



Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Our Year 6 class have enjoyed the first part of their Activities Week, with trips to St Brelades Bay for coasteering, Gorey Castle and Le Rocquier for a drama workshop. They have many more exciting learning activities planned for next week. Please follow our Facebook page for regular updates of exciting learning happening in all classes.

#### **COVID update**

We have seen a rise in COVID cases in school. Please continue to use lateral flow tests with children twice a week. It is important that if your child has symptoms, they must not come to school and you must book a PCR. PCR's can be booked online by going to the [gov.je](http://gov.je) or I have copied the direct link below for parents. It is important that if children have symptoms, they must not come to school. We are trying to slow the spread of COVID and prevent increased staff absences and possible class closures. Many thanks for your support with this.

<https://www.gov.je/Health/Coronavirus/PublicHealthGuidance/Pages/CoronavirusInformation.aspx>

#### **Summer Library Challenge**

Children will receive their Summer Reading Challenge cards today to bring home. More information can be found here: <https://www.gov.je/news/2022/pages/SummerReadingChallenge-.aspx>.

#### **Family Time Session**

Mind Jersey and Family and Community Support are running a 'Family Time Session – Making Connections Through Play' at Samarès School on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July. More details can be found here:

<https://www.samares.sch.je/attachments/download.asp?file=56&type=pdf>

If you would like to book a place, please click on this link to book: <https://forms.office.com/r/GNHcn5Rtet>

#### **Summer Tutoring**

This year, we are fortunate enough to be able to run some extra tuition over the summer holidays. The sessions will run on a Wednesday morning and will be delivered by skilled Samares staff. If you are interested in your child benefiting from this extra tuition, please fill out the form using this link: <https://forms.office.com/r/u8up8P5FJA>. Once we have this information, Mrs Achler will see if we can offer your child a space and will then send you further details with times and your child's tutor details.

Jersey Library will also be holding sessions every Wednesday at Samarès School between 9:30am and 11:00am so you can take advantage of this too. Children will be invited to share books with book buddies and can complete their Summer Reading Challenge. Thanks to the generosity of [Aqua Splash](#), every child that completes the Summer Reading Challenge this year will get a pass for a FREE SWIM!

Please do get in touch if you have any questions, comments or queries.

Many thanks,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'J Posner'.

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**Samarès Rules**  
**Be Respectful**  
**Be Safe**  
**Be Ready**