



St Minver School

Head of School: Mrs A Warren

Friday 12th September 2025

Cowrie Class – Autumn 1

Welcome to the new academic year 2025-2026 and Cowrie Class. We are really looking forward to welcoming back familiar faces and embracing new families along the way! It is very exciting to be starting this academic year welcoming our new 2-year-olds to our wonderful Nursery. It is such a privilege to work with your children at the very beginning of their school journey and to welcome you and your children to our lovely school

Myself, Mrs Watts and Mrs Borrott will be working with your children each day. Mrs Luke will be supporting the class on a Friday.

Topics and Themes This half term our main topic is called 'Our little corner of the world'. We will be finding out about each other, making new friends and finding a range of ways to play and work together in our indoor and outdoor classroom areas.

Class Routines Each day the children will complete some PE sessions, phonics and maths. All of our learning will be supported by lovely books and stories. The children will also have the opportunity to take part in Jigsaw (PSHE), music, visit the library and outdoor learning. They will have busy days and lots and lots of fun!

Book Bags Our PTA are kindly donating our new nursery children their first book bag, numbers have been passed on and I will get these to you as soon as they arrive.

Tapestry Please make sure your Tapestry account is up and running. We will post photos of your children quite regularly so that you can see what they are getting up to! Please comment on posts and add photos from home too.

Sharing Books The children have the option to choose a sharing book from the classroom as often as they would like to. Please sign the little blue book so that we know when you would like the book to be changed. This half term the children will be choosing from our selection of starting school/nursery books.

Some helpful things... It can be handy if your child has a change of clothes with them, wellies and waterproofs would be great too. A water bottle and a book bag are essential items. Children in the nursery are not required to wear school uniform but we do have many second hand school jumpers available if you would like one. Please make sure that your child is dressed appropriately for an active day and remember a coat when the weather turns. And finally please try to name everything!

We are really looking forward to working with you and your children this year. Please don't hesitate to pop in if you have any queries or concerns.

Kind regards,

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