



Newsletter

27th March 2026

Hi Everyone,

Thank you for all your donations of fruit for snack. It is so important for us to be able to provide a healthy snack for all children. We give them milk and water. This is following advice from the NHS on what to give children to drink when they are under 5. [Drinks and cups for babies and young children - NHS](#)

The children have loved playing in the rain , splashing in puddles and squishing the mud. They have also been planting seeds and learning about the life cycle of a plant. There have been some beautiful observational drawings of daffodils.

I would like to thank you for coming to our World Book Day event. Lots of families came to plant seeds, share books and join in with songs and rhymes. (Thank you for the cake!) It is really important to take some time to share books and talk about the pictures. This will help your child on the road to loving reading. If you would like some help with ideas and activities to do at home have a look at the literacy trust website. [Activities | Words for Life](#)

Emma (Headteacher)

NEW STAFF

Katie is on maternity leave and Beckie is at home with a bad back. To help us out until the end of the summer term we have a couple of new staff members who have joined our team.

Hayley is working in the sunshine room

Lauren, Katie and Emma are in the main Nursery.

We also have a new student Sophie.

We would like to welcome them all to the Nursery.

PARKING SAFETY

Please remember that our car park is for staff and blue badge holders only. Please park on the road to ensure all our children are safe.

CHANGE TO INSET DAY DATE

Our INSET day has moved from 1st June to the 22nd June 2026. Nursery will be closed on this date.

VISIT FROM PERRAN MOON

Your local MP Perran Moon visited a few weeks ago. He is very interested in how the Nursery supports all children to achieve their "Best Start in Life". If you meet him out and about please mention Camborne Nursery School to him. In Cornwall we are currently one of the lowest funded counties for education and reminding our MPs is important for all children to thrive. Also thank you to Kelly and Jess for talking so eloquently about the challenges they face.

SNACK

We provide a healthy snack for the children every day. To help us continue this we ask our families for:

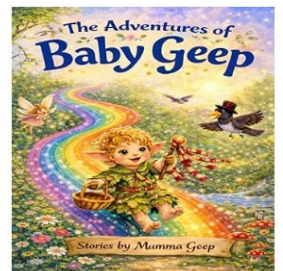
- Donations of apples, bananas, satsumas or breadsticks
- or
- A donation of £5 every term.



THE ADVENTURES OF BABY GEEP

One of our wonderful nursery Grandmas has written a children's book! We will be sharing the book in classes next week. Each copy purchased will donate to Cornwall Hospice Care. Here is the link if you would like to have a look:

<https://www.amazon.co.uk/dp/BOGTRV8PSW>



FOODBANK OPENING TIMES

Tuesday 1.30pm to 3.30pm

Wednesday 5.30pm to 6.30pm

Thursday 10.00am to 12.00pm

Friday 10.30am to 12.00pm

Location: 1 Wesley St, Camborne TR14 8DP

Please let us know if you need a foodbank voucher.



MAKATON

Chick



TERM DATES

16th to 20th February—February half term (nursery closed)

Thursday 2nd April—Last day of Spring term

Monday 20th April—First day of Summer term

4th May—Bank holiday (nursery closed)

25th to 29th May—May half term (nursery closed)

Monday 22nd June—INSET Day (nursery closed)

Thursday 23rd July—Last day of the school year

March 2026						
Mon		2	9	16	23	30
Tue		3	10	17	24	31
Wed		4	11	18	25	
Thurs		5	12	19	26	
Fri		6	13	20	27	
Sat		7	14	21	28	
Sun	1	8	15	22	29	

April 2026						
Mon		6	13	20	27	
Tue		7	14	21	28	
Wed	1	8	15	22	29	
Thurs	2	9	16	23	30	
Fri	3	10	17	24		
Sat	4	11	18	25		
Sun	5	12	19	26		

May 2026						
Mon		4	11	18	25	
Tue		5	12	19	26	
Wed		6	13	20	27	
Thurs		7	14	21	28	
Fri	1	8	15	22	29	
Sat	2	9	16	23	30	
Sun	3	10	17	24	31	

June 2026						
Mon		1	8	15	22	29
Tue		2	9	16	23	30
Wed		3	10	17	24	
Thurs		4	11	18	25	
Fri		5	12	19	26	
Sat		6	13	20	27	
Sun		7	14	21	28	

July 2026						
Mon		6	13	20	27	
Tue		7	14	21	28	
Wed	1	8	15	22	29	
Thurs	2	9	16	23	30	
Fri	3	10	17	24	31	
Sat	4	11	18	25		
Sun	5	12	19	26		

August 2026						
Mon		3	10	17	24	31
Tue		4	11	18	25	
Wed		5	12	19	26	
Thurs		6	13	20	27	
Fri		7	14	21	28	
Sat	1	8	15	22	29	
Sun	2	9	16	23	30	



Make with Leach!

EASTER HOLIDAYS

Drop-in and bookable creative workshops held at the Leach Pottery, St Ives Community Orchard, the Buttermarket in Redruth and Camborne Library, for families.

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LEACH EASTER HOLIDAYS

A fortnight of creative pottery workshops for families, across St Ives, Redruth and Camborne, to make with clay together. Just as Bernard Leach took inspiration from nature in his creations, the workshops bring clay together with spring growth to make beautiful and useful pottery.

Young Potter's Throwing

*Thursday 9 & Thursday 16 April
10am - 12pm and 1pm - 3pm*

Location: Leach Pottery

Become one of the many potters who have learnt to throw on a wheel at Leach Pottery. Potters will experience the basics of throwing. For ages 7-11 and aches 12-18. Free to TR26 & 27 postcodes booking essential .

Spring Sugar Bowls

Tuesday 7 April & Tuesday 14 April at various times

Location: Camborne Library

Celebrate the lengthening days and brighter skies by creating your very own hand-built spring inspired sugar bowl. Free to TR14 postcodes, booking essential .

Spring Egg Cups

Wednesday 8 April, 10 - 12.30pm & 1.30 - 4pm

Location: The Buttermarket or

Wednesday 15 April, 10 - 12.30pm & 1.30 - 4pm

Location: St Ives Community Orchard

Adapt and decorate your very own eggcup. Choose a form that has been pre-thrown at the Leach Pottery and use molochite slip, carving and sgraffito to give your cup finer details.

And for adults only...

Throwing Tasters: Half Day

Friday 10 April, 10-12.30pm or 1.30-4pm

Location: Leach Pottery

An introduction to throwing for beginners, covering clay preparation, wedging, centering clay and throwing basic cylinders.

See our website for full details.



Leach Pottery
St Ives

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