

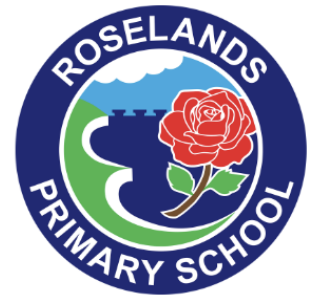
Roselands Primary School Weekly Newsletter

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Message from Mr Brown

This is a bumper edition of the newsletter with so much going on across the school. It has been great having the sun shining and the children enjoying the huge range of opportunities on offer throughout the week. It is certainly weeks like this that make me know how much I'm going to miss being at Roselands.



Clubs are in full swing now and it's great to see the range of opportunities available at lunchtimes with the new equipment and zones working well to give children a fun lunchtime experience.



Can I kindly remind all students and parents to ensure that school uniforms are worn correctly and in line with our school policy? Uniforms help promote a sense of pride, equality, and discipline. Please check that all items, including shoes, meet the required standards. We have also noticed some accessories being worn that are not part of the uniform and should not be brought into school. For full details of our uniform policy, please visit <https://www.roselandsprimary.org.uk/school-uniform/>.

Thank you for your support in maintaining our high standards!

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Mr Brown

World Book Day

We have had a wonderful world book day. All children and adults took part in a costume parade, wrote a whole school collaborative story, a teacher story swap, a whole school book swap, story time with their paired class and other activities throughout the day.

Thank you to Mrs Pook and Mrs Bastock for organising the day!



Welly Wandering

Key Stage One had a fantastic time during their welly wandering activity on Monday. The children enjoyed completing their nature scavenger hunt and collecting things to make nature suncatchers in the afternoon.



Parking

Please be mindful when driving and parking around the school during drop-off and pick-up times. Ensure you:

- Park legally and considerately
- Avoid blocking driveways or crossings
- Drive slowly and be aware of children
- Use designated drop-off zones where available

Your cooperation helps keep all our children safe. Thank you!

Climate and Flood Control Workshops

On Tuesday, year 5 had a fantastic day attending workshops by the Seal Project, the Coastal Conservation Team and the West Country Rivers Team on the theme of climate and flooding. A big thank you to everyone from Torbay Communities for organising the opportunity for our children.



Attendance

Please see the weekly attendance % below:

R	Amethyst	95	Aqua	91		
1/2	Diamond	97	Emerald	97	Garnet	98
3/4	Opal	98	Pearl	98	Peridot	95
5	Ruby	95	Sapphire	96		
6	Tanzanite	88	Topaz	95		
Days off school add up to lost learning				School year to date 95.3%		

Netball Tournament

On Monday, our year 4 girls went to PCSA for a netball festival where they competed against children from schools across Torbay. Miss Mortlock and Mrs Gendall were very impressed with the skill level and performances of the children as well as the outstanding attitude and



Music Success

Well done to Tabitha for earning medals for Musical Theatre at Exeter Dance Festival during half-term and singing in the Torbay Music Festival last weekend.



Weekly house points

House	This week	Overall total
Broadsands	223	5199
Goodrington	234	5366
Hollicombe	218	5310
Elberry	230	5216

Football Qualification

Our boys' year 5 and 6 football team qualified for football finals night in second place after three dramatic matches on Monday after school. A comfortable 3-0 victory over White Rock was followed by a controversial 2-1 defeat against Collaton St. Mary. Having already now qualified, the boys beat Curledge Street in their final game which sets up a semi-final against Oldway at football finals night on Thursday 8th May.



	Team	W	D	L	Points
1	Collaton St Mary	5	2	0	17
2	Roselands	5	1	1	16
3	Oldway	4	3	0	15
4	Kings Ash	4	0	3	12
5	CSA	2	3	2	9
6	Oldway 'B'	2	2	3	8
7	Whiterock	1	0	6	3
8	Kings Ash 'B'	0	0	7	0

[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 2025

Spring	Summer	
March 14th - Science Day 20th - Bags to School 21st - Hollicombe house day w/c 31st - Year 5 residential	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) 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	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 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