



Mount Hawke Academy

Head of School: Miss C Biddick

8.5.26

Dear Families

We've certainly crammed a lot into a short week! The children have been busy taking part in the London Mini Marathon, all completing their miles to add to the total challenge that we've been set. Year One have been out around the village this week, looking at the features and finding out more about our settlement. Miss Collop's Year Threes travelled into Truro, to the museum, where they took part in an Egyptian workshop. The museum staff were very impressed with everyone's behaviour, and their great knowledge of Ancient Egypt. Thank you too to the parent helpers whose support made this visit possible. Year Five have had a visitor from Shelterbox, who has explained their role in supporting communities at times of need. A great start to their topic on Earthquakes.

Next week sees our Year Six taking their end of Key Stage Assessments (SATs), and we wish them all the very best. We are very proud of the determination and maturity they have shown over the year and we are so pleased how they are making the most of their last few months with us, with super attitudes. Good luck, Year Six!



My Personal Best Life Skills for next week are...

EYFS and KS1 – Encouragement
KS2 – Imagination

We will explore these life skills and link them to our ASPIRE values, encouraging their use in all our activities. You can read more about this here - [My Personal Best - Youth Sport Trust](#) and here - [Mount Hawke Academy - Ethos, Aims & Values](#)

Celebrations

We held our Friday Whole School Celebration Assembly today and it was lovely to share the news from each class with everyone and celebrate all the hard work together. All of our children make us very proud each week, and to gain this additional recognition is very special.

Class	Celebration	Achievement
Mousehole	Molly	Ezra
Longships	Marnie	Elka
Pendeen	Iris	Cora
Gwithian	Willow	William
Carne	Basil	Millie
Lamorna	Immy	Jago
Allen	Rosie	Jess
Kenwyn	Tully	Alex
Truro	William	Bella

Parking Enforcement

You may have noticed a Civil Parking Enforcement person outside school last night. They are visiting all schools in the area more regularly now, helping to keep our communities safe.

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Recommended Read



Isaac and Alistair from Allen Class recommend Assassination Classroom by Yusei Matsui. We like this book because there are intense pictures, filled with action, and fearful chaos. The heroes of Class 3-E quietly analyse their classmates. They face an alien like creature that can fly at Mach 20, which is fast enough to buy a coffee in Japan from Africa! It is capable of eliminating the moon and threatens to destroy the Earth! Read the book to find out what happens!

Sports News

Our Year Three and Four girls football teams have headed off to Wadebridge today for some matches. Good luck everyone!

Science Challenge

True or False – can you find out? Let us know what you discover.

BODY SCIENCE

1 TRY THIS INDOORS True or False?
tape measure (or string and a ruler) to find out if these statements are body facts or body fictions:

1. The circumference of your head (picture 1) is 3 times the length of your foot.
2. Your arm span (picture 2) is the same as your height.
3. Your height is 10 times the length of your hand (from your longest finger to your wrist).
4. Your height is 5 times the length of your thigh.

WHAT DO YOU NOTICE?
Things to talk about ...
Can you find any body facts of your own? Are the body facts the same for adults and children? Who has the widest arm span in your family? Who has the widest hand span? Is the oldest person in your family the tallest?

WHAT IS THE SCIENCE?
Everybody is different and you will find variation between individuals and notice differences between adults and children, but generally: arm span is roughly the same as height, which is also about 10 times the length of the hand. Thigh length is roughly 4 times height, and foot length is roughly half of head circumference.

You will need

- * Tape measure
- * Chalks (or felt pens and a piece of paper as big as you!)



1. head circumference



2. arm span

Communications

Remember to use the email hello@mounthawke.org or phone 01209 890230 if you need to speak to one of us, let us know about something or share something with us. Miss Biddick is usually on the gate every morning and afternoon too.

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Here are our dates for the rest of the school year. We hope that we won't have to change any, but we will give you as much notice as possible if we have to.

MHA Calendar	
11 th – 14 th May	Y6 SATs week
Wednesday 20 th May	Pendeen Class Cake Sale - after school
25 th May – 29 th May	Half Term
1 st June	Training Day – school closed to children
2 nd June – 12 th June	Y4 Multiplication Check
8 th June – 12 th June	Y1 Phonics Screening Check
Tuesday 9 th June	Class Photos
Wednesday 17 th June	Longships Class Cake Sale - after school
22 nd June – 26 th June	MHA Science Week – Sustainability Superheroes
Friday 26 th June	Open Classroom Session – 2.30pm-3.00pm
Monday 29 th June	Y5 & Y6 Sports Day – gates open at 1:20pm – please bring a chair or rug to sit on
Tuesday 30 th June	Y3 & Y4 Sports Day – gates open at 1:20pm – please bring a chair or rug to sit on
Wednesday 1 st July	Y1 & Y2 Sports Day – gates open at 1:20pm – please bring a chair or rug to sit on
Friday 3 rd July	YR Sports Day – gates open at 1:20pm – please bring a chair or rug to sit on
Thursday 9 th July	Mousehole Class Cake Sale - after school Summer Fair
Friday 17 th July	FOMHS Colour Run – details to follow
Thursday 23 rd July	Y6 Leavers' Assembly 9am Break Up for Summer Holidays 3:15pm / Playzone until 5:00pm

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