



## A message from Mrs French

Another great week in school this week. We have had much excitement across the classes from visiting farmers, tasting exotic fruits to mysterious, strange eggs.

### Read, Write, Inc lessons

The children also started in their new Read, Write Inc (RWI) groups this week. These RWI lessons are key to teaching your child to read. It is a systematic approach to reading in which your child learns the phonic sounds and is then taught to 'sound out' words and blend these sounds to read words. This week your child will have come home with a RWI 'spot' book. Your child will be able to read this book with increasing independence, it allows them to practice using the sounds they will have learnt during the week in their RWI lesson.

Please support your child in reading this book each evening, re-reading the book will promote fluency and allow them to fully embed the sounds and words into their long term memory. It is important your child brings their reading folder and reading book to school every day. They take their reading folders to their RWI lesson twice weekly to change their books. As the books need to be stored in sets it is important you return your child's book to school.

If you have any questions about supporting your child with reading and phonics do talk to your child's class teacher during next weeks parent consultation meetings.

### Morning drop off

Thank you for supporting us to ensure a steady flow of parents through the site during the morning. Please do drop your child and move away from the gate as swiftly as possible to allow other parents to access the gate and drop their children.

We do lock the gate promptly at 9am as the above mentioned RWI lesson starts promptly at 9.05am following the morning register at 9am. It is important your child is in school for the start of this lesson to support their learning and to provide a settled start to the day.

### Parent consultations

If you have not yet booked your parent consultation please do so via the Arbor app. Please ensure you have only booked one parent consultation for either Tuesday or Thursday. SEN parent consultations are to be booked with the SENDCo on Wednesday 24th March and not with the class teachers on Tuesday or Thursday. Thank you.

## Hub Councillor Opportunity



Are you passionate about improving the outcomes for pupils?

We have a Hub Councillor vacancy at Biscovey Nursery & Infants' Academy.

You will work with the Head of School and other Hub Councillors in the Aspire Academy Trust to monitor progress and assess the impact of academy improvement.

If you are interested in school governance, and believe you have the skills and time available, then please contact the school office for more details.

### Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 23rd March	Parent Phone/Consultations
Thursday 25th March	Parent Phone/Consultations
Monday 29th March	Easter Eggstravaganza Week
Friday 2nd April	Bank Holiday ~ Good Friday
Monday 5th to Friday 16th April	Easter Break
Monday 3rd May	May Day Bank Holiday
Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June	Half Term
Monday 7th June	Inset Day
Thursday 22nd July	Last Day Of Term
Friday 23rd July	Inset Day



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## NUMBOTS

**Congratulations to this weeks  
Numbot Achievers**

Kingfishers ~ Nahla  
Puffins ~ Sophia  
Swallows ~ Caden  
Swifts ~ Finley, Oscar and Charlie  
Owls ~ Tyler  
Skylarks ~ Phoebe  
Robins ~ Olivia

## Reading Rocket Awards



Puffins ~ Joshua W, Huey and Oscar  
Swallows ~ Lara, Jack, Oakley and Sanchia  
Robins ~ Indianna, Sienna, Robert and Olivia  
Skylarks ~ Phoebe, Sofia, Lyvie, Ethan, Max and Tommy W-T



## Achievement Awards Reception, Year 1 and Year 2

Kingfishers	Puffins	Swallows	Swifts	Robins	Skylarks	Owls
Toby and Mark	Logan and Reggie	Jowan and Betty	Rupert and Henry	Millie Olivia and Theo	Sophia and Ava-Lilly	Siannah and Drake

### Leader board



*The 3 children who have achieved the most correct answers in the last week.*

1st. Lyvie ~ Skylarks  
2nd. Robert ~ Robins  
3rd. Phoebe ~ Skylarks

**Well done!!**

### MY PERSONAL BEST This weeks value is Respect

*These children have shown great respect in their learning this week*

Nahla ~ Kingfishers  
Charlie ~ Puffins  
Betty ~ Swallows  
Nellie-Violet ~ Swifts  
Bayleigh-Mae ~ Robins  
Flinn ~ Skylarks  
Lexi ~ Owls



*We are so proud of the children who have reached the sunshine for exceptional kindness, behaviour or friendliness to others.*

*You are an exceptional role model*

**Well done!!**

Daisy ~ Skylarks

Addison ~ Puffins

Harvey and Poppy - Swallows

Charlie - Swifts

### Attendance



This weeks best attendance goes to **Puffins** with **99.6%**  
Well done!

Reception	Year 1	Year 2
Kingfishers ~ 96.8%	Swallows ~ 98.3%	Owls ~ 97.9%
Puffins ~ 99.6%	Swifts ~ 96.0%	Robins ~ 97.2%
		Skylarks ~ 95.8%



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## TREETOPS

Treetops is a wrap around care provision for pupils from Reception to Year 6, attending both Biscovey academies.

It is based on the Junior school site and comprises spacious provision across two rooms with access to the school field and playground.

We aim to create a happy and stimulating environment where your child is cared for by experienced staff. We provide a wide selection of toys, games and activities. A healthy, afternoon snack is also provided for children.

### Breakfast Club:

£1.90 per half hour session.

We provide a healthy breakfast for the children with a selection of toast, cereals and fruit.

### After School:

£1.90 per half hour session.

Sibling discount of £1.50.

### Opening Times:

7:30-8:45 am and 3-5:30pm

### Contact Details:

treetops@biscovey.org.uk

01726 812949

Open during term time only.

All sessions must be pre-paid in full via ParentPay.



## Easter Eggstravaganza

We will be holding an 'Easter Eggstravaganza' the week beginning 29th March. We are inviting the children to bring in decorated eggs. We ask that these are brought in to school on Wednesday 31st March at the latest. These will be displayed in the hall and judged on Thursday 1st April.



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## Comic Relief Day

*A wonderful day enjoyed by all!*

*Our running total is £91.50 . Thank you for all your contributions so far.*



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