



Crowan Primary School – Newsletter

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Testing for Parents, Households and Bubbles Twice a Week

Regular rapid testing is now also available for parents, their households and support or childcare bubbles. The government is encouraging all families to participate in twice weekly testing to help stop the spread of the Covid-19 virus. Parents and other adults in the household can access tests by:

- Ordering tests online www.gov.uk/order-school-household-tests
- Getting an assisted test at work, if it is available
- Attending a test site to get tested [where you will be able to see how to take the test] or pick up tests to do at home.

To find out more on school household testing visit

Households and bubbles of pupils, students and staff of schools and colleges: get rapid lateral flow tests - GOV.UK
www.gov.uk

See also the NHS Test and Trace information leaflet: **Parents with Children at Nurseries, Schools and Colleges – A Guide to Regular Rapid Covid-19 Testing.**

Help your child to read: We have decided to have a 30-day trial of the **'Reading Eggs' programme** to reinforce, support and extend the children's reading and phonetic knowledge. The programme is designed for 2 - 13 year olds and covers phonics, vocabulary, reading comprehension and fluency so there is something for everyone.

The children will each receive their own personal log-in and password. When they first log-in, the children will be asked to complete a task which will determine their starting level. They will get more from the programme if they complete this task independently to ensure that the programme is completely tailored to their needs.

The children are welcome to and encouraged to log-in as often as they wish at home, and the younger children will

also have access to this in school too. It can be used on tablets, phones or a laptop.

As this is only a 30-day trial, we would really welcome your feedback on the programme within the month, so we know whether it would be a useful resource going forward.

Thank you so much for your support with this.

After School Club – From after the Easter Holidays the After School Club will only operate on **Mondays** and **Tuesdays** unless we are able to fill the current vacancy for the Wednesday slot. If interested in the vacant position please see the advertisement on the Trust's website: www.southerlypoint.co

Red Nose Day – The children really enjoyed taking part in the assembly this afternoon and showing-off their crazy hair designs.

Many thanks for your donations to the charity today. Please find below a flavour of the jokes exchanged, just to get you in the mood for the Comic Relief programme tonight on tv.

Why did the skull win the race? Because he was a head!

What do you call a pig that does karate? A pork-chop!



Health & Safety - From Monday, Trenoweth Class will be dismissed from the rear playground at the end of the day.

When collecting at 3.30 pm, please make your way around the playground through the side gate (past Little Beebles and the hall). Miss Phillips will dismiss the children from the top of the ramp, by the red dots, which was where dismissal happened pre-COVID.

As before and as per our COVID protocols, please respect social distancing guidelines and then leave promptly once you have collected your child.

We are making this change in order to ensure that the children are as safe as possible when leaving school at the end of the day.

We really appreciate your support in following the various protocols in order to keep the children safe and stay within the current guidelines and hope this does not cause any undue inconvenience.

The morning drop-off is unchanged and will continue in the same way as it has this academic year.

Events this past week:

'Wild Tribe' - The children in Releath enjoyed a day of outdoor learning on Monday – *photos can be viewed on the school website.*

Trenoweth Class had a special **Sugar Smart** afternoon on Thursday.

Pengelly and Crenver classes had **tennis coaching** on Wednesday afternoon.

Dates:

Friday, 2nd April – Easter Holidays begin (Good Friday)

Monday, 19th April – First day of the summer term

Monday, 31st May – Half term holidays begin

Monday, 7th June – INSET Day (school closed to pupils)

Thursday, 22nd July – Last day of the summer term



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