



Fortnightly Newsletter

Date: 14th Oct 2022

Dates for your diary:

Thurs 20th Oct - Reception Diwali Workshop
Thurs 20th Oct - Year 6 Pendennis Castle Trip
Thurs 20th Oct - Aspens Special Menu Day
Mon 24th Oct - Half Term - return Monday 31st

Attendance 26th September
to 7th October 2022

Hopi	87.4%
Navaho	96.7%
Blackfoot	88.5%
Nanticoke	91.3%
Algonquin	95.0%
Shoshone	95.5%
Micmac	94.8%
Yakama	97.9%
Arapaho	97.7%
Chippewa	95.8%
Comanche	93.7%
Innoko	94.1%
Kiowa	96.4%
Paiute	90.7%
The target set for the school is 96% Well done Yakama!	

Absence Reporting

Should your child/children be absent from school. Please contact the office on that day by telephoning 01726 860540 or emailing secrtary@indianqueensschool.org with reason for absence.

Term Dates:

Autumn Term:

Mon 5th Sept to Fri 21st Oct 2022
(Half Term: Mon 24th to Fri 28th Oct 2022)
Mon 31st Oct to Fri 16th Dec 2022

Spring Term:

Tues 3rd Jan to Fri 10th Feb 2023
(Half Term: Mon 13th to Fri 17th Feb 2023)
Mon 20th Feb to Fri 31st Mar 2023

Summer Term:

Mon 17th Mar to Fri 26th May 2023
(Half Term: Mon 29th May to 2nd June 2023)
Mon 5th June to Tue 25th Jul 2023

Inset Days 2022/2023

Mon 5th Sept, Tues 3rd Jan, Fri 10th Feb, Thurs 24th & Fri 25th July



Next week, we will be celebrating our Harvest Festival. We would welcome any donations of tinned items, bottles of squash or any non-perishable items. These items will be donated to the local food bank. Please could any donations either be dropped to the school office or given to your child's class teacher.





I am delighted to share with you that the staff and children here at Indian Queens have decided to make a change and choose new class names. The children were invited to offer ideas before voting for their favourite. Our Pupil Parliament members were able to help their classes with this too.

We talked to the children about choosing names that reflected our school community, our location and what was important to us about our learning.

Once the vote was counted we found that the new class names for EYFS and KS1 were going to be Cornish beaches and the KS2 classes will be Cornish landmarks. The children felt that this reflected the importance of outdoor learning as well as our beautiful Cornish countryside.

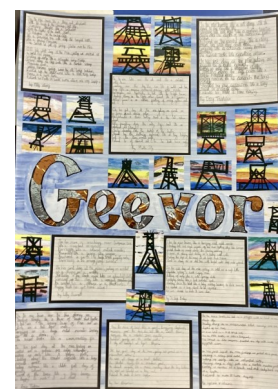
From after half term onwards the classes will now be:

Year group	Current name	New name
Reception	Navaho	Gwithian
	Hopi	Hemmick
Year One	Blackfoot	Polzeath
	Nanticoke	Crantock
Year Two	Algonquin	Poly Joke
	Shoshone	Fistral
Year Three	Micmac	Tintagel
	Yakama	Minack
Year Four	Chippewa	Botallack
	Arapaho	Geevor
Year Five	Comanche	Trelissick
	Innoko	Heligan
Year Six	Paiute	Restormel
	Kiowa	Lanhydrock

The children have already started to complete work around their new class names, some of which will have been shared with you at home/school review meetings this week.

We will continue to learn about our class names across the year and will be working with local artists and the Hall for Cornwall on projects inspired by these locations.

We look forward to sharing these with you across the year.



Please let us know if you visit one of our new class name locations!



Does your child do a sport or activity outside of school?

Have they won an award or trophy, or achieved something to celebrate?

We now have a weekly '**Celebration Assembly**' on Fridays that gives us an opportunity to celebrate the achievements of our children in school each week. However, we recognise that many of our pupils are achieving amazing things outside of school and we would love to recognise and value this as well.



If you would like to send your child in with a medal, trophy, certificate or similar then please do so on a Friday. Please be aware, if we are lucky enough to have lots of achievements that come in on one week, we may need to save some until the next.

We look forward to seeing and celebrating the incredible achievements of our pupils!

Weights & Measurements Programme

Please find the links below to the e-booklets for this year's Child Health Checks, Child Health Programme e-booklets (2022/23).

Below are the official links to the digital Health Information booklets for families. These digital booklets contain many useful links including how to 'opt out' of school health screening and must be shared at least 2 weeks before measurement day.

Please can you share the relevant link with parents from Reception and Year 6 today.

- Reception Year:

<https://mailchi.mp/2ac4f2cab3f4/child-health-programme-health-information-reception-22-23>

- Year 6:

<https://mailchi.mp/5f334c487f43/child-health-programme-health-information-y6-22-23>

To request a printable version of these booklets, please email ncmp@cornwall.gov.uk

ParentPay

Year 5 Swimming

Weekly swimming has now started for Year 5, please ensure your child's payment is up to date.

A £5 payment can be made weekly or full amount of £50 which will cover the 10 weeks.

School Dinners

Thank you to everyone who is now booking their child's school dinner via ParentPay.

Please remember:

- Your account must be in credit to book your child's meal choice.
- Booking closes at 8.30am daily
- Should your child be absent, please remove your booking for that day—as you may be charged.
- Should your child bring a packed lunch to school and a meal also be booked for them, the meal booking will take priority.

Autumn Term Clubs

Autumn Term clubs charge of £4.00 is now payable via ParentPay.



Indian Queens Primary School

Behold the day. It's yours to make.

On Wednesday 5th October, Year 3 and 4 pupil's had a great time at the Newquay development netball festival!



Community News

