slapton as part of their team building training. The children lit fires, built dens and created artwork on the beach as part of their day.



Girl football results!

Our girls played their first league matches of the new season. Despite dominating the match, the girls lost 2-0 against Oldway and were then held by Curledge Street 0-0.



Next up we have the year 3 and 4 football team playing on Monday.

Parent Survey Results

Thank you to those of you who spent time to answer our parent questionnaire. It was lovely to read such positive feedback including 100% of children being happy at school. There were a couple of parents who indicated they were unhappy about specific concerns about their child - if you feel these haven't been resolved, please come and speak to a member of our Senior Leadership Team.

Indoor athletics

On Thursday, Sapphire class attended the indoor athletics festival. They represented the school superbly and had lots of fun in the range of different events.



Attendance

Please see the weekly attendance % below:

Y	15.11.0.24 - 21.11.2024					
R	Amethyst	95	Aqua	92		
1/2	Diamond	94	Emerald	96	Garnet	88
3/4	Opal	93	Pearl	94	Peridot	97
5	Ruby	95	Sapphire	93		
6	Tanzanite	93	Topaz	96		
Days off school add up to lost learning			Whole school			94
			School year to date			95

Weekly house points

House	This week	Overall total
Broadsands	288	1925
Goodrington	249	1990
Hollicombe	223	1955
Elberry	258	1907

Amazon Wish list

A massive thank you to those of you who have again purchased books from our Amazon Wishlist. If you would like to purchase a book for school, please use the following link to see our list:

[AMAZON BOOK WISH LIST LINK](#)



Cost of living

[This link](#) provides information about what is on offer in Torbay to help with the cost of living.

Household Support Fund

If your child is entitled to Free School meals you should have received an email about your vouchers. Please bear in mind that Torbay council can give further funds for heating and meal provision to those in need. [Click here for further information.](#)

Dates for 2024-25

Autumn	Spring	Summer
<p>November 25th - Year 5/6 insight day 26th - Year 3/4 bikeability 29th - Bags to School</p> <p>December w/c 2nd - Year 5/6 bikeability 4th - 10am and 2pm - EYFS Nativity 5th & 6th - Year 3/4 lifeskills 10th - 2pm - KS1 Christmas performance 12th - 2pm and 5pm - KS1 Christmas performance 13th - Christmas panto 16th - KS1 performing at Asda (10-11:30) 17th - 5pm - KS2 Carol Concert 18th - Christmas day at Roselands (Elberry house day) 19th - 5pm - Backup KS2 Carol Concert 20th - Last day before Christmas break</p>	<p>January 6th - Non-pupil day 7th - Spring term begins 9th - KS1 at Kents Cavern 10th - KS1 at Kents Cavern 13th - Bedtime stories 5:00 - 6:00 pm 14th - Year 3/4 insight 16th - Spring census 29th - Young voices</p> <p>February 6th - KS1 insight morning 7th - Numbers day 7th - Mid-term Reports to parents 11th - Safer internet day 12th and 13th - Parents evenings 14th - Broadsands house day 14th - Last day before half term 24th - New half term begins TBC w/c 24th - Y5 swimming</p> <p>March 6th - World book day 14th - Science Day 20th - Bags to School 21st - Hollicombe house day w/c 25th - Year 5 residential</p>	<p>April 4th - EYFS Insight morning 4th - Last day of term 21st - Easter Monday 22nd - Summer term begins 24th - Year 1 forest schools begin (for 5 weeks)</p> <p>May 5th - Bank Holiday w/c 12th - KS2 SATS week 16th - Break the rules day (PSA event) w/c 19th - Year 6 Activities week 24th - Last day before half term</p> <p>June 2nd - Non pupil day 3rd - New half term begins w/c 3rd&10th - Year 4 multiplication check 6th - class/year photos w/c 9th - Phonics screening for year 1 w/c 9th - Performing Arts performances - times TBC 20th - Roselands Big Bash (PSA event) 24th - Sports day (EYFS and KS1 am/ KS2 pm) 26th - Sports day reserve</p> <p>July TBC 3rd - Class swap - transition day (including new rec) 11th - Goodrington house day 14th - End of year reports to parents 16th - Open evening w/c 17th - 22nd - Arts events 23rd - Year 6 leavers assembly 24th - Last day before Summer break 25th - Non-pupil day</p>