



Mount Hawke Academy

Head of School: Miss C Biddick

8.2.24

Dear Families

It was wonderful to see so many of you at our Open Afternoon on Monday, and the children were very proud to show off all their hard work from the first half of this year. Our next open event will be a Maths Morning on Tuesday 5th March, from 9.00am – 10.00 am. There will be a talk in the main hall first with Mrs Webb, our Maths Lead, sharing information about how we teach addition through the year groups at MHA. There will then be the opportunity for you to visit your child's class until 10.00 am, to share their maths learning with them. We do hope that you can make it.

Today, Gwithian Class have headed off to the Cornwall Energy Recovery Centre at St Dennis to learn more about what happens to our rubbish after it has been thrown out. This links to their Science and Geography learning, and is a good fit for our renewed focus on helping to reduce our environmental impact as a school.



My Personal Best Life Skills for the week after half term are...

EYFS and KS1 – Self Motivation

KS2 – Integrity

We will explore these skills and encourage their use in all our activities.
You can read more about this here - [My Personal Best - Youth Sport Trust](#)

Celebrations

We held our Friday Whole School Celebration Assembly today, a day early because of the Training Day tomorrow, 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	Emily Hea.	Cora
Godrevy	Lerryn	Dulcie
Longships	Basil	Deia
Pendeen	Philly	Sylvie
Carne	Willow	Cadan
Gwithian	Annie	Melia
Lamorna	Jake	Bill
Allen	Sam	Dulcie
Kenwyn	Kyla	Jack
Truro	Jack	Noah R

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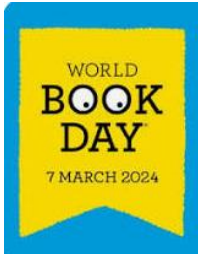
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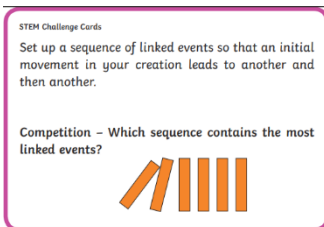
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World Book Day

The attachment with today's newsletter details some of the suggested activities you can enjoy to help celebrate World Book Day.

We can't wait to see what you bring in for our annual tour of the school to share and celebrate everyone's efforts.



Science Challenge

Here is the latest Science challenge...have fun – especially if you have some dominoes at home!

Remember to send in photos or videos to hello@mounthawke.org.

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, or another member of staff, is on the gate every morning and afternoon too.

All of us here at school would like to wish you a lovely half term holiday and hope that you enjoy some pancakes on Tuesday!



We look forward to welcoming you back on Monday 19th February by 8:45 am.

Dates

Spring Term

- Tuesday 5th March – Maths Open Morning - 9.00 am-10.00 am – please come and find out more about addition in Maths at MHA
- Friday 15th March – Red Nose Day – wear red to school (non uniform for a small donation)
- w/b 18th March - Parent Consultations – bookings on Arbor nearer the time

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Mount Hawke Academy – Term Dates 2023-2024

September 2023					October 2023					November 2023									
Mon		4	11	18	25	Mon		2	9	16	23	30	Mon			6	13	20	27
Tue		5	12	19	26	Tue		3	10	17	24	31	Tue			7	14	21	28
Wed		6	13	20	27	Wed		4	11	18	25		Wed		1	8	15	22	29
Thurs		7	14	21	28	Thurs		5	12	19	26		Thurs		2	9	16	23	30
Fri	1	8	15	22	29	Fri		6	13	20	27		Fri		3	10	17	24	
Sat	2	9	16	23	30	Sat		7	14	21	28		Sat		4	11	18	25	
Sun	3	10	17	24		Sun	1	8	15	22	29		Sun		5	12	19	26	

December 2023					January 2024					February 2024							
Mon		4	11	18	25	Mon	1	8	15	22	29	Mon		5	12	19	26
Tue		5	12	19	26	Tue	2	9	16	23	30	Tue		6	13	20	27
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Sat	2	9	16	23	30	Sat	6	13	20	27		Sat	3	10	17	24	
Sun	3	10	17	24	31	Sun	7	14	21	28		Sun	4	11	18	25	

March 2024					April 2024					May 2024							
Mon		4	11	18	25	Mon	1	8	15	22	29	Mon		6	13	20	27
Tue		5	12	19	26	Tue	2	9	16	23	30	Tue		7	14	21	28
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June 2024					July 2024					August 2024							
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School holidays

Bank holidays

Christmas Day	25 December 2023
Boxing Day	26 December 2023
New Years Day	01 January 2024
Good Friday	29 March 2024
Easter Monday	01 April 2024
May Bank Holiday	06 May 2024
Spring Bank Holiday	27 May 2024
Summer Bank Holiday	26 August 2024

AUTUMN TERM (72 days)

4 September - 19 December 2023
(HALF TERM 23-27 October 2023)

SPRING TERM (56 days)

4 January - 28 March 2024
(HALF TERM 12-16 February 2024)

SUMMER TERM (67 days)

15 April - 24 July 2024
(HALF TERM 27-31 May 2024)

195 days are on the school calendar. School will be open to pupils for 190 days. The five additional days are allotted for staff training.

Training Days – school closed for children:

- 4th September 2023
- 5th September 2023
- 20th October 2023
- 9th February 2024
- 28th March 2024

Please book holidays in school holidays – thank you.

Children are in school for 190 days a year – this leaves 175 days for holidays

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