



# ST LEVAN PRIMARY SCHOOL



BULLETIN 12 4TH DECEMBER 2020

## Communications:

### Email:

- Christmas production at The Minack information
- Puffins class visit to The Exchange Art Gallery
- Christmas Jumper Day

### Covid guidelines for schools have been updated:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/actions-for-schools-during-the-coronavirus-outbreak/guidance-for-full-opening-schools>

## Friday 4th December 2020

There is a link with suggestions for outdoor activities from Cornwall Council on page 2 of the Bulletin this week. Just some ideas for family fun outside over Christmas. I've included a poster regarding details about Tier 1 for your information. Cross your fingers for reasonable weather for next Thursday and don't forget to wrap up warm! We are putting together a Christmas hamper as a raffle prize for our Christmas performance, any donations gratefully received.

**Diane Blackie—Interim Head Teacher**

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

### Tues 8th December

Puffins class visit The Exchange Art Gallery

### Thurs 10th December

The Space Race Christmas production at The Minack Theatre (Thurs 17th Dec back up date if weather is awful)

### Fri 11th December

Christmas Jumper Day raising money for Save the Children

### Wed 16th December

Christmas Lunch

### Fri 18th December

Last day of Autumn term 1.30pm finish

### Mon 4th January 2021

First day of Spring term

## ATTENDANCE

Good attendance is vital for learning. The national minimum expectation is set at 96%. Please help us achieve this and support your child's learning.

### Attendance to the end of November:

Choughs 94.6% Puffins 95.6% Whole school 95.2%

## *Shining Stars of the Week*



**Nathan Puffins**

*For excellent focus and brilliant reasoning in maths!*



**James Choughs**

*For super effort and enthusiasm in reading and maths. You're doing brilliantly—remember, mistakes show you're learning.*

## **Doing December Differently**

### **Activity Booklet**

This activity booklet is perfect for you if you are:

- Arty-Crafy – like making things
- Green – want to look after our planet
- Sporty – like to jump around a bit
- Outdoorsy – like being outside
- Up for it – like a challenge
- Cooky – fan of Bake Off or Masterchef

Please click the link below:

<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/education-and-learning/coronavirus-advice-for-children-and-families/doing-december-differently/>

## **Conversation Topics:**

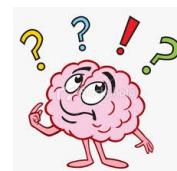
This week the suggested topics are:

**Choughs:** Play the game of '**I went shopping and I bought....**' where a



player names an item, for example apples, and the next player names this item and adds another, so players end up reciting a list. Play continues until a player can no longer remember all the items.

**Puffins:** What can you catch but not throw?  
.....the answer is on our Twitter page.



## **Christmas Hamper Raffle**

Although we were unable to hold the Christmas Market this year we are still going to hold our usual Christmas Hamper Raffle. If you are shopping this weekend it would be great if you could pick up a Christmas treat or delicacy to bring into school to be put into the Hamper. We will be selling raffle tickets next week Monday to Wednesday. Tickets will be £1 for 1 ticket. Please put your money in a sealed envelope and write clearly on the front your name and how many tickets you would like. We will then send back your ticket/s in an envelope.

The winner will be announced and ready for collection from The Minack Theatre on Thursday at the Christmas production.

Thank you for all your support over this term.

## Cornwall Christmas Box Project

A huge **thank you** for your generous contributions to the Cornwall Christmas Box Project. Choughs class had a wonderful time decorating boxes for the donated items.

We have managed to fill **12 boxes** which will be distributed to families who need a little bit of help this Christmas.





# TIER 1

# MEDIUM ALERT

FROM 2 DEC

## MEETING FRIENDS AND FAMILY



Maximum of six indoors or outdoors, apart from with members of a single household or support bubble.

## BARS, PUBS AND RESTAURANTS



Venues must be table service only. They must stop taking orders at 10pm and must close by 11pm.

## RETAIL



Open.

## WORK AND BUSINESS



Everyone who can work from home should do so.

## EDUCATION



Early years settings, schools, colleges and universities open. Childcare, other supervised activities for children, and childcare bubbles permitted.

## INDOOR LEISURE



Open.

## ACCOMMODATION



Open.

## PERSONAL CARE



Open.

## OVERNIGHT STAYS



Permitted with household, support bubble, or up to 6 people.

## WEDDINGS AND FUNERALS



15 guests for weddings, civil partnerships, wedding receptions and wakes; 30 for funerals.

## ENTERTAINMENT



Open.

## PLACES OF WORSHIP



Open, but cannot interact with more than six people.

## TRAVELLING



Walk or cycle if possible, plan ahead and avoid busy times and routes on public transport. Avoid car sharing with those outside of your household or support bubble. Avoid travelling into a Tier 3 area, other than where necessary such as for work or education. Further exemptions apply.

## EXERCISE



Classes and organised adult sport can take place outdoors, but must follow the rule of six indoors. Organised activities for elite athletes, under-18s and disabled people can continue.

## RESIDENTIAL CARE



COVID-secure arrangements such as substantial screens, visiting pods, and window visits. Outdoor/airtight visits only (rollout of rapid testing will enable indoor visits including contact).

## LARGE EVENTS



Sport, live performances and business meetings limited to 50% capacity or 4000 people outdoors (whichever is lower) and 50% capacity or 1000 people indoors (whichever is lower)

## Find out what support you can get

For example, if you're out of work, need to get food, or want to take care of your mental health.

[gov.uk/coronavirus](https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus)

## If you have any coronavirus symptoms:

A high temperature • A new, continuous cough  
A loss of, or change to, your sense of smell or taste

Get a test and stay at home

For more information and detailed guidance visit:  
[gov.uk/coronavirus](https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus)

