



## NEWSLETTER - 7th February 2025

### Headteacher News

I seem to have spent quite a bit of time with the Infants this week and I have observed a really brilliant Reading Culture ! Children are very enthusiastic about their reading and I am meeting a great number of children who are proud to read over 100 times. Across the whole school, we are really proud of our reading culture so well done to everyone. Our worship theme this week has been looking at difference. We have been looking at the idea of mutual respect and next week we will be exploring the idea of diversity.

In other news, Pilgrim Pete visited our school on Thursday to help us celebrate National Story Telling week.

### Office News

#### Dates for your diary

Who	What	When
Whole School	Parent's Evening	12th & 13th February
Whole School	Last Day of Term	Friday 14th February
Whole School	First Day Back	Monday 24th February
2LF	Saltram House Trip	Monday 3rd March
2DP	Saltram House Trip	Wednesday 5th February
Year 2	Aquarium Trip	Monday 10th March

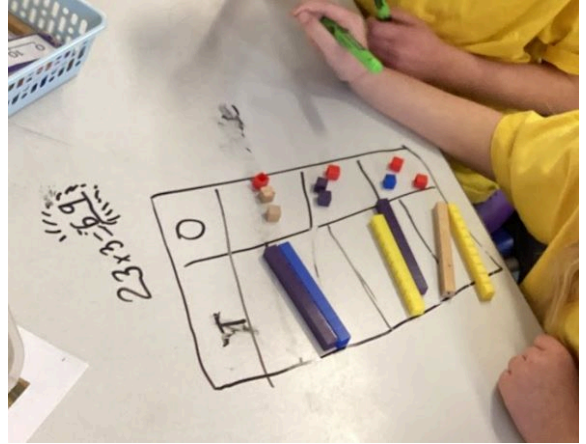
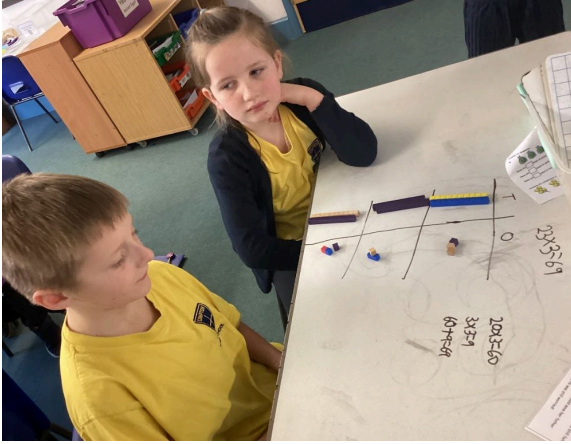
### Year Group News

### Year 3

Year 3 have really got their teeth into multiplication, division, length and perimeter in maths this term, using many practical resources to secure their knowledge ready for a more formal method of multiplication and division in Year 4.

Last term, the Year 3 team was blown away by the learning that had taken place at home and was expertly showcased in the final week. Wow, wow, wow! We can't wait to see what you have been up to at home for this term.

COMING SOON - Year 3, keep your eyes peeled for a new 'books and biscuits club' starting after half-term!'



### PE & Sport News

**COMPTON**  
Church of England Primary School

**Congratulations!**

**Compton CofE Primary**

Took part in the PSSP Indoor Rowing programme and achieved a distance of 32,501m or 20.1miles!

This is the same as rowing from Compton to Looe!

**2025**

**Plymouth School Sports Partnership**

Map showing route from Compton to Looe:  
Compton to Looe: 38 min, 19.4 miles  
Compton to Plymouth: 37 min, 20.1 miles



Today the children in Y1 took part in a live lesson via Zoom with the Royal Ballet and Opera. The children were very excited and listened carefully. We were pleased to have been given this opportunity to participate in such a great experience.

## HALF TERM SPORTS CLUBS



**Compton Primary School**  
Monday 17th - Thursday 20th February  
Multi Sports  
Friday 21st February  
Dodgeball Madness

Price: £20  
per child, per day

Is your child crazy about sport? Book one of our sports parties!



Book online directly at:  
[www.districtsportsplymouth.org](http://www.districtsportsplymouth.org)

**Manadon Vale Primary**  
Tuesday 18th - Wednesday 19th February  
Multi Sports  
Thursday 20th February  
Dodgeball Madness

If you would like to pay using childcare vouchers or Tax-Free childcare and you need our details then please contact us.  
**PLEASE NOTE** this is available at Compton School only.



