

# Roselands Primary School Weekly Newsletter

## Friday 28th February 2025

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### Message from Mr Brown

It has been a positive and engaging week in school, with children across all year groups immersing themselves in our 'Healthy Me' units of learning. Following my assembly, pupils have been exploring different aspects of health and well-being, from making positive choices to understanding how to keep their bodies and minds healthy. It's been wonderful to see their enthusiasm and engagement in these important lessons.



This half term is shaping up to be an exciting one, with a fantastic range of events taking place each week. From Insight Mornings to sports festivals, there is so much to look forward to. Our Year 5 pupils are also eagerly anticipating their residential trip—a wonderful opportunity for adventure, independence, and creating lasting memories.



Thank you for your continued support—we look forward to sharing these experiences with you and celebrating the children's achievements together. Have a lovely weekend.

Mr Brown

### Eden Project Visit

Today, our year 3 and 4 children visited the Eden Project in Cornwall as part of their current learning. The children visited the Mediterranean and Rainforest Biomes whilst also taking part in workshops. The children had a great time.



## New staff

We have welcomed new members of staff to support children across the school. Katie Atkins is now working in Amethyst class supporting learning but also assisting with reading in Key Stage 1. Anya Knight and Francesca Waugh also join Roselands supporting children in Garnet and Pearl respectively. Lynnise Aze also joins our meal time assistant team. Welcome to Roselands!

## Torbay Music Festival

Ahaan and Joshvik participated in the Torbay music festival. Ahaan has won a bronze medal for his category. It was Joshvik's first ever concert at a completion level and he performed very confidently. Well done boys!



## Attendance

Please see the weekly attendance % below:

R	Amethyst	95	Aqua	91		
1/2	Diamond	97	Emerald	96	Garnet	97
3/4	Opal	99	Pearl	96	Peridot	96
5	Ruby	95	Sapphire	97		
6	Tanzanite	93	Topaz	98		
<b>Days off school add up to lost learning</b>			<b>School year to date 95.2%</b>			

## Glow in the Dark Dodgeball

On Monday, we held our first ever glow in the dark dodgeball event which was organised by Mrs Wearing, Sporty Stars and our PTA. The children had a great time taking part in all of the games where all of the profits made will go towards new play equipment for the school.



## Broadsands House Day

Well done to Lily, Benjamin and everyone for supporting Broadsands house day which raised £523 before half term.



## Weekly house points

House	This week	Overall total
Broadsands	263	4976
Goodrington	294	5132
Hollicombe	280	5092
Elberry	261	4986

## 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

Spring	Summer	
<b>March</b> 6th - World book day 14th - Science Day 20th - Bags to School 21st - Hollicombe house day w/c 31st - Year 5 residential	<b>April</b> 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)  <b>May</b> 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	<b>June</b> 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  <b>July</b> 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