



Stamford Green Primary School



18 April 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

Reception Weekly Information – w/b 18.4.17

It has been wonderful to hear all about the children's holidays as we welcome them back to school. They have all been up to such exciting things! Thank you to those of you who have already sent in your child's 'Wow Moment,' please return these to school as soon as possible if you haven't already done so.

Our 'The World Around Me' theme will continue throughout the rest of the Summer term. This week we will be observing the signs of spring and learning about the fact that all living things grow. We will be retracing the steps of the Spring Walk we took just before the holidays to see what has changed in the environment. We will also be taking part in an exciting, school-wide tree planting initiative!

Phonics lessons will continue to focus on reading and writing with good fluency and pace. We will also learn about CCVC words such 'clap' or 'brim', where the adjacent consonants come at the start of a word (initial blends).

In maths, the children will be revising their work on 'number' and having a go at adding/subtracting independently. We will be remembering what the symbols for 'add', 'take away' and 'equals' look like and how to write them.

Thank you to all of you who took the time to fill in our Parent Survey at Parents' Evening, it has been really valuable to have your feedback. It was suggested that our weekly Reception Newsletter should have summary of 'Things to Remember' each week so that these parts of the newsletter can be seen 'at a glance.' Please check this box each week to see if there is anything that your child needs to bring into school and if it is their turn for Show and Tell. The children have new groups this term, please check with your child which mini-beast-themed group they are in: Ants, Caterpillars, Bees, Snails or Ladybirds.

Things to Remember

- **Ants** for Show and Tell on **Thursday 20 April**
- PE kits back to school as soon as possible please
- 'Wow' Moments back to school as soon as possible please
- Please ensure that your child has a pair of wellies in school (and that they still fit!)

Best wishes,

The Reception Team

Mrs McCarthy, Mrs Dryland, Mrs Vidal and Miss Wright



Messages from the Office

Hayfever

As the Hayfever season is nearly upon us, if your child suffers from Hayfever please can you make sure that your child has their Hayfever medication before they come to school. We do have a small supply of Piriton in the office for emergencies.

Resilience Workshop

The re-scheduled workshop on "Promoting resilience for children with anxiety" is on Monday 24 April at 9.00am. Please email info@stamford-green.surrey.sch.uk if you would like to reserve a place. Thank you.

Coming up soon:

April		
Monday 17.4.17	-	Easter Monday bank holiday – School closed
Tuesday 18.4.17	8.40am	School opens for children
Wednesday 19.4.17	8.00pm	PTA Meeting – The Cricketers pub – everyone welcome
Monday 24.4.17	9.00am	Parent information session – Promoting resilience in children with anxiety
w/b 24.4.17	-	Golden Book week
w/b 24.4.17	-	Internal Clubs start this week
Tuesday 25.4.17	All day	Y5 visit to Buddhpadipa Temple
Tuesday 25.4.17	9.00am – 10.30am	Come and Play Session for pre-school children and toddlers
Tuesday 25.4.17	-	Y2 - Y6 Homework Passports sent home
Thursday 27.4.17	3.00pm – 5.00pm	PTA Cushion Club for YR