



# Newsletter

10<sup>th</sup> November 2023

## Roche CP School Rules for Life

- Show good manners at all times
- Follow instructions with thought and care
- Care for everyone and everything

### Headteacher's Awards Awarded 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2023

- Reception:** This week in Reception class all of the children have come back to school ready to learn and full of confidence. They have fully immersed themselves in our new topic and are enjoying learning new things.  
The Head Teachers awards this week are going to:
- Lillie-Ann for her excellent effort in phonics and always being kind.
  - Freddie for his fantastic behaviour and being a confident and enthusiastic member of our class.
  - Rowan for working hard in maths this week and making the number 3 in different ways.
- Year 1:** This week, the Headteacher awards were given to Vincent for using great speech to ask questions and Piper for working hard in all areas of the curriculum. Well done to you both.
- Year 2:** Three Headteacher awards were given out this week.  
Well done to Rosie for engaging well with our new PE focus – gymnastics! Rosie tried amazingly well with all the correct movements!  
Skyla has been showing great understanding with her maths learning and has been giving great explanations. Fantastic work Skyla!  
A brilliant effort with asking questions and showing great interest about previous learning in RE from Brendon this week. Well done to Brendon!
- Year 3:** Congratulations to Callum, Poppy and George in Year 3 who received Headteacher Awards last week. Callum wrote a lovely poem in English and on his final copy his presentation was beautiful. Not just his handwriting, but also the illustrations he drew to accompany the poem. Well done Callum, it was a beautifully presented piece of work! Congratulations also go to Poppy and George who have been working hard on their reading and spellings and have completed Read Write Inc and have now joined the Comprehension group. They were both very pleased with themselves. Well done both, your hard work and resilience has paid off.
- Year 4:** This week Leyton and Frankie were awarded the Headteacher's Awards in Year 4. They were for their Art lesson this week. Mrs Harrison was so impressed with their 2D and 3D knowledge and efforts. Keep up the great work!
- Year 5:** We have a King of Relative Clauses in Year 5! Lexton has developed his confidence with this new Y5 area of PaG really quickly, and is able to recognise them, and write examples of his own. Super!  
In our latest Art unit, we have been using a variety of techniques with a focus on Space and also the future. Marshall's focus when drawing his futuristic house was brilliant and the outcome superb. Good job Marshall.
- Year 6:** Well done to Cory for demonstrating a super attitude towards his reading and producing good handwriting.  
Excellent work from Lola for super answering of questions during maths lessons.

**Attendance**  
**6<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> November 2023**

**Year 2**  
**99.25%**

**Contact Information**

Please make sure our records are up to date with your contact details! Do you have a new mobile phone number? Has a contact we have for your child moved away?

Please make sure you inform us of any changes as soon as you can either by telephone 01726 890323 or by emailing [reception@roche.tpacademytrust.org](mailto:reception@roche.tpacademytrust.org)

Thank you for your co-operation.

**Phonics**



A reminder that if your child takes part in phonics (Read Write Inc), the sounds your child is learning are available on our school website each week (usually uploaded on a Friday).

There are links for you to access to help support your child at home with their phonics learning.

The groups are named by staff member. Your child will know which group they are in.

The links for parents/carers can be found here:

[https://rochecpschool.eschools.co.uk/web/phonics\\_parent\\_links/621779](https://rochecpschool.eschools.co.uk/web/phonics_parent_links/621779)

Please make the most of the resource weekly to help your child with their reading journey.

**Camp/London Payments**

The London and Porthpean Camp payments are live on Parent Pay. They have been set up to pay in instalments for you.

If you'd like to discuss the payments, please speak to Mr Walden direct on 01726 890323 or email him [head@roche.tpacademytrust.org](mailto:head@roche.tpacademytrust.org)

**Appointments**

If your child has an appointment during school hours, please can you let the office know so they have a note of it in the registers.

Please note that in some instances, we may ask for proof of the appointment.

If appropriate, could you let the school office know 48 hours before the appointment. Many thanks for your co-operation in this matter.

**Girl's Football**  
**Mid-Cornwall Qualifier Games**  
**Report by Daisy**



On Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November, Roche School and 9 other schools were invited to play mid-Cornwall qualifier games at Nanphysick.

The scores were:

Roche V Sandy Hill 1-0 to Roche

Roche V St Mewan 1-0 to Roche

Roche V St Dennis 0-1 to St Dennis

Roche V St Stephen 1-0 to Roche

Roche V Bishop Bronscombe 0-0 but we won with penalties!

I scored 2 goals, Emily scored 2 goals and Abbigail scored 1 during the matches.

We were in the top three and have qualified for the finals to be played in Penryn on 17<sup>th</sup> November!

A special mention to Lexi who saved every single goal which came her way! She was awesome considering there was a lot of pressure on her shoulders!



