

Newsletter





<u>Headteacher's Awards</u> <u>Awarded 13th January 2023</u>

Reception:

Darcie for her attitude towards our Maths learning this week. Darcie has worked really hard on showing different ways of making 6 and explaining the number sentences. Great work!

Emily-Mae for her effort and enthusiasm in our PE lessons. We are doing some dance lessons this half term and she has been fantastic at combining different movements to create a dance

and performing it to the class.

Jaxx for his fantastic artistic skills when using a pencil this week to create an observational

drawing of an old toy!

Year 1: The Headteacher's awards this week went to Priya for trying really hard in phonics, especially

with her spelling and Summer for learning all of the alternative sounds this week and spelling

words with them.

Year 2: This week, we awarded two Headteacher awards. The first one went to Callum for his excellent

attention to detail in his maths. He's been working quickly and carefully therefore achieving well and moving his maths forwards. The second award went to Sam for persevering with his maths when he found it a bit tricky. He did a bit of supported work and was then able to go on and

achieve the correct answers in the rest of his maths. Well done Callum and Sam.

Year 3: Last week's Headteacher awards went to Bradley and Jade. Bradley was fantastic in PE all last

week. We were learning a new skill of balancing on a line with different movements. Bradley listened well to the instructions and performed each skill with fluency and control. He was able to demonstrate to the other children how to perform the skills. Well done Bradley, great listening and great behaviour. I am very proud! Keep it up! Jade received her award for great reading. I listened to her read on Monday and then again on Friday and she made good progress. She used all her RWI reading strategies when reading to help her decode unfamiliar words. Well done

Jade, keep it up!

Year 4: Ruby, Rosie and Poppy - Last week, these girls worked very hard in their English lessons. They

drafted, enhanced and edited a narrative called 'The Wishgranter' which is based on a Literacy Shed video. Not only are they improving their presentation and handwriting but they were also putting lots of effort into including lots of SPAG from our Rainbow List. Well done girls!

Apologies for missing information from last week:

Vassili - For starting the Spring Term very positively! He has been really getting stuck into his lessons, particularly Shared Reading. It is great to see him contributing great ideas confidently

in class. Well done Vassili!

Year 5: The Headteacher's awards this week went to Louisa for an excellent first draft of her Medusa

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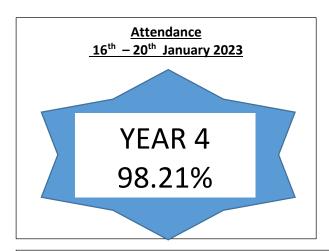
description, despite being away on planning day.

Year 6: We awarded four awards this week. Olivia and James for working so well with their partners

during PE. They are also both super friends to others.

Evie and Amelia had an award each for super computing and working out how to make a solid

shape hollow when using a computer aided design.



Pen Licence - Year 4

Well done to Lowen, Ella and Paige for achieving their pen licences.



Poppy Appeal

It seems a long time ago, but we have received our poppy donation total this week. By supporting the poppy appeal and buying slap bands, keyrings, poppies, rulers and pencil sharpeners back in November, we raised £237.58 at Roche School.

Thank you to everyone.



Junk Modelling - Reception Class/Year 4/Year 6

Reception Class are going to be making toys from junk modelling on the week beginning the 23rd January. If your Reception Class child can bring junk modelling items to school such as cereal boxes, washed out milk cartons, milk bottle tops, string and any other suitable items, that would be great!

Year 4 need 500ml plastic bottles for a DT project – please bring to school no later than 25th January.

Year 6 are going to be making lighthouses from junk modelling. This class needs more specific items including clear yogurt pots, small boxes, Pringle tubes and kitchen roll tubes. Items below:









Hedgehog Raffle

Ethel and Sunrise are very happy in their new home on the grounds of Roche School. They have ventured out of their houses and eaten the food which was left for them.

If anyone has newspapers we can use for bedding for their homes, please can you bring it in to the office or your child can take it to Year 4.

We have collected 55 raffle prizes and Year 4 would like to thank everyone who donated. The prizes are wonderful!

Tickets are priced at £2 each and are available to purchase on Parent Pay under 'pay for other items' under the heading 'Hedgehog Raffle'!

There are 55 tickets available and you are able to buy up to 5. The deadline to purchase tickets is Wednesday 8th February **OR** we will draw the raffle if the 55 tickets are sold sooner.

The raffle is open to the whole school.



Absent Children

A reminder, if your child is going to be away from school, please make sure you telephone the school office no later than 8.40am.

In some cases, if we do not know where your child is, they can be reported, by us, as missing.

Alternatively, if you can't get through on the telephone, you can email reception@roche.tpacademytrust.org

Thank you for your co-operation.

London 2023

The payments for Year 6 London 2023 have been set up on Parent Pay. You are welcome to pay in instalments which work best for you up until June 2023.

