# Delabole Community Primary School Newsletter

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Dear parents and carers,

Well done to our Year 6 children!

Regardless of what the results of the SATs tests are when they are returned to us in July, we would like to say how proud we are of the learning attitude our Y6 pupils demonstrated throughout the assessments. More importantly than anything else, we can say that they absolutely gave their best efforts and we are proud of them.

#### **GDPR**

With the new General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) coming into effect on Friday 25 May, we would like to inform you that we have updated our privacy notice. This document explains how we use and share information about your child, and can be viewed in full here: <a href="http://bit.ly/pupildataprivacy">http://bit.ly/pupildataprivacy</a>

### **Internet Safety**

The NSPCC and O2 website/app providing information for grown-ups to keep children safe in today's digital world, has been updated with new reviews from parents and young people. Net Aware provides online safety information and advice on privacy settings and other features, as well as recommended age guidance and risk ratings for inappropriate content. The link is <a href="https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/">https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/</a>.



#### Sun Safety

We are still receiving questions from parents regarding the application of sun cream. Please can we clarify that due to the safety of medication in school, staff cannot apply sun cream throughout the day and tubes of sun cream should not be in children's school bags. We would like to recommend that parents select a high UV factor and apply sun cream liberally at the start of the day. If there is a hot day, we will ensure that children are kept in the shade for reasonable amounts of time and be very vigilant. Please supply your child with plenty of drinking water and a sun hat.

## **Early Morning Protocols**

In preparation for Term 6, the senior leadership team have been discussing how we can ensure that each child is confident and well prepared for the subsequent year. This ranges from coming into school calmly, being ready for learning, to receiving interventions which will help close the gap towards end of year expectations. We are also considering resources to support some pupils over the summer holidays — especially in the fundamentals of number and reading. For this reason, we will be tightening up early morning playground protocols and we are requesting that parents do not come into the classrooms at the start of the day as this can disrupt interventions. Most staff are available on the playground and are happy to take messages. If there is an urgent message, please pass it to the office. It is not our intention to

exclude parents but for younger children, the presence of so many parents in corridors and classes can be disconcerting. We really appreciate your support in this.



## **Deli Farm Run**

Just a reminder that we look forward to seeing as many families as possible at the Deli Farm Run tomorrow. The run commences at 10am. Please bring plenty of water and sun cream in case it is hot.

# With best wishes

Sue Cox

**Head Teacher** 

# **Key Dates**

Deli Farm Run
SATs week for year 2 – ensure your child is in school
Year 6 Residential to Bristol
Last day of Term 5
First day of Term 6
Class photos
School Closed – Community Cohesion Day
Year 3 Minack Theatre
Sports Day
Class 3 surfing
Class 4 surfing
Fly Up days
Class 4 performance 2pm & 6pm
Year 6 Leavers' Assembly
Last day of Term 6