**TO BOOK A PLACE OR ASK ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE GO TO [WWW.DISTRICTSPORTSPLYMOUTH.ORG](http://WWW.DISTRICTSPORTSPLYMOUTH.ORG) OR CALL LEWIS ON 07854 608965 FOR MORE INFORMATION.**




### DAILY STRUCTURE...

- 08.45 - 09.00: REGISTRATION**
- 09.00 - 09.30: WELCOME & INTRODUCTION**
- 09.30 - 10.00: WARM-UP GAMES**
- 10.00 - 11.00: ACTIVITY 1**
- 11.00 - 11.15: BREAK**
- 11.15 - 12.15: ACTIVITY 2**
- 12.15 - 13.00: LUNCH**
- 13.00 - 13.30: CHILDRENS CHOICE**
- 13.30 - 14.15: ACTIVITY 3**
- 14.15 - 14.30: BREAK**
- 14.30 - 15.15: ACTIVITY 4**



### WHAT YOU WILL NEED...

- A large packed lunch with a few extra snacks
- A large drink that can be re filled
- Suitable clothing for indoor/outdoor activities
- And lots of energy



### WHAT WE PROVIDE...

- A Safe, fun, active environment
- All of the team are fully insured and DBS checked with child protection and emergency



## School Association

Just wanted to say a huge thank you to all of you who supported our disco last night. It looked like a big success. And, of course, a special shout out to all the staff and volunteers who gave up their time to make it happen!

Don't forget, we have our event planning meeting taking place at school at **7.30 pm on Monday 10th February**. We'd love to see you there.

## Community News



## Children, Young Person and Families' Neurodiversity Wellbeing Team

A casual meet up for parents and carers of neurodivergent children (no diagnosis required). Come along and meet our Community Support Workers and have a cuppa and a chat. No need to book, just turn up - and your little ones are more than welcome!



### Coffee & Connect - sessions start Monday 7 October

Mondays, 9-10.30am  
Rees Centre Wellbeing  
Hub, Plympton  
PL7 2PS

Weds, 9.15-10.45am  
DELL Emerging Family  
Hub, High View School,  
Efford PL3 6JQ

Weds, 1-2.30pm  
Manor Street Children's  
Centre, Stonehouse,  
PL1 1TL

Thursdays, 1-2.30pm  
Four Woods Family  
Hub, Crownhill Road,  
PL5 2LN

For further information please contact our advice line  
Monday to Friday from 09.00-11.00 or 14.00-16.00

Tel: 01752 435404

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## Children and Young People's Neurodiversity Wellbeing Team

A confidential, free advice line available to all children, young people and their families who are on the Neurodiversity Pathway within Plymouth.

### What we offer

Advice and support including:

- Sleep
- Diet
- Anxiety
- School difficulties
- Friendships
- Positive support strategies

### Contact us

Please call 01752 435404  
Monday to Friday  
9 - 11am and 2 - 4pm



Please complete our questionnaire using the QR code provided.

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**Wedofootball  
Half Term  
Holiday Coaching Clubs**

**Torr Bridge High School**

**Wednesday 19th February  
Friday 21st February**

**Ages 5 to 14**

**10am till 3pm**

**Just £10 per child**

**Maximum fun, with no pressure and a safe learning environment.**

**Can all players please bring a packed lunch and drink, football boots and trainers. If you require any further information, contact: Joe Geraghty on 07795804127 or email [wedofootball1@gmail.com](mailto:wedofootball1@gmail.com).**

**Drop off from 09.15am no extra cost**



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Family Friendly at Plymouth Arts Cinema

# SPIRITED AWAY



Wednesday 19th February, 11am

Saturday 22nd February, 11am

**FREE drop-in colouring workshop  
from 10am on Saturday 22nd.**

➔ Relaxed, accessible and neurodiverse friendly ➔  
Babies are welcome  
➔ Cinema snacks and hot and cold drinks at the bar ➔  
Award-winning local independent cinema! ➔



At Arts University Plymouth, Tavistock Place, PL4 8AT  
info@plymouthartscinema.org | www.plymouthartscinema.org | 01752 206114





## **Wedofootball Half Term Holiday Coaching Clubs**

**Stoke Damerel Community  
College**

**Monday 17th February  
Tuesday 18th February  
Wednesday 19th February  
Thursday 20th February  
Friday 21st February**

**Ages 5 to 12**

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PLYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS  
PRESENTS



11, 12, 13 FEBRUARY 2025  
NEWMAN HALL, 7PM-8PM  
TICKETS: £10

[WWW.TICKETSOURCE.CO.UK/PLYMOUTHHIGH SCHOOLFORGIRLS](http://WWW.TICKETSOURCE.CO.UK/PLYMOUTHHIGH SCHOOLFORGIRLS)