Ideally, we would like the initial deposit paid so we know the attendance figures for the trip.

If you have any questions regarding payments, please speak to Mr Walden 01726 890323 or email him head@roche.tpacademytrust.org



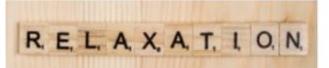
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Relaxation Activity: Lemon

This relaxation exercise releases muscle tension. Pretend you have a lemon in your hand.



- Reach up to the tree and pick a lemon with each hand.
- Squeeze the lemons hard to get all the juice out squeeze, squeeze, squeeze.
- Throw the lemons on the floor and relax your hands.
- Then repeat, until you have enough juice for a glass of lemonade!
- After your last squeeze and throw, shake out your hands to relax!



Year 3 and Year 4 Camp Meeting

A reminder, there is a meeting for all parents/carers of Year 3 and Year 4 children on Wednesday 25^{th} January in the school hall at 3.30pm. This is to meet with the camp providers and teachers to discuss the camp taking place on 5^{th} – 7^{th} July.

Please attend if you are able.

Many thanks.

Club Information

Netball

There is no Netball Club on Tuesday 24th
January due to the away match at St Dennis
(you will be emailed via Parent Pay if your
child is involved in this match).

If your child is not playing at St Dennis, please collect them at 3.15pm this day.

Many thanks!

Lego

There is no Lego Club on Wednesday 25th January. If your child does Lego club, please collect them at 3.15pm this day.

Many thanks!

Numbots week

Next week (23rd-27th January) all Year 1 to Year 6 pupils will be taking part in Numbots week. During this week we'll be doing Numbots in our slots normally reserved for TTRS and are encouraging pupils to complete as many levels and stages in that week, both in school and at home.



We will be awarding certificates for the highest number of levels passed, minutes played and correct answers.

Parents Evening Phone Calls

Information regarding Parent Evening phone calls was sent via Parent Pay on Wednesday. The portal is open to book your time slot on Monday 23rd January at 6pm and closes on Tuesday 31st January at 6pm. To log onto the portal please follow this link: https://rochecp.schoolcloud.co.uk/ You will need your name, email address, child's name and date of birth to log in. No passwords are needed.

Thank you.

Cross Country News

Roche's Cross Country Team went to Brannel this week to participate in their 3rd race of the year. We ran against Nanpean and Whitemoor. The children put lots of effort in. For some of our Team it was their first race representing the school so a huge well done to them as well! Here are some of the headline results:

Year 4 Girls	Year 4 Boys	Year 5 Girls	Year 5 Boys	Year 6 Girls
1st = Taylor	1 st = Morley	2 nd = Lola	1 st = Jake	2 nd = Emilia
3 rd = Poppy	2 nd = Marshall	$3^{rd} = Emily$		
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3rd = Callum 4th = Harrison

Congratulations once again, we are very proud of you!



Anti-bullying Policy

Please find below our anti-bulling pledge developed by the school council. It is also available on the school website under the School Council section.

https://rochecpschool.eschools.co.uk/web/school council 2022-23/635596



Our Anti-Bullying Pledge

(created by our School Council Autumn Term 2022)

Bullying is when a person or people have control over someone and hurt them physically or emotionally over and over again. It can be face to face or online.

At Roche School, we reach out:

- to anyone who we think might be being bullied
- to a trusted adult if we or someone else is being bullied.

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We are up-standers, not by-standers!

If we challenge it, we can change it!



Children's Speech and Language Therapy Parent/Carer Information Sessions

Spring 2023

We will be running webinars to tell parents/carers more about the NHS speech and language therapy service and local offer for speech, language, and communication needs (SLCN).

These webinars are open to any parents/carers who live in Cornwall who would like more information about the local NHS speech and language therapy service.

The webinar will cover:

- Who the service supports
- The service stages of care, such as how to request help
- How we work with parents, settings, and other professionals
- What else is available to support SLCN in the local area
- Useful resources and websites
- How to contact us

The webinars will take place on Microsoft Teams at these times and will be around 30mins long:

Date	Time
Monday 6th February	5pm
Tuesday 21st February	12pm
Thursday 23 rd February	12pm
Wednesday 1st March	12pm
Monday 6th March	6pm

To book onto a session, please complete this booking form. https://forms.office.com/e/2x6GidFJt1

You will be sent a link to join the webinar the morning of it.

All webinars will cover the same content, so you only need to book onto one date.

There will not be opportunity to discuss the speech and language therapy provision for specific children/young people in these information sessions. For routine enquiries about appointments and waiting times please call 01208 834488

For more information about NHS children's speech and language therapy, please visit

https://www.cornwallft.nhs.uk/childrens-speech-and-language-therapy/

Roche Pantomime Players



13TH- 18TH FEB 2023

At Roche Victory Hall