



# Stamford Green Primary School



2 October 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

## Nursery Weekly Information – w/b 2.10.17

I hope you've all had a lovely weekend and the children weren't too tired from their first proper week in Nursery. I know they were all less lively after lunchtime, some didn't make it through the last story of the day without a quick power nap!



Fingers crossed we will have full use of our new sand pit this week. The children loved the muddy kitchen last week, there were a lots of muddy coats and shoes! Please can you make sure your child has a named pair of wellies in school at all times, they will be asked to put these on when they want to play on the grassy area or if it is raining.

This week we will continue to follow the children's interests and provide activities that they have shown lots of enthusiasm towards. While the children are engaging in these activities the staff are either working alongside them or observing them to make observations that will enable us to generate a baseline assessment. Each child will be assessed to see where they are beginning their personal journey in our curriculum. Once these assessments have taken place we will use them to inform our future plans.



We have been 'Tweeting' pictures of the children throughout the week. Please make sure you have a look. You can follow us @stamfordgreen or via the home page of the school's website [www.stamford-green.surrey.sch.uk](http://www.stamford-green.surrey.sch.uk). If you haven't checked it then make sure you scroll back through the feed to see the pictures from last week.

Some parents have mentioned that their child is not eating all of their lunch. We recommend about three items for their lunch, for example a sandwich, a piece of fruit and a yoghurt or biscuit. The children have 30 minutes to eat and we have many members of staff with them at lunchtime and we encourage them to eat as much as they can.

Things to remember:

- If your child is in the second half of the week and is coming into school for lunch on Wednesday, please be on time. The staff are needed straight away to support the children with their lunches.
- If your child needs to go home with someone else, please make sure you record which gate they will be leaving from in the contact book.
- Named wellies
- A piece of fruit every day
- There will be a box of books outside the Swans room if you would like to exchange a book.

We hope you have a great week.

Mrs Frost and Mrs Hughes  
Nursery Class Teachers / Leaders of Learning



## Messages from the Office

### Nursery hours

Over the past few weeks, whilst we have all been adjusting to life at Nursery, we have allowed parents/carers to make changes to pick up times. Please note that any further requests to permanently change your child's attendance (i.e. for Wednesday lunch and afternoon collections) will require half a term's notice, as per our terms and conditions. Thank you for your understanding.

### Reading Heroes

On Thursday 5 October at 9.00am, Miss Swann will be holding a coffee morning for Reading Heroes. Whether you are an existing volunteer, would like to start this year or would like to find out more information, it would be fantastic to see you for a chat over a cup of tea and a biscuit. If you are unable to come but would like to be involved with volunteering in the school, please feel free to get in touch with Miss Swann – [deputy@stamford-green.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:deputy@stamford-green.surrey.sch.uk)

### School Photographs

School photos are being taken this week on Tuesday and Wednesday. Please ensure your child has their school sweatshirt or cardigan with them to wear in their photo. Years 2 to 6 will have their photos taken on Tuesday and Nursery, Reception and Year 1 will have theirs on Wednesday. Sibling photographs will be taken with the youngest child's class. Therefore children in Years 2 to 6, with younger siblings in Nursery, Reception or Year 1, will have photos taken on both days. As photographs are taken throughout the day, you may like to pop a spare jumper or cardigan in your child's book bag to make sure they are super clean and smart. Thank you.

### Book Fair

Just a reminder that the Book Fair is in the school this week from Tuesday to Friday 3.00pm to 3.45pm. All money raised goes towards buying new books for the school.

### Bag2School Collection

We have the Bag2School collection this week. Please bring any filled bags to school on Wednesday anytime or Thursday in the morning before 9.00am. The bags will be collected from school on Thursday at 9.00am. Thank you for your support.

### Coming up soon:

October		
w/b Monday 2.10.17	-	Golden Book week
Tuesday 3.10.17	All day	Individual school photos for children
Tuesday 3.10.17	3.00pm – 3.45pm	Book Fair
Wednesday 4.10.17	All day	Individual school photos for children
Wednesday 4.10.17	3.00pm – 3.45pm	Book Fair
Thursday 5.10.17	8.40am	Fundraiser – Bag2school collection – more details to follow
Thursday 5.10.17	9.00am - 10.00am	Coffee morning for reading volunteers with Miss Swann
Thursday 5.10.17	2.15pm – 2.55pm	Settling in and phonics meeting for YR parents
Thursday 6.10.17	3.00pm – 3.45pm	Book Fair
Monday 9.10.17	9.00am – 10.00am	Parents' Forum – Come and have a chat with Mrs Druce

Wednesday 11.10.17	9.30am	School and Nursery Open Morning for prospective Parents/Carers
Thursday 12.10.17	9.45am – 11.00am	SGSC Generations Coffee Morning for retired residents and our children's grandparents
Thursday 12.10.17 and Friday 13.10.17	Group times TBC	Y2 Pedals – Road safety course