



Stamford Green Primary School



27 March 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

Reception Weekly Information – w/b 27.3.17

First of all, we would like to say how brilliantly Reception did on their trip to Godstone Farm last week. They were so well behaved, listened attentively to the farmers and asked great questions. There were lots of our Stamford Green values on display (not least when a whole group eagerly ran to help a lost toddler in the soft play area!) Thank you to all of the parents/carers who were able to come along and help too, we could not take the children out on trips without your help and support. Please remember that, due to unforeseen circumstances with the change of coach company, there was an additional £2.25 to pay on Tucasi – thanks to those of you who have paid.

The children are starting work in their new phonics groups this week. Our focus will continue to be on speed and fluency of reading as well as pacy, accurate writing with correct letter formation. Our whole class focus will continue to move through Phase 4 of letters and sounds which covers words that have adjacent consonants e.g. frog or tree. You will have seen these referred to as CCVC words in your child's Learning Journal last week (consonant, consonant, vowel, consonant). This week we will be focusing on adjacent consonants at the end of words (CVCC or consonant, vowel, consonant, consonant) e.g. milk or lend. Please help your child to spot these types of words when reading and also out and about.

This week in maths, we are consolidating our understanding of the terms 'more' and 'less.' In addition to the practical tasks of last week, we will be moving onto using a number line to find 'more' or 'less' and challenging ourselves to do this as quickly as possible.

Finally, a reminder that school finishes at 1.45pm for Year R on Friday because it is the last day of term. We ask that all Golden Jumpers are returned to school on Friday, please. There are also a number of children whose Golden Books have not been returned to school, please double check that you do not still have your child's Golden Book at home. PE kits will be sent home for a wash over the holiday, please check that your child has the correct PE kit and that it is still all clearly name-labelled. We hope you have a lovely Easter holiday with your family.

Best wishes,

The Reception Team

Mrs McCarthy, Mrs Dryland, Mrs Vidal and Miss Wright



Messages from the Office

Red Nose day

Thank you for supporting us on Red Nose day. We raised a fantastic £527.37 and had great fun along the way.

School Community Relations Officer

We are pleased to say that Ms Saunt will be joining us in this role after Easter. She will be in a few days this week, please feel free to say hello if you see her.

Easter holidays

Just a reminder that school finishes for the Easter holidays on Friday at 1.45pm for YR, 1.50pm for Y1 – Y2 and 2.00pm for Y3 – Y6. School re-opens for children on Tuesday 18 April at 8.40am. Sunset closes at 5.00pm on this day.

Coming up this week:

March		
Monday 27.3.17	9.00am	Parents' Forum – Come and have a chat with Mrs Druce
w/b Monday 27.3.17	-	No internal clubs this week
Tuesday 28.3.17	-	Y2 – Y6 Homework due in but no homework sent home this week
Tuesday 28.3.17	9.00am – 10.30am	Come and Play Session for pre-school children and toddlers
Friday 31.3.17	9.00am – 10.20am	PTA Easter Challenge for the children

Dates for Diaries for the summer term will be emailed out at the end of the week.