

Newsletter

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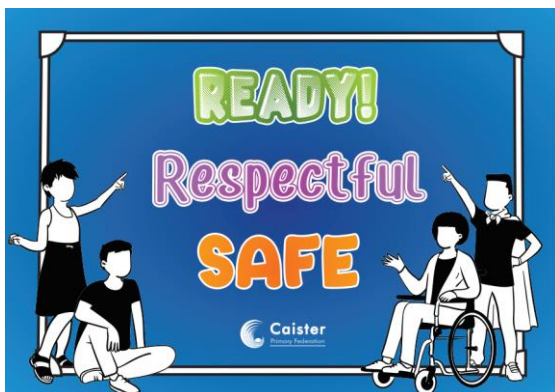
Great start!

Well done to all the children who had their first full week of school. We are all so proud of how well you have settled.

We are very excited to work with you as parents and carers, to ensure your child has an excellent educational journey with us. We will begin to plan more opportunities for parent partnership and look forward to welcoming you into the school. I have spent time in each classroom this week, it has been my pleasure to talk to the children and see how settled and calm the classrooms are with children fully engaged in their learning. A huge well done to all of you!

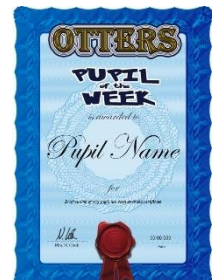
In school this week we have talked about setting goals and always doing our best. As a school we are focusing on:

- Good manners
- High quality presentation of our work
- Always being ready for learning



Pupil of the Week

Pupil of the Week is awarded during our achievement assembly on a Friday.



Awards are given to Year 1 and Year 2 children by class teachers. The awards always celebrate good work and behaviour, as well as examples of good citizenship and friendship to others or for any behaviour or activity that positively reflects the school values and show a good example to other children in school. This week.....

Class	Child
Sealions	Iris
Seashells	Josh
Starfish	Elijah
Gulls	Lydia
Penguins	William
Puffins	Arlo

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On the 9th of **October**, Plummers dentist are coming into school for a free dental screening.

What is Dental Screening?

Dental screening is an examination of children's teeth inside the school setting. Its purpose is to identify oral health concerns at an early stage and prompt parents and carers to seek treatment where required.

What happens at a school screening session?

The screening is completed by one of our dentists from John G Plummer & Associates Dental Surgeons.

Sterile dental mirrors are used to move the cheek or tongue aside to check all the tooth surfaces for decay.

Each screening takes approximately 3 minutes. Dental report forms are sent home with children to provide parents with information regarding their child's oral health.



What happens if my child has a dental problem?

If an urgent dental condition is detected in your child's mouth, you will also receive a follow up appointment for treatment. You will be contacted by telephone a few days after the screening date.

During the visit we will also reinforce the importance of good dental hygiene and a healthy diet with a fun and interactive session delivered by our award winning in-house oral health prevention team 'The Happy Smiles Club'.

If you would like your child to be screened, please sign all sections on both sides of the form highlighted in yellow and return to the form to your child's class before

Friday 22nd September

The form was sent home on Thursday.

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We like to keep spare clothes at school for children to change into. We are currently looking for:

Summer dresses

Underwear- boys and girls

Please could you label all clothing and equipment that your child brings into school.

PE kits

PE kits should be white T-shirt, royal blue shorts, plimsolls or trainers or a plain tracksuit. Please use a drawstring PE bag in order to save space on their peg.



Pastoral Team

Mrs Wright and Mrs K Bradley will be supporting the social and emotional well-being of our children. They will be on the playground almost every morning so please come and say hello. They will be available to chat over a cuppa to any parent/carer who would like support or a friendly listening ear. If you would like to contact the team at any other time, you can telephone the school office on 01493 378300 or email them at:

lwright@caisterprimaryfederation.org
kbradley@caisterinfant.org.uk

Equipment

Can I please remind parents/carers not to let their children on the equipment before and after school. This is also for the new Junior school play equipment.

Year 1 families- please remember your child will need a picture of them as a baby. 📷

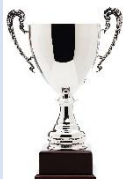
You can either bring in a picture from home or upload a picture to tapestry and your class teacher will print these out for you.

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Attendance

This week's School Attendance was %

Class	%	
Otters	100	Congratulations to the Penguins & Otters classes who are our Attendance Winners this week! 
Seals	98.56	
Jellyfish	97.25	
Pufferfish	98.67	
Sealions	92.67	
Seashells	99.33	
Starfish	89.36	
Gulls	93.85	
Penguins	100	
Puffins	95.2	

Thank you for your continued support, I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Mr Williams

If your child is unable to attend school due to illness, please call the school on 01493 378300. If your child has a medical appointment during school time, please let the school office know in advance.

School Photos

Individual school photos for children will start week beginning 25th September-More details to follow.



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Day	<u>WEEK ONE</u> W/C 04/09, 25/09, 16/10, 13/11 & 04/12	<u>WEEK TWO</u> W/C 11/09, 02/10, 30/10, 20/11 & 11/12	<u>WEEK THREE</u> W/C 18/09, 09/10, 06/11, 27/11 & 18/12	Packed Lunch	Jacket Potato
Monday	Cheese & Tomato Pizza With waffles and spaghetti hoops Rice Krispie Bar	Cheese & tomato pasta with Sweetcorn & pea mix and wholemeal bread Frozen Strawberry yogurt or ice cream tub	Cheese & bacon macaroni or macaroni cheese with broccoli & a French stick slice Raspberry crumble & ice cream	Cheese French stick, cucumber slices, rice krispie bar & a box of raisins	Cheese
Tuesday	Beef stew Or Cheese triangle with fresh vegetables & mashed potato Chocolate Oatcake	Chicken Chunks Or Quorn Nuggets with noodles, sweet & sour sauce and vegetable stir fry Raspberry Flapjack	Chicken curry with rice Or Veggie curry with rice sweetcorn & naan bread Krackolet	Crackers and a cheese triangle, carrot sticks, chocolate oatcake & apple slices	Tuna & Salad Cream
Wednesday	Meatballs or Quorn meatballs in a tomato sauce with pasta, sweetcorn & garlic bread Meringue with cream & fruit	Chilli con carne Or Veggie chilli con carne With steamed rice & sweetcorn Chocolate crunch	Sausage roll or cheese flan with smiley faces, baked beans & cucumber slices Chocolate sponge pudding & chocolate custard	Sausage wrap, bread sticks, cherry tomatoes, shortbread & melon cubes	Cheese & Beans
Thursday	Breakfast sausage Or vegetarian sausage with omelette, hash brown & beans Iced Sponge Cake	Sausage or Vegetarian Sausage with a Yorkshire Pudding, mash, peas, carrots & gravy Jelly & ice cream	Bolognese Or Quorn Bolognese with pasta, garlic bread & sweetcorn Toffee Tart	Cheese and tomato pasta pots, nutri-grain cereal bag, an iced sponge cake & grapes	Ham & Coleslaw
Friday	Chicken nuggets Or quorn nuggets with chips & spaghetti hoops ice cream tub	Fish Fingers Or Veggie Fingers with chips & beans Shortbread Biscuit	Chicken nuggets Or Cheese wheel with chips, peas & salad Oaty Bar	Ham sandwich, cucumber sticks, chocolate crunch biscuit & a piece of fruit	Cheese & Beans