

Welcome to Watergate

Meet the Team!

Watergate Teacher: Miss Holmes



Watergate Support Staff: Mrs Hatton



Porth Teacher: Mrs Ryan



Porth Student Teacher: Miss Bulford



Porth Support Staff: Mrs Retallick



Welcome



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Our Trust - Kernow Learning


 **Our Mission: for every school, for our Trust**
Building Excellent Schools Together

  **Building Excellence Together**

 **Our Core Shared Values**


From  To 

 **STRENGTH
WISDOM
COURAGE**

 **Our Philosophy**

Our Philosophy... our attitudes that act as guiding principles for our behaviours

 **work hard,
be honest &
help others.**

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Safeguarding



Mrs Cherry PSA
What is a Parent Support Advisor?
I am here to help, support and advise you and your family on concerns that you may have at home or at school regarding your child or yourself.

Safeguarding

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Safeguarding Children
Our Designated Child Protection and Safeguarding Lead (DSL) is
Marie Taylor

Including Child in Care Designated Person, Safer Recruitment Trained, Child Sexual Exploitation and Single Point of Contact for PREVENT

If unavailable please contact: **Penny Cherry**, Deputy Safeguarding Lead pcherry@kernowlearning.co.uk

or **Tracey Milsom**, Deputy Safeguarding Lead tmilsom@kernowlearning.co.uk

The named Member of the Governing Body is **Charlie Roose** croose@kernowlearning.co.uk

Child Protection Statement: Safeguarding Children in St Columb Major Academy
Our school community has a duty to safeguard and promote the welfare of children who are our pupils. This means that we have a Child Protection Policy and procedures in place, which we refer to in our school prospectus. All staff, including our volunteers and supply staff must ensure that they are aware of these procedures. They are also all DBS checked. Parents and carers are welcome to read these upon request.
Sometimes, we may need to share information and work in partnership with other agencies when there are concerns about a child's welfare. We will endeavour to ensure that our concerns about pupils are discussed with their parents/carers first, unless we have reason to believe that this is not in the child's best interests.



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Topics in Watergate

Each topic seeks to answer a big question

Autumn – How do we know it's Autumn?
How do we get light and dark?

Spring – What is different about old and new toys?
How do plants grow?

Summer - Where does our food come from and how has this changed over time?
How do sea creatures survive and live?

Topics



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Topics in Watergate

Further information on our topics and curriculum can be found on our school website.

On the curriculum page you will see a full overview of our curriculum and you can click on the topic mats for each term to see what key information your child will be learning.

Understanding The World – The Natural World How do we know it's Autumn? What happens to trees in Autumn? The leaves change colour and fall off the tree as they die. What happens to the weather? It gets colder and wetter. It also starts to get darker. VOCABULARY Autumn: the season that comes after Summer Weather: changes in the air around us such as rain, wind, sunshine, warm and cold.	EYFS Autumn 1 Topic KIRFs Autumn  The learning you child will be doing in each subject this term is based on a key question. The subsequent questions and vocabulary are some of the small steps they will take to achieve their answer. Please discuss these with your child to help support and reinforce the work they are doing in class.	Understanding The World - People, Culture and Communities What is a Harvest Festival? What is a festival? A celebration in schools and churches of a special time. What is harvest? Collecting food from the ground, trees and plants, such as apples, blackberries, potatoes and wheat. VOCABULARY Harvest: Food which food is cut or picked for us to eat Church: a building where people go to worship God
Expressive Arts and Design What colours are best to use for an Autumn picture? What colours are the leaves in Autumn? Red, yellow, orange, green, brown. How can we change the colours of paint? When you mix two colours together it changes the colour. VOCABULARY Warm colours: warm colours are made up of red, orange and yellow Colour mixing: where 2 colours are mixed together to make a different colour	Understanding The World – The Natural World What do animals do in Autumn? What is hibernating? When animals have a long sleep for the winter. What do animals do to get ready for hibernating? They collect food and make a bed. VOCABULARY Hibernation: a long winter sleep Nest: a warm dry bed to sleep in.	

Topics

You can also see out intent, implementation and impact statements for each subject in the curriculum area of our website



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Watergate Timetable

	8:50-9:00	9:00-9:40	9:40-11:00	11:00-11:30	11:30-11:45	12:45-1:30	1:30-2:40	2:40-2:55	2:55-3:15
MON	Registration Letter formation	RWI	Continuous Provision	T4W/nursery rhymes	Read to class: Poetry	Maths	Continuous Provision	Read to class: Poetry	Assembly
TUES	Registration Letter formation	RWI	Continuous Provision	T4W/nursery rhymes	Read to class	Maths	Continuous Provision	Read to class	Assembly
WED	Registration Letter formation	RWI	Continuous Provision	T4W/nursery rhymes	Read to class	Maths	Continuous Provision	Read to class	Assembly
THUR	Registration Letter formation	RWI	Forest School	T4W/nursery rhymes	Read to class	Maths	Continuous Provision	Read to class	Assembly
FRI	Registration Letter formation	RWI	PE Music	T4W/nursery rhymes	Read to class: NF Fri	Oracy: Show and Tell	Continuous Provision	Read to class: NF Fri	Assembly

Timetable



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Watergate Homework

- Share a book daily
- Read Write Inc speed sounds book
- Practical counting and number practise
- Independence- changing clothes, cutting food etc

Homework



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Reading Records

Children are expected to read daily at home. As usual, please support your child to complete their reading record.

As well as reading for pleasure in their heads or with you, it is also important for children to read aloud to an adult to practise their fluency and to talk about what they have read.

Library books will be changed every Friday.

Reading



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Behaviour



 1 Brilliant Listening	 1 Compassion	 1 Fantastic Homework	 1 Fastest Changers
 1 Forgiveness	 5 Headteacher Award	 1 Perseverance	 1 Ready to learn
 2 Remembering more	 1 Resilience	 1 Respect	 1 Super RWI

 0 Disrespectful after a warning	 0 Disruptive behaviour aft...	 0 Hurting others	 0 Refusal to following...
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Behaviour



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School Rules

OUR SCHOOL RULES

- Please make sure long hair is tied up
- No nail varnish
- No jewellery
- No temporary tattoos
- No bringing in toys from home



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St Columb Major Academy Rules

- Show good manners at **all** times.
- Follow instructions with thought and care.
- Care for everyone and everything.



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Attendance

Doors open at 8.45am

Register: 8.45-8.55am

Collection: 3.15pm

Absences: Please inform the school office of all absences by 8.45am – the school will then authorise absences that are due to sickness.

Exceptional Leave Requests links are available from the school office. (online form)

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Contact Us

We have an open-door policy and welcome parents/carers coming to speak to us if they have any questions.

You can send us a message on Dojo- however staff cannot respond to these messages. Please do not send messages about collection to the teacher directly, please send these messages to the office.

Parents/carers can also contact us via the school office:
01637 880272

[Contact Us](#)



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