

Weekly Newsletter

4th October 2024

Upcoming Dates



October

7th PTA AGM and meeting, 18.00, School Hall or Meeting Room

7th 1C Woodland Wonders

9th 1S Woodland Wonders

10th Year 1-6 Zoo Trip

11th 1G Woodland Wonders

15th Year 3 Westlands Dairy Farm Visit

17th Fun with Trees Sessions at school - Key Stage 2 & Year 2

18th Fun with Trees Sessions at school - Reception & Year 1

21st Parent Teacher Consultations, 17.00-19.00, Classrooms

24th Parent Teacher Consultations, 15.00-18.00, Classrooms

28th-1st Half Term Week

November

15th Children in Need

21st Year 5 Assembly, 14.00, Hall

27th Year 4 Swimming Gala, 13.15, Langford

29th Year 3 Swimming Gala, 13.15, Langford

Upcoming Dates



December

3rd Key Stage 2 Carol Service, 18.00, Methodist Church

4th Reception Nativity, 13.30, Hall

5th Reception Nativity, 9.15, Hall

11th Year 2 Production, 13.30, Hall

12th Year 2 Production, 9.00, Hall

13th Christmas Jumper Day

16th Year 1 Christmas Singing, 14.00, Hall

17th Year 1 Christmas Singing, 9.00, Hall

18th Christmas Party Day

19th Last day of term

***date change**

Our school website contains a lot of useful information - please see jcp.sch.je

Headteacher's Message

What a fantastic week we've had! There's so much to celebrate and share with you all.

Year 5 had an amazing time on their trip to the museum. The children were so engaged and curious, asking great questions and really getting into the spirit of learning outside the classroom.

A huge well done to our Year 5 and 6 children who did an incredible job at the interschool cross country competition. Their effort, determination, and team spirit were fantastic, and we even had a few children finishing right at the top! We are super proud of every single one of them who took part.

We were pleased to welcome students from Highland's Childcare course into our Reception class for their taster sessions this week. It was so lovely to see our little ones sharing, playing, and learning with their new friends. We hope to continue building these connections in the future!

The background is a dark grey surface covered with a variety of white line-art icons. These include scientific symbols like a microscope, a beaker, a lightbulb, a molecular structure, and a compass. There are also school-related items like a ruler, a pencil, a paperclip, and a stack of books. Some icons are simple shapes like stars and triangles, while others are more detailed like a calculator showing the number 55 and a football.

Next week is Science Week, and excitement is in the air!

We've got the Science Dome coming to school, which will be an interactive, hands-on experience for everyone. And if that's not enough, the whole school will be heading to Jersey Zoo for a day of exploration and learning about wildlife and conservation. It's going to be a week full of fun and discovery.

Thank you for all of your ongoing support. Here's to another week of fun and learning ahead!

Thank you
Mrs Precious

Parent Teacher Meetings

On Monday you will be sent information regarding the Parent Teacher Consultations which are being held on Monday 21st October and Thursday 24th October. The booking system for these will open later that day, at 6pm. These meetings will be held in the school classrooms with your child's class teacher.



Year 5 Museum Visit

Year 5 visited the Museum this week to learn about the Victorian merchant's house. They then toured St Helier to find Victorian features around town. We even learnt a little about Victorian crime and punishment in Jersey.



Year 5 Museum Visit



School Photos

School photographs are now online and available to order with free delivery to school if you order by Sunday 20th October.

GOOD NEWS!



Your child's official
school photographs
are now online!

CLICK HERE TO
VIEW AND ORDER

Please see the ticket your child brought home on the day of photos with information you need to order or alternatively contact Bentley www.bentleypics.com

Year 6 – Apple Crumble

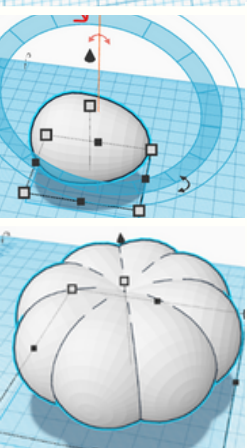
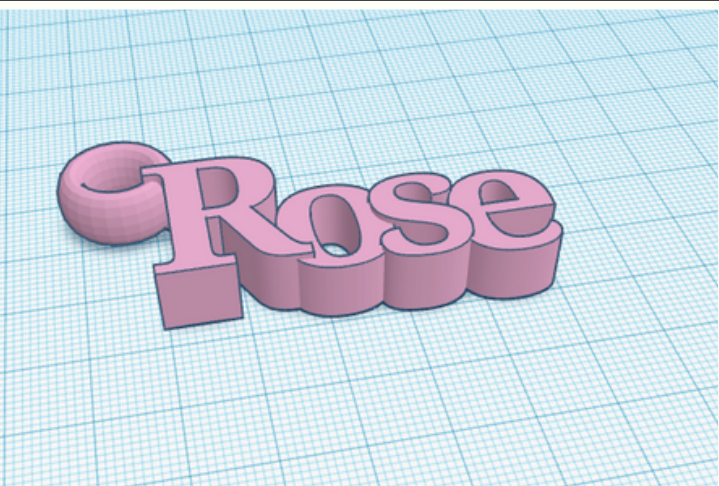
Year 6 made apple crumble as part of their seasonal cooking studies. They definitely enjoyed eating it and even delivered portions to some eager staff! It went down a treat!



