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Dear Parents

Parent View

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to Parent View over the past term.

We've received 15 responses, with the following results:



Parent View (Ofsted) as of 19 May 2023 Based on 15 responses from parents	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know	Other
<i>My child is happy at this school.</i>	87%	13%				
<i>My child feels safe at this school.</i>	93%	7%				
<i>The school makes sure its pupils are well behaved.</i>	67%	33%				
<i>My child has been bullied and the school dealt with the bullying quickly and effectively.</i>	7%	13%				My child has not been bullied 80%
<i>The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year.</i>	80%	20%				
<i>When I have raised concerns with the school they have been dealt with properly.</i>	33%	27%				I've not raised any concerns 40%
<i>My child has SEND, and the school gives them the support they need to succeed.</i>		100%				
<i>The school has high expectations for my child.</i>	67%	20%	13%			
<i>My child does well at this school.</i>	73%	20%			7%	
<i>The school lets me know how my child is doing.</i>	60%	33%	7%			
<i>There is a good range of subjects available to my child at this school.</i>	80%	13%	7%			
<i>My child can take part in clubs and activities at this school.</i>	73%	20%	7%			
<i>The school supports my child's wider personal development.</i>	80%	20%				
<i>I would recommend this school to another parent.</i>	Yes 100%	No 0%				

We have a range of monitoring systems in place which we use to measure and report on how well the school is doing, and Parent View is a valuable part of this. It provides staff and governors with really useful feedback on the impact of our work and informs our School Improvement Plan. If you would like to discuss any of your responses, please contact me via Jeanette in the office by email secretary@boscastle.cornwall.sch.uk or catch me on the gate for a chat.

Parent View can be accessed and updated at any time using the link below.

<https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/>

We thank you very much for your continued support.

Teddy Bear's Picnic

On Wednesday afternoon, we were delighted to welcome our new reception children who will be joining us at Boscastle in September.

They came along for a teddy bear's picnic with Class 1 out in the Wild Valley, enjoying teddy sandwiches and making teddy crowns. It was a lovely opportunity for them to get to know the children in Class 1 and staff.

Well done and thank you to all our Year 5 children who helped Mrs Hart to organise the afternoon's activities for the younger ones. You were all so helpful and will be great role models as Year 6 next year.

This was the first part of our transition plan for the new reception who will be joining us again for a series of sessions in the classroom over the next few weeks.

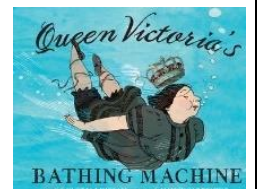


This term's class texts...

Class 1

[Queen Victoria's Bathing Machine](#) by Gloria Whelan

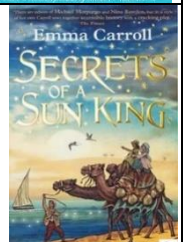
Queen Victoria wishes to swim in the sea but cannot allow her subjects to see her getting into the water, wearing only her swimming suit. Fortunately, her loving husband, Prince Albert, comes to her rescue. He invents a bathing machine that is perfect for his queen.



Class 2

[Secrets of a Sun King](#) by Emma Carroll

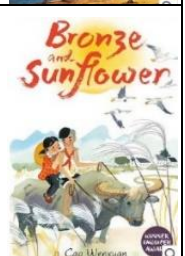
A girl from London becomes an unlikely heroine in a quest to break an ancient curse that threatens her family. Her quest takes her to Egypt. She forms good friendships along the way and solves mysteries about her life and the life of the young pharaoh, Tutankhamun, who lived 3000 years ago.



Class 3

[Bronze and Sunflower](#) by Cao Wenxuan

Sunflower has moved to the countryside in China with her father. As her father works all day, Sunflower feels lonely. She watches the river and the people across it who live in a village called Damaidi. She meets a boy called Bronze from Damaidi and the two become friends. When a tragic event brings Sunflower into Bronze's home, the two children must work together to survive the hardships of village life.



Ask your child to tell you about the story so far and to predict what may happen next.

It's SPORTS DAY next week!

Thurs 25 May

from 1.30pm to 3.15pm at the Football Field.

All families welcome.



WALK TO SCHOOL WEEK: 22 - 26 May

Let's use this week to get into the habit of walking to school; which improves our physical and mental health, and also reduces traffic congestion and pollution. For those families who live outside the village you can still take part by parking a distance from the school to then walk the rest of the way.
Well done to those children who already walk every day!

Kind regards *Sara Haden* Headteacher