

## **Hello Everyone**

It has been another busy week here at TBS and a prime example of community collaboration and working together to support the well-being of the students here at school.

On Monday we welcomed Carolyne Kewn back. Carolyne is no stranger to the island and the school. She has been coming here for many years in her capacity as Educational Psychologist and has been working hard with our students carrying out assessments and reviews to allow us as a school to put in place any support or processes that might be needed for these students. Thank you Carolyne, it has been lovely to have you back with us.

The Primary students also had their flu vaccine nasal sprays administered to them by Hayley the school nurse on Monday. Hayley was supported by Debbie who is here to cover whilst Hayley takes her overseas leave. So Welcome Debbie and to Hayley enjoy your holiday and we look forward to seeing you when you return.

On the theme of health checks we also had Rob the Dentist and Samara in with us on Tuesday and Wednesday carrying out the routine student dental checks. As always it was great to have you both here and hopefully there were not too many issues with the students' teeth.

Our Post 16 Education is progressing well and all four students have been working hard towards their studies. Their first assignment deadline is imminent and they are ready to upload these and await the results and feedback from their tutors. I am sure the results will reflect the work they have put in.

As I mentioned previously this has been a long time coming and would not have been possible without the help and support of many. A very big Thank You is extended to SURE who is kindly sponsoring the internet package for us to allow these online studies to happen.

On Tuesday morning a team from SURE came in to hand over a plaque that will be put up in the room. So from the students and all of us here at TBS thank you again.





Today is Children in Need Day and as it was Year 8 assembly they decided they wanted to do a pyjama day. The contributions for wearing their pyjamas to school will be collected and sent off to the charity.







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Next week our Year 11 will be doing their Mock Exams. Good luck to you both. Mrs Maggott

Head teacher

£294.81 was raised from Food and Tuck Shop Sales on Sports Day – This amount has been paid into our PTA fund. Thank you.



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## Hello from Year 1 and 2

We've had a great start to the year and would like to share some of last terms activities with you.

Last term, our Oceans Topic saw us visiting Long Beach for a day trip. We started at the conservation hut, walked across the beach, to the turtle ponds, where we stopped for snack, before having a paddle in the turtle pond. During the trip, we used our senses to think about what we could see, hear, smell, touch and taste. Later, we developed our experiences into descriptive writing for a diary entry in our literacy lessons.

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Alongside this, we collected a range of natural and man-made materials. This allowed us to not only clean up the beach, but also provided us with a variety of materials to describe and categorize in our science lesson. We also learnt about the five layers of the ocean, the names of each layer, how deep each layer is and about some of the adaptations that allow different species to survive in each habitat. **Did you know an angler fish has a light on the front of its head?** 



In art we used a variety of media to create an under the ocean scene. We started with mixing shades of green and blue with water to create a back ground. We cut strips of tissue paper to create weeds and stuck small coloured shavings to them to represent coral. We observed and sketched shells using art pencils and cut them out carefully. Finally, we either cut or drew ocean animals before sticking them all together to create our ocean scene.



This term we are learning about The Gun Powder Plot and we are very much looking forward to sharing our learning with you in our upcoming assembly.