Computing Club

This week in Computing club we have started to print our designs. Our newcomers have been learning how to use Tinkercad this term, and thier first project was to make a name keyring.

Our more experienced members have been using shapes to create a pumpkin from scratch, hollowing it out and then carving a face.



Music

Clubs Next Week

Monday

Ukulele, 15.00-16.00, Garden Chalet

Tuesday

Strings Ensemble, 12.30-12.55, Music Room
Senior Choir, 15.00-16.00, Hall

Wednesday

Wind Ensemble, 12.30-12.55, Music Room

Thursday

No Junior Choir due to Zoo Visit

Friday

Orchestra, 8-8.45, Music Room
Signing Choir, 12.30-12.55, Music Room

Music

Jersey Music Eisteddfod

This week I have entered the Junior Choir, Senior Choir and JCP Orchestra in the Jersey Music Eisteddfod which takes place on the week beginning 11th November.

All groups are busily working towards their performances, and I will notify parents when I have confirmation of the specific dates, times and locations.



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Clubs & Fixtures Next Week

Monday

No Year 3 Fitness Club

Year 6 Netball Club, 15.00-16.15, Netball court

Tuesday

Year 2 Just Dance, 12.00-12.30, Hall

Wednesday

Year 4 Netball Club, 12.00-12.30, Netball Court

Year 5&6 Football Club, 15.00-16.15, Heathfield

Year 5&6 Hockey Club, 15.00-16.15, Astro

Year 5 Football Match, 15:00-16:15, Grouville School

Thursday

No Year 2 Football Club

Netball Club, Year 5, 15.00-16.15, Netball Court

Year 5 Netball Match, 15:00-16:45, JCP Netball Court



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Cross Country

Congratulations to the 54 children in years 5 & 6 who took part in the Primary School open cross country at Les Quennevais on Wednesday afternoon. We are extremely proud of all the children that took part in this event as they all ran superbly well and represented the school in such an exemplary way.



Special mentions go to Milleigh, Charlotte, Hattie & Bella in Year 5, who finished 1st, 3rd, 9th & 10th in a field of 192 runners. Their combined scores meant that JCP won the overall team trophy for Year 5 across the island. Special mentions also go to Elizabeth C, Zara & Emily who finished 15th, 16th & 23rd in a field of 217 runners.



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Huge congratulations goes to Milleigh in Year 5, who on Wednesday, became the Year 5 Cross Country champion for the Jersey primary schools. This is an amazing achievement and we are very proud of you. Milleigh ran an excellent race from start to finish, and even when she was being chased down at the end of the race, she managed to find some extra speed to finish strongly and open up the gap between her and the runner behind her.

Charlotte also ran fantastically well in the same race, against a strong field, to finish in an extremely impressive third place.

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Netball

We are excited to announce that JCP will be hosting a visiting Netball team next week. Ravenscourt Prep school, from the UK, will be coming to play our Year 5 netballers in two matches next Thursday (10th October). Both matches will be taking place on the JCP netball courts, with the A team game starting at 3.30pm and the B team game starting at 4.10pm. We would love as many people as possible to come and support these games.



Registration has opened for Jersey Netball October Half Term camps for Years 1-6.

[Click here to book](#)

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Swimming Costumes

If anybody has any spare children's swimming costumes (ages 7-11) and/or towels that they no longer need, we would be grateful of any donations, so that they can be used as spare kit. These can be handed to the school office.



Sporting Achievements

Has your child achieved success in Sport outside of school? We want to celebrate with them to our PE and Sport celebration board. Please email a photo and short description to e.lempriere@jcp.sch.je

Get spooky this half-term!



JERSEY
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FOR YEARS 1 TO 6

CREATIVE MINDS



JOIN US FOR A WEEK OF
SPOOKY THRILLS THIS HALF-TERM!



**MONDAY 28TH OCTOBER
TO FRIDAY 1ST NOVEMBER
09:00 TO 17:00**

Creative Minds' Camp is returning this half-term (Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November). Book now for a week of spooky thrills, including baking, costume making and pumpkin carving among many other fun activities!

Visit the Jersey College Foundation website now for more information and to book <https://jerseycollegeforgirls.com/pages/jc-foundation/creative-minds/creative-minds-camp>



Creative Minds Holiday Camps for Years 1 to 6. Each exciting camp is designed to stimulate your son or daughter with creative challenges and fun.

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