



Messages from the Office

We have a couple of incidents of Scarlett Fever reported in the school. Please refer to the NHS link: <http://www.nhs.uk/Conditions/Scarlet-fever/Pages/Symptoms.aspx>

Absence

If your child is absent due to illness please leave a message on the absence line before 9.00am on each day that your child will be off school. Please do not send emails with regards to your child being absent from school due to illness. If we do not receive a call the absence will be marked as unauthorised and you may receive a letter from the Education Welfare Officer.

If your child is absent due to an appointment and you do not require a school dinner please let the school office know. Many thanks.

Y1-Y3 Nasal Flu Vaccine

Just to let you know Y1, Y2 and Y3 will be having their Nasal Flu Vaccine on Wednesday this week.

Christmas Jumper and Jeans Day - Friday 16 December

We will once again be supporting the Save the Children charity and the children can wear their Christmas jumper with jeans (other forms of trousers will be allowed) in exchange for £1.

Emergency School Closure

Although no snow is forecast in the imminent future, please see the link to our procedures for emergency school closure in the event of any adverse weather http://www.stamford-green.surrey.sch.uk/fileadmin/user_upload/Policies/Emergency_School_Closure_Website_Information_-_8.12.16.pdf

Letters to Father Christmas

Please note the last posting date for letters to Father Christmas is this Friday.

PTA Christmas Cards and other items

These will be coming home in the next day or two. If you would like to order additional products or other items please see the unique code on the front of the Christmas card packs.



Year 1 Weekly Information w/b 5.12.16

This is a very exciting week! We are looking forward to performing our Christmas show to you on Friday. Everyone has worked very hard to make the show a success and we are sure you will enjoy watching the children in action! A separate letter has been sent about the show.

This week we will be continuing to learn about the Christmas story and we will be writing and illustrating our own version of what is in the Bible.

In maths this week we will be reviewing the areas we have covered this half term. We will be practising a variety of skills including, counting, addition and subtraction, number bonds to 10, odd and even numbers and 2D shapes.

It was lovely to see lots of you at the Christmas Market, now it's time for us to make our Christmas cards. Each year children make a card for the school to send to the local community as well as the ones they make for their families. Suffice to say you can expect to notice the odd spot of glitter on your child during these last few weeks of term!

We would also like to remind you that our class party will be on Monday 19 December. We would like to thank you in advance for your food contributions which should be brought in on Monday 19 December. Please see the label in your child's Learning Journal at the end of this week with a request for a particular type of food. This should enable us to make sure that there is a balance of food types at the party. Please remember that you only need to provide a **small amount** of food (enough for 6-8 children) and not enough for the whole class! Could we also request that any food containers are also name labelled so that we can return them to you?

On Wednesday 7 December 1S are having a muffin day courtesy of a kind sibling spending their Vivos! Thank you.

End of day schedule:

Mrs Williams – West Gate
Mrs Rajeev and Mrs Sayers – East Gate

Enjoy your week!

Mrs Williams, Mrs Sayers and Mrs Rajeev



Year 2 Weekly Information w/b 5.12.16

In English we will be looking at the story of Little Red Riding Hood. We will be sequencing the events of Little Red Riding Hood to help us create our own version of this traditional tale. This will be over the next two weeks. This includes us creating our own characters using the imaginative features we have been developing this term. We will also be using Little Red Riding Hood to gain an understanding of how and when to use exclamation sentences.

In maths, we will be summarising our learning on fractions and will be seeing what we know really well and what we still need more help with.

Coming up soon in speedy maths (* indicates new learning):

w/b 5.12.16	*Subtract tens from 2-digit numbers Know 2x and 10x tables at speed Add 1-digits to 2-digits at speed Know number bonds to 20 at speed Add 1 to any 2-digit number Know 10 less than a 2-digit number
w/b 12.12.16	Add tens to 2-digit numbers at speed Know 10x and 2x tables at speed Add and subtract units from 2-digit numbers

We are so excited to be putting on our nativity performance tomorrow morning! If you could try and make sure your child is at school ready for when the gates open at 8.40am, so we can get them all changed into their costumes in time, that would be very helpful!

2G have a muffin day on Wednesday thanks to Amelia's brother Benedict! The children have asked for a pyjama/onesie themed muffin – this of course is completely optional! Regular muffin is fine too!

2G have also earned their class reward and have requested to watch a DVD and have popcorn. This will take place on Friday afternoon and the children will vote on what DVD to watch later in the week. Congratulations 2G!

Have a lovely week,

Mrs Glaister and Miss Burgess



Year 3 Weekly Information w/b 5.12.16

For the next few weeks in English we will be working on play scripts. The children will be creating their own and performing to the class.

In maths, we will be working on shape this week. We will be thinking about 2D shapes and their properties. The children will be investigating angles and identifying right angles. We will be using lots of mathematical language to describe the properties of 2D shapes e.g. perpendicular and parallel to describe lines in a shape.

Coming up soon in speedy maths:

w/b 5.12.16	Know mixed 2x, 3x, 4x, 5x, 6x, 10x tables at speed. Add 1-digit to 3-digit numbers. Subtract 1-digit from 3-digit numbers.
w/b 12.12.16	Know 2x, 5x 10x tables and related division facts at speed. Know doubles and halves to 20.

