



GRAMPOUND  
WITH CREED SCHOOL



Together we grow in God's love... Loving, Learning, Living

## Spring Term Newsletter Issue 13 - 28th January 2022

### Message from Ms Jarrett

Dear parents and carers,

As the weeks continue to rush by and we find ourselves at the end of January, it's difficult to believe that we are nearly at the half way mark for the year...

Once again, we have had a fun and busy week with lots going on in all the classes. There continue to be many pictures and posts on class Dojo with more details of what's been happening and I hope you are able to take the time to have a look.

I would like to thank you all for your continued support with our fight against Covid by keeping vigilant and carrying out Lateral Flow Tests when appropriate. We have been relatively lucky so far, long may it continue!

We have had a number of visitors to school this week and the underlying comment has been what a lovely school we have with such hard-working staff and delightful, well behaved children. I am very proud and privileged to be part of the Grampound with Creed family and want to say a huge 'well done' to everyone!

I hope you all have a relaxing and happy weekend, with a chance for some quality family time.

With best wishes,

Caroline Jarrett

### DIARY DATES

16.2.22 - Open the Book

21 - 25.2.22 - Half Term

23.3.22 - Open the Book

28.3.22 - Weighing + Measuring  
(Reception & Y6)

8.4.22 - Last Day of Spring Term

### Chinese New Year

There is a change of menu next Tuesday, please see page 4 for the menu choices on this day.

### School Monitoring Council

We currently have a vacancy for a Parent School Monitoring Councillor. Please see page 5 for the details.

Thank you

### AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Mon - Kwilkyn Club 3pm to 4pm

Tues - Multi Skills Club with Mr Webb, 3pm to 4pm (Pedrean & Lostledan)

### NEWSLETTER

A reminder that the newsletter will be coming out every fortnight instead of weekly.

At Celtic Cross Education...  
we nurture, we learn, we achieve together.

## School Dinners

The cost for School Dinners is £2.34 which you order via Parentpay. If you are having problems, please contact the office.

Breakfast Club - 7:45am to 8:45am (£3.50)

After School Club - 3pm to 6pm (£3.00, £4.00 & £6.50)

Please book your child either on Parentpay or contact the school office for half an hour sessions.

## Wraparound Care

## School Uniform

Uniform can be purchased from Cornwall Screenprint who can be contacted on 01726 68689 or email [infor@cornwallscreenprint.co.uk](mailto:infor@cornwallscreenprint.co.uk)

School Office - 01726 882644

Email

[grampoundwithcreed.secretary@celticcross.education](mailto:grampoundwithcreed.secretary@celticcross.education)

Website

<https://grampound-creed.eschools.co.uk/web/home>

## Contact Information

### INSET DAYS 2021/2022

Monday 6th June 2022, Monday 25th & Tuesday 26th July 2022

### SICKNESS & ABSENCES

Please be reminded - If your child has a cough or a cold they should still come to school unless you feel they are too unwell to be here; in which case they should stay at home and rest until they are well enough to return. Your child should not be carrying out school work at home if they are unwell. Unless a child has tested positive for Covid 19, they should not self isolate or miss school.

If there is a positive case of Covid 19 of somebody in your household and you are not sure what to do, please contact school to discuss and we can help.

Thank you...

Important Notice ! Any clubs or organisations who we advertise through our Newsletter and are not affiliated with Grampound with Creed School are reminded that they must have the necessary insurance, qualifications and DBS checks in place. This is to ensure the welfare of the children and is not the responsibility of Grampound with Creed School.

# Awards

## Heads Awards

10.1.22 - Zoe, Xavier & Rufus

17.1.22 - Vega, Evie & Charlie

## Dojo Pointer of the Week

### Week of 10th January

Pedrean - Jacob

Lostledan - Xavier & Eva-Rose

Kwikyn - Isabel & Oliver

### Week of 17th January

Pedrean - Maryann

Lostledan - Max & Leah

Kwikyn - Charlie & Isabel

## Weekly Walkers

### Week of 10th January

Pedrean - 112,006 steps

Lostledan - 274,503 steps

Kwikyn -

### Week of 17th January

Pedrean - 67,832 steps

Lostledan - 214,472 steps

Kwikyn -

## Accelerated Readers

Well done to this week's  
Accelerated Readers

## Weekly Attendance

The attendance for the

### Week 10th to 14th January 2022

Pedrean - 99.19%

Lostledan - 93.33%

Kwikyn - 94.81%

TOTAL - 95.2%

### Week 17th to 21st January 2022

Pedrean - 100%

Lostledan - 90.74%

Kwikyn - 91.48%

TOTAL - 92.95%

## Reading Karate

The reads required to achieve each band  
going forward are as follows:

