

## Whole School Home Learning for St Piran's Day FRIDAY 5<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2021

St Piran's day is a very special day for Cornish people, so we thought it would be fun to celebrate together on this last day of home learning before you return to school. **The first thing you should do is watch the attached information power point and then choose some of the activities to complete with your family.** We would love to see pictures of your learning please 😊

### Make a Cornish flag

Use the attached 'Cornwall Flag Template' (or create your own) to make a Cornish flag.

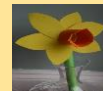
You may want to colour/paint/collage your flag before attaching it to a stick or you might just want to cut your flag out - both options are on the template. You may want to make several flags and hang them as bunting - it is up to you! Talk to each other about what the black and white colours represent.



### Daffodil art

Daffodils are carried during a procession at Perranporth to celebrate St Piran's Day; can you make one using any materials you may have at home? You may prefer to create some observational art - you could either find a picture of a daffodil or you may have one in your garden that you can observe and draw. This link gives you some tips:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uSa79GdPTL4> You might prefer to use the attached sheet to colour or paint a daffodil.



### Write a 'Colours of Cornwall' poem

Write a poem about the colours we associate with Cornwall. Use the 'Colours of Cornwall Poetry' and 'The Colours of Cornwall List' sheets for this; everything is explained on the sheet.



### Cornwall artist

Type 'Alfred Wallis Paintings' into Google Images and look at the paintings of this famous Cornish artist. Choose your favourite and talk to family members about why you chose that painting- did you like the colours? The shapes? The objects in the picture? How does it make you feel? Does it remind you of anywhere/anything? Then 'have a go' at re-creating the painting you chose. If you would like to find out more about Alfred Wallis, you can find some information here:

<https://www.tate.org.uk/kids/explore/who-is/who-alfred-wallis>

### Design a pasty

Use the attached 'Pasty design' sheet to create your own pasty. Pretend you are a miner going down the tin mine to work all day. Which filling would you like at the savoury end of your pasty and which sweet treat will you have at the other end?



### Cornish baking/food tasting

Ask a grown up if you can do some Cornish baking together or taste some Cornish treats. Remember that pasties, saffron cake/buns and scones with jam and cream (jam first of course!) are all delicious foods which Cornwall is famous for.



### Cornwall colour hunt

Make a note of the colours of Cornwall represented in the Cornish tartan and see how many items of each colour you can find around your home/garden. You could keep a tally to see which you have most/least of or you could make it into a game where you share out the colours between members of your family and set each other challenges; see who finds the most items of their colour in a set time or see who can find a certain amount of items the quickest.



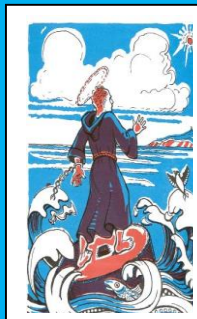
### Nature walk

Go on a walk with your family; see if you can spot anything which you have learnt about from this story; can you spot any daffodils? A Cornish flag? A Celtic cross? Anything historical in our local area? You could take photographs of your findings.



### Re tell the story

Read the PowerPoint which tells the story of St Piran and draw your own comic strip to retell the story. You could use the blank template in the uploads, draw it on a piece of paper or maybe even use ICT.



### Dydh da

Research Cornish language and find out how to say different greetings and how to introduce yourself. Write the phrases down and practise saying them.



### Practise your singing

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fq1UVqWrWGY> Follow this link which will take you to 'The Song of the Western Men', also known as 'Trelawny'. It is a patriotic song written in its modern form by Robert Stephen Hawker in 1824. Listen to the song a couple of times and when you are ready, follow the words and join in.



### Explore sinking and floating

Do we think St Piran could really float on a millstone? Collect different items including a stone to represent the millstone and see which of them will float in a bowl of water and which will sink.