**Netball Report**  
**Roche V Luxulyan**  
**By William**

On Tuesday we played against Luxulyan in a home game at Roche. In the first 6 minutes, Roanna scored and then so did Luxulyan making it 1-1. In the second 6 minutes, Luxulyan scored twice making it 3-1.

At the end of the third 6 minutes, with team effort, I scored a goal but unfortunately it was as the whistle blew so it didn't count.

Despite our best efforts, Luxulyan scored another two goals making it 5-1 to Luxulyan at the end of the match.

We all played really well, but the top player this week was Abbigail. She was all over the ball and did not stand still!

**Football report**  
**Roche V Luxulyan**  
**By Jack M and Jamie**

On Tuesday, we played a home game of football against Luxulyan School. We started playing really well. About 5 minutes in, Morley scored our first goal. Luxulyan then went on the counter-attack and scored a goal. For the rest of the half, we were defending our goal.

After half time, Luxulyan came straight back with an early goal. They then scored 2 more goals to make it 4-1 to them with one of their players scoring a hat trick!

In the last minute I (Jack M), scored a goal assisted by Jamie.

The man of the match was our goalie, Jake S. Even though he saw some hard shots, he tried his best.

**Football Report**  
**By Jack M and Max J**

On Wednesday we were invited to play a mid-Cornwall qualifier at Biscovey.

At the start we played against St Stephen. They scored 2 goals but then Marshall and Jack scored 2 in return to make the final score 2-2.

We played St Mewan and after a tough match, we drew 0-0.

Sandy Hill played really well against us. Jake made a brilliant save but then St Mewan scored on the rebound making the final score 1-0 to them.

The game against Mount Hawke was tough but we battled on. We unfortunately lost 4-0 to them.

The last game was against Truro. They missed a couple of goals but eventually managed to get one in to make the final score 1-0 to them.

Everyone played really well. Players of the tournament were Callum and Marshall because they played their best and never gave up!

**A message from KS1 Team**



For the EYFS and KS1 Christmas play, we are in need of:

Party Hats

Party blowers

Balloons

Streamers

If you have any of these items you can donate, please pass them to Mrs Batten in the school office.

Thank you!

## Wellbeing

Every November, schools across the UK take part in Anti-bullying week. This is an opportunity to highlight bullying and consider the steps we can take together to stop it.

Anti-Bullying Week 2023 is taking place Monday 13th – Friday 17th November and it has the theme “**Make a Noise about Bullying**”.

Last year, our school council wrote an Anti-Bullying Pledge, which was shared with all our pupils:

*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:

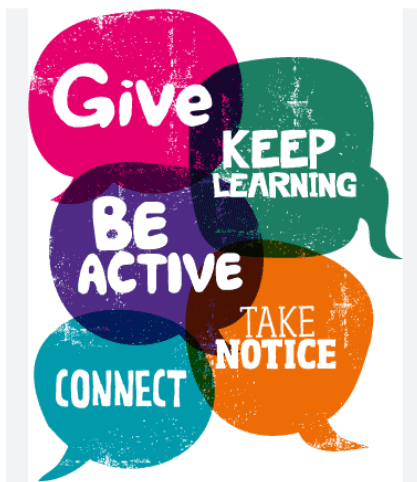
- to anyone who we think might be being bullied
- to a trusted adult if we or someone else is being bullied.

*We are upstanders, not bystanders!*

*If we challenge it, we can change it!*

As a parent or carer, you are a vital piece of the puzzle in tackling bullying. Please take a look at this guide for Parents and Carers from the Anti Bullying Alliance for more information on how to guide and support your child.

<https://anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/sites/default/files/uploads/attachments/Anti-Bullying%20Week%202023%20-%20Parent%20Pack%20FINAL.pdf>



## Children in Need

On Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November, we invite your child to wear pyjamas to school for Children in Need!

You are welcome to send your child in comfy pyjamas for the day! (Please make sure if your child is wearing a 'onesie' or similar, they are able to take themselves to the toilet).

Please make sure your child is wearing shoes suitable to wear outside.

Donations can be paid through Parent Pay under 'pay for other items'.



## Football Boots



We are in desperate need of football boots (as pictured).

If you have a pair a KS2 child could borrow or if you have any you could donate to the school, we would really appreciate it.

We would be looking for sizes from a 13 to a 4.

Any you have would be of a huge asset to our boy's and girl's football team!

Thank you!





**SPEAK**  
to somebody if you need help.



**ASK**  
an adult before going online.



**FRIENDS**  
are real people we know.



**ENJOY**  
Play, have fun and stay safe.

# Internet Safety

**Speak to:**  
An adult in your class or  
Mr Walden  
  
if you are worried  
about anything.

