



Newsletter- Friday 6th March



Year 1 Synagogue Visit

Year 1 had a great time at Plymouth Synagogue this week. Jerry talked to them about the different parts of the Synagogue and some of the roles within the Jewish faith. The children represented the school brilliantly and shared their great knowledge. What superstars! Thank you Jerry for taking the time to talk to us.



Football Event

Earlier this week, a group of KS2 children took part in a football event at Harpers led by PSSP. The children demonstrated fantastic teamwork and showed great encouragement and respect towards all teams involved. They displayed some excellent passing, striking and defending skills throughout the event and were a real credit to our school. Well done to everyone who took part!



World Book Day

What a great effort for World Book Day 2026! We were blown away by your effort to dress up at such a variety of book characters. Don't forget to spend your £1 book token! There are books specifically for the token or you can put it towards a different one. Happy Reading!

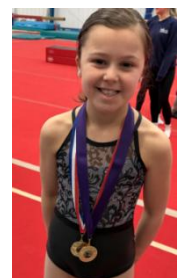


Celebrations

Well done to Evelyn in Hazel Class who competed in a gymnastics competition recently and received 2 gold medals- 1st in beam and 1st overall. What an amazing achievement!

Freya in Year 1 was awarded both her Level 1 and 2 certificates last month and Isabella in Year 4 was awarded her Level 4 certificate. Well done to them both!

Have a lovely weekend,
Mrs Barker



Key Dates

*Please check this section each week as new dates are added frequently.

Wednesday 11 th March *New Date*	Year 5 Rowing – Indoor event at school led by PSSP
Thursday 12 th March 2.00- 3.00	Year 1 Learning Together Session
Monday 16 th March 9.15-10.15	Nursery starters Stay & Play Session
Thursday 19 th March 9-10 * NEW DATE*	Parent Workshop led by MHST – ‘Separation Anxiety’
Monday 23 rd March 2.15- 3.00	Year 6 Learning Together Session
Wednesday 25 th March	PARENTS EVENING (All classes)
Wednesday 25 th March 1.30-3.00	Year 4 Learning Together Session
Monday 30 th March	PARENTS EVENING (OAK CLASS)
Tuesday 31 st March	PARENTS EVENING (All classes except Oak)
Thursday 2 nd April 2.00- 3.00	Rocksteady Concert and last day of Term 4
Friday 3 rd April	BANK HOLIDAY
Monday 6 th - Friday 17 th April	EASTER BREAK
Monday 20 th April	First day of Term 5
Monday 20 th April	New Nursery starters Home Visits
Tuesday 21 st April	New Nursery starters Home Visits
Wednesday 29 th April	FOLS Spring Disco – more information to follow
Monday 4 th May	BANK HOLIDAY
Friday 22 nd May	Last day of Term 5
Monday 25 th - Friday 29 th May	HALF TERM
Monday 1 st June	Non Pupil Day
Tuesday 2 nd June	First day of Term 6
Friday 17 th July	Last day of the academic year

Connect Academy Trust
Term Dates 2025-2026

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Awards Pages

If you would like to share significant successes e.g. from your child's involvement in clubs/ competitions out of school, please send a short explanation (and a photograph if you wish to include one) to admin@leigham-primary.plymouth.sch.uk with 'Newsletter Celebrations' in the subject line. Please note that the newsletter is shared via email and online through our website and social media platforms and so adding a photograph to your email means that you consent to it being shared in all of those places.

Class Charter Champion

Each week, staff recognise a class member who has demonstrated our school values of being **KIND**, **READY** for a challenge and a great **LEARNER**. They will be invited to celebrate with a hot chocolate on Friday afternoon.

Ash	Hattie	Spruce	Aadhrika
Oak	Roman	Beech	Casper
Maple	Benjamin	Hazel	Samuel
Palm	Joshua	Fir	Roseanna
Poplar	Monroe	Elm	Jessica
Willow	Kobie	Pine	Isobel
Larch	Jude	Yew	Stevi



Dojo Awards

The classes with the most weekly Dojos in each Key Stage are shown below.

Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2
Year 1	Beech



Separation Anxiety Parent Workshop

Thursday
19th March

9:00 - 10:00 AM at

Leigham
Primary School



A workshop by MHST offering advice & support
for parents of children struggling with separation anxiety.



WEDOFootBALL

EASTER HOLIDAY CLUBS ARE BACK!

FUN & AFFORDABLE FOOTBALL ACTION THIS EASTER!

Ages 5-15
Early drop off from 9.15am (no extra cost!)

Just £12.50 per child, per day

- Maximum fun
- Safe learning environment
- No pressure, just enjoyment
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 wedofootball1@gmail.com
 07795804127

Spaces always go quickly over the holidays — don't leave it late!

#Plymouth #DevonFootball #EasterHolidayClub #KidsFootball

Stoke Damerel Community College
 Tue 7th – Fri 10th
 Mon 13th – Fri 17th

Tor Bridge
 Tue 7th & Thu 9th
 Tue 14th & Thu 16th

St Matthews Primary
 Wed 8th & Fri 10th
 Mon 13th, Wed 15th & Fri 17th

Hooe Primary
 Wed 8th & Fri 10th
 Mon 13th & Wed 15th

Plymstock School
 Fri 10th
 Wed 15th & Fri 17th

Morley Meadow
 Thu 9th & Thu 16th

#Plymouth #DevonFootball #EasterHolidayClub #KidsFootball #WeDoFootball



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EASTER HOLIDAY CLUB 2026

FUN • ACTIVE • SAFE • INCLUSIVE

£12.50 Per Child, Per Day

ST MATTHEWS PRIMARY SCHOOL
 Tuesday 7th April Thursday 9th April
 Tuesday 14th April Thursday 16th April

HOOE PRIMARY SCHOOL
 Tuesday 7th April
 Thursday 9th April
 Tuesday 14th April
 Thursday 16th April
 Friday 17th April

Ages 5-12 • 10:00am - 3:00pm
EARLY DROP-OFF FROM 9:15AM (FREE)

What to Expect:

- Dodgeball
- Basketball
- Multi-Sports Games
- Fun Competitions

- Safe & Welcoming Environment
- Fully Insured
- Fit & Fed Spaces Available
- Packed Lunch & Drink Required

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PLYMOUTH FIT & FED VENUES

- What is a FREE Fit & Fed Club?** A FREE Fit & Fed Club is a children's holiday club which includes physical activity, sports, dance, arts and crafts, well-being activities, AND A NUTRITIOUS LUNCH for your child!
- Where is it held?** Boringdon Primary School, Plymouth, PL7 4HJ
 Pilgrim Primary Academy, Plymouth, PL1 5BQ
 Thornbury Primary School, Plymouth, PL6 8UL
- When is it?** Tuesday 7th April - Friday 17th April, 8:30am-1pm
 Please check individual venues for exact running dates and times
- Who can attend?** Children aged 4-11 who receive Free School Meals
- How do I book?** Scan the QR code (above and below) and select your venue/dates
- When can I book?** Bookings go live on Monday 9th March. Please use the QR codes above and below
- Do you need help with booking?** Contact us on...
 dcrysell@premier-education.com or 01392 982809 or Facebook Messenger

PLEASE BRING
 Plenty of water
 Suitable clothing
 Loads of energy!

Our Holiday Clubs keep children active, safe, and entertained throughout the school holidays.

Join us this holiday period as we offer a wide range of fun activities, including sports, performing arts, and games, all at great value. There's something for every child to enjoy this half-term!

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