

17<sup>th</sup> May 2024

**Delabole Primary School End of Term Round Up  
May 2024**  
See this and more on our school website [www.delaboleschool.org](http://www.delaboleschool.org)



Dear Parents and Carers,

I cannot believe we are approaching the last week of another busy half term and that we will be breaking up next Friday. I just wanted to write with a termly round up and some key dates for your diaries.

The children have loved the Enquiry this half term around Creativity and there has been lots of learning both inside and out to help bring their learning experiences to life. There are more opportunities coming up next half term, including a Class 3 and 4 surfing, residential and Healthy Active Living Week. The summer term is always packed full of exciting plans. There will be letters sent to relevant classes next term.

On Friday we will be saying goodbye to Miss Morse who will be temporarily leaving us to have her baby. I know you will join me in wishing her well and we will be sure to share her exciting news with you all on the safe arrival of her little boy. The transition process is already in full swing as we have welcomed Miss Smale to the tribe who is taking on the teaching role in Class 2.



### **Y6 Residential**

When we return after the half term break, many of our Y6 children will be representing our Tribe on a residential trip to London. We know they will make some wonderful memories and we are looking forward to hearing all about it. For Year 6 parents, just a reminder that there is a meeting to share the itinerary etc for you on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May straight before the SJS meeting in the hall. We hope to see you there.

### **Uniform**

If you have any items of uniform in good condition that your child has grown out of, we would be happy to take these off your hands to run a second-hand uniform shop each half term. Please note we can only accept items that are washed and in good condition. Please give any donations to the office. If you are in need of any items, please come and see what we have on offer. Our school does have a school uniform policy and children are expected to wear this every day. Black shoes are required and not colourful trainers please.

## Sex and Relationships Education

Sex and Relationships Education (SRE) is a compulsory aspect of the curriculum and will be taught next half term. There are very specific objectives taught to particular age groups and so children are taught this subject by year group and not class to ensure the learning is age appropriate. Your child's class teacher will be sending a letter out soon that outlines the objectives that we are required to deliver. Any questions or queries, please speak to your child's teacher in the first instance.



## Deli Farm Run

It is that time of year again where we are organising the annual Deli Farm Run that has been going for many, many years. This year it is being held on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May. Please do come along and support this event. We are grateful to the FODS team who are organising a cake stall to help raise funds for the school. This year, we are low on marshals due to some members of Camelford Running Club taking part in an event. If any parents or family members can help with this, I would be very grateful. Please can you let Mrs Chapman know in the office. We rely on the community to help up put these events together and it wouldn't be possible without an army of volunteers. Thank you to all the staff who will be coming along to help.

## Household Support Fund Changes

**The entitlement criteria for automatic payments from the Household Support Fund is changing. If you have any questions regarding the changes, please DO NOT contact the school. You will need to contact Cornwall Council direct.**

In order to be entitled to a payment from the Household Support Fund scheme in 2024, you must be responsible for at least one child and on 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2024 either:

- be entitled to Council Tax Support or
- have been placed in emergency accommodation by the Council

You will receive £80 per child. If you are already in receipt of Council Tax Support, then you don't have to do anything else – you will receive your payment automatically.

To find out if you are eligible for Council Tax Support, please check the information here <https://www.gov.uk/benefits-calculators> .

You can make a claim for Council Tax Support by using this link <https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/benefits-and-support/council-tax-support/apply-for-council-tax-support/>

**It is important that you submit your application by 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024.**

You may also be entitled to help from the Household Support Fund via one of the Household Support Fund partners. Their details can be found here <https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/benefits-and-support/household-support-fund/>

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### **Year 6 SATs**

We are so proud of these magnificent children. We are proud everyday of your achievements but this last week whilst completing your SATs we could not have been prouder! You have shown resilience and focus, and we hope you have a fabulous picnic this afternoon!!



We wish all our families a restful half term and hope the sun shines. We look forward to welcoming you back into school on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June.

Kind regards,  
Lou Kirkman

### **Key dates**

<b>Summer Term</b>	
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	Class 3 Polzeath visit
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May 2.30 pm	London Residential Parent Meeting
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May 3 pm – 4 pm	Year 6 SJS Parent Meeting
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Primary School Swimming Gala
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Last day of Summer 1 Term
Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup> May	Deli Farm Run
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	First day of Summer 2 Term
Tues 4 <sup>th</sup> to Fri 7 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 London Residential
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Class and Year Group photos
W/c 17 <sup>th</sup> June	Healthy Active Living Week
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> June	Classes 3 & 4 Surf Day @ Polzeath
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Day
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup> to Weds 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 4/5 Bristol Residential
W/c 8 <sup>th</sup> July	After School Clubs finish this week
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July 10.30 am	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Last day of Summer 2 Term