In our themed learning time this week, the children will be taking photographs to use in the videos they will be making later in the week using Windows Moviemaker. They will be importing the photographs from the school network and improving their slideshows by adding transitions and text. They are also going to be working on reading music and playing a part in a class melody.

3L have muffin days coming up on Wednesday 7 December and Tuesday 13 December. Thank you Sophie and Alys for spending your Vivo points.

Have a good week,

Mrs Smith and Mr Loughlin



Year 4 Weekly Information w/b 5.12.16

It was lovely to see so many of you at the Christmas market – we hope you are enjoying your stockings! Thank you also to those parents who came in to help us sew.

This week we will take the opportunity to assess the children's work. The children will be writing a recount, doing a maths summary of learning and in addition we will be testing the next set of 20 of the Year 4 spellings.

We have an RE focus on Christianity this week. We will be discussing gifts and how Christians see Jesus as a gift from God to the world.

In maths, the children will be revisiting 2d shape and using the skills we have learnt to solve shape problems.

Coming up soon in speedy maths (* indicates new learning):

w/b 5.12.16	Add and subtract pairs of 2-digit numbers at speed. Know pairs of numbers to 100.
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On Monday 19 December, we are holding our class parties. As in previous years, the children will remain in uniform for the afternoon. We would be grateful if your child could bring in a small amount of food (enough for 6 people) for the class party. To ensure that we have a balanced mix of party food, we have put a sticker, with a request for a specific food item, in your child's Learning Journal. Food should not be brought in until Monday 19 December please, as we have nowhere to store it.

On Wednesday 7 December and Friday 9 December 4J have a muffi day thanks to Benedict and Lucie.

Have a great week,

Miss Jenkins and Mrs Spooner



Year 5 Weekly Information w/b 5.12.16

In English the children will be reading a variety of texts and applying their skills of inference in order to answer questions fully. They will need to fully engage with the text and ensure they are picturing what is happening in order to be able to answer correctly. We will also be re-visiting word classes and identify different words in given sentences.

In maths children will be looking at fractions and what they actually mean. Children will look at adding fractions, changing improper fractions to mixed numbers and simplifying fractions.

Please can the children learn the second set of five spellings from the Year 5 list in their Learning Journal and their 2 times table for Friday 9 December.

w.b. 5.12.16	Know all tables to 12x12 including division facts at speed. Use tables to work out related \times and \div at speed. Add 2-digit to 3-digit numbers
w.b. 12.12.16	Add and subtract pairs of 2-digit numbers at speed. Convert L to ml and vice versa Add three tens at speed. Know pairs of numbers to 90 Know pairs of hundreds to 1000. Use tables to work out related \times and \div at speed.

5PJ will be enjoying class muffi days on: Thursday 8.12.16 (Jemima H) and Friday 9.12.16 (Gracie)

5V will be enjoying their muffi days on:

Wednesday 7 December (Dylan)
Friday 9 December (Dylan)
Tuesday 13 December (Isaac)
Wednesday 14 December (Dylan)
Monday 19 December (William)

Best wishes,

Mr Vidal, Mrs Peters and Mrs Jayasuriya



Year 6 Weekly Information w/b 5.12.16

In English this week, we will be focusing on identifying verbs, adverbs and adjectives. We will also be learning to spot adverbial phrases and consider how we could use them in our writing. In reading, we will focus on retrieving information from a text and using evidence to support our choices.

This week's spelling rule will look at silent letters, e.g. a silent 'k' or 'g' is followed by an 'n' (in 'know' and 'gnome'); a silent 'w' is followed by an 'r' (in 'wrap').

In order to expand our vocabulary, we are challenging a different child from each class to contribute to the 'word of the day'. They should be able to explain the meaning and put the word in context. The rest of the class are then expected to try to use these words in their writing. So far we have impeccable, mundane, pugnacious and perspective. Thank you Tilly, Mia Sta, James and Bethan.

In maths, we will be learning how to find the area of triangles and then applying this to a Christmas tree investigation.

In our themed learning China, we will be learning about the geography of the country, both in terms of its physical and human features. We will be using atlases to locate these features and plot them on to maps of our own.

In speedy maths this week, we will be covering:

w/b: 5.12.16	Add and subtract pairs of 2-digit numbers at speed. Know all tables to 12x12 including division facts at speed. Know pairs of numbers to 180. Know square numbers to 122 Add three tens at speed.
w/b: 12.12.16	Give change from £1 at speed Know all tables to 12x12 including division facts at speed. Know common equivalent fractions, decimals and percentages. Add and subtract 2-digit and 3-digit numbers at speed. Continue simple number patterns Know square roots to $\sqrt{144}$ (ie for tables) Use tables to work out related \times and \div at speed.

A massive thank you to all the children who helped at the Christmas Market. We are exceptionally proud of how efficient and approachable you all were. Great job!

6SB have mufti days on Wednesday and Friday this week.

Have a lovely week,

Miss Bidwell and Mrs Beunderman