White (25) -

Yellow (50) - Freya, Zion, Vega

Orange (75) - Jacob

Blue (100) - Hedra

Purple (125) -

Red (150) -

Brown (175) -

Black (200) -

Gold (250) -

Well done to everyone

## Chinese New Year Menu - 1st February 2022

There will be a special menu on this day, please order on ParentPay or contact the school office. There will be no jacket potato or tomato pasta available on this day.



## **WANTED – SCHOOL MONITORING COUNCILLORS**

What are we looking for?

Our School Monitoring Council is made up of Councillors from all walks of life and many come to us through a variety of routes and with a range of different backgrounds, skills and experiences, but they are all volunteers who work together for the benefit of the school and are the link between the school and the community it serves

We want you

We are currently looking for new Parent Councillors and would be delighted to hear from anyone who has:

- an interest in the performance of the school
- a desire to contribute to and represent the community
  - an open and enquiring mind
  - the ability to look at issues objectively
- the confidence to ask questions and join in debate
- a willingness to listen and make informed judgements
  - the ability to work well with others
  - time to spare
- a child or children currently attending the school

If you match the above description, you may be the very person to become a Parent Councillor at Grampound with Creed School.

Everyone has something to offer, and we want people from as many backgrounds and with as wide a range of interests as possible.

What can we offer?

- The opportunity to work with our school monitoring council team and staff in improving our school
  - A sense of achievement in making a difference to our school
  - The pleasure of helping students reach their potential

What is the School Monitoring Council's Role?

The function of the SMCs is to contribute to school improvement by holding to account the Heads of School for their effectiveness in addressing agreed improvement priorities. They will also help to ensure robust governance across the Trust by engaging with the Hub Councils and, thereby, the Board of Directors.

Each SMC has a key role to play in the overall success of the MAT and in contributing to joint working and sharing best practice between its academies.

A parent councillor is not a delegate and does not speak 'on behalf' of the parent body. The role and responsibilities of parent councillors are no different from those of the other councillors.

The SMC meets three times a year, the meetings are held in the evening and run for approximately 2 hours. The term of office is 4 years.

As well as attending meetings councillors are also asked to look at specific areas of the school's work in more detail and report back to the SMC.

To help support councillors, everyone has access to further training to help build on existing skills or to develop new ones.

If you are interested, please email [grampoundwithcreed.secretary@celticcross.education](mailto:grampoundwithcreed.secretary@celticcross.education) for a form which asks for a brief description about yourself and why you would like to join the SMC, then return this to the same email address.

Closing date for applications midday Friday 11th February 2022

Depending on the number of applications there may be an election process, which will be advised in due course.



### Director/Trustee Vacancy

Do you have professional or business expertise you'd like to share in a strategic role within our multi-academy trust?

Celtic Cross Education has a vacancy on its board of directors, and this challenging and rewarding position could be just for you.

Directors (also known as trustees) are volunteers with a range of skills and their main responsibilities are to:

- Hold executive leaders to account for the educational, safeguarding and financial performance of the trust.
- Set the strategic direction of the trust.
- Ensure the trust's financial success and probity.

If you have worked in HR, law, risk management, finance or communication, or have skills in problem solving, critical listening or leadership, we would welcome an application from you.

This is a fantastic opportunity to help shape the future of our trust for the benefit of all our pupils.

Please email [recruitment@celticcross.education](mailto:recruitment@celticcross.education) for an application pack and further information or click [here](#) to visit our website.

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[www.celticcross.education](http://www.celticcross.education)

### Vacancies at Celtic Cross

Any vacancies at our school will be found on the Celtic Cross Education website:

<https://www.celticcross.education/web/vacancies/581005>

## Stop the spread of Covid-19 in schools

Wear a face covering in communal areas



Wash your hands regularly



Take a PCR test if you have symptoms



 [cornwall.gov.uk/coronavirus](http://cornwall.gov.uk/coronavirus)