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# TREVISKER TIMES



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## This weeks `Trevisker Times` .....

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Hello everyone,

Welcome to the first edition of the `Trevisker Times` this is our new style newsletter that we intend to send home electronically weekly / fortnightly depending on how much is going on in the school.

Thank you for the warm welcome that I have received from you all this week, I have met so many of you already and look forward to catching up with more of you next week. I will be out on the various gates most days either in the mornings or afternoons—do come and find me for a chat at anytime.

We welcomed our new set of reception children into our EYFS Acorn class on Wednesday of this week and today they have achieved their first full day at school —there will definitely be some tired little ones this weekend. The children arrived with such confidence and smiles, all looking very smart in their uniforms and clutching their book bags; almost as big them!

All of the other classes have also had a great few days. They have come back really focused and ready for learning which is what we like. I have been able to spend time with the children at lunch-times and break -times, getting to know their characters and gathering ideas for future learning and projects here at Trevisker. Believe me, they have a big wish list !!

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank the staff for working so hard in getting the school ready for opening. The classroom environments are looking great and hopefully you will be able to come in and see them for yourselves really soon. We have a very natural theme across the school this year, and are using natural materials such as hessian as backing for the displays; his style is proven to have a calming influence and supports any concerns around cognitive overload whilst also having the plus points of being both reusable and eco-friendly.

Today in our `Friday Celebration Assembly` we launched our new rewards system with the children, this is part of the Class Dojo system, some of you may be familiar with it already. Class Dojo is an on-line rewards and messaging system which can be accessed from all smart phones, tablets, i-pads etc, meaning that when your child is rewarded you will instantly get a notification. It also allows the school to connect with parents/carers much easier and quicker when sending out information and quick messages. The teachers at Trevisker have had a good look at its capabilities and are delighted that it will allow them to show off your childrens learning and add photographs directly when learning is taking place anytime, any place, anywhere. We will be sending out further information for you to link up with the schools account so please look out for this in the book bag post or via emails next week. The children are very excited about this new system ad have had their first taster of being awarded dojos today.

We have had a great few days settling the children back into their school routines ready for our first full week on Monday . Please do get in touch should you have any questions or concerns, we are here to support you and your children in anyway that we can.

See you next week,

Best wishes, Mrs Jenkin - Headteacher.

PS. Please see attached on the following pages the first class photos of the year and next weeks `Trevisker Times` to look forward to :-)







## Next weeks Trevisker Times to look forward to .....

Reception—Acorn Class - will be enjoying their topic 'Marvellous Me' and learning about different families and how to look after themselves.

Year 1— Birch Class - will be starting their topic all about farms and will be learning about the history of farming.

Year 2—Willow class - Their topic for this term is 'Enchanted Forests', so the children will be focusing on all things plants and trees and exploring what makes a plant thrive.

Year 3— Sycamore class - will be exploring their new book 'The Egyptian Cinderella' and thinking about how the main character (Rhodopis) might be feeling and will learn and use expanded noun phrases to describe her appearance and feelings.

Year 4— Eucalyptus class - will be creating personification poems from the point of view of an Ancient Greek artifact.

Year 5— Beech class - will be beginning their history topic where they will be looking at the Space Race.

Year 6— Oak class - will start to explore their new topic 'The Mayans'.



Class dojo is coming soon—please look out for further information and sign up support next week !