



Stamford Green

Primary School and Nursery



25 September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

Nursery Weekly Information – w/b 25.9.23

Things to bring in:

Book bag - brought home every day
Change of clothes - to be kept in school.
Wellies - to be kept in school.
A water bottle with a sports cap - brought home every day.
Please make sure every item is clearly named!

Learning Journals

Please look out for a sticker in your child's Learning Journal which will tell you who their Key Worker is. Children have free access to all spaces during exploration time and can move between rooms freely.

Family Photo

Thank you for all the photos sent in so far. Please can any remaining photos be emailed to parents@stamford-green.surrey.sch.uk by 29.9.23. We are displaying the photos in the rooms to help the children settle and to talk about our families.

We are so proud of the children completing their first full week in nursery. They have done so well and they seem to have really enjoyed their time at nursery. It was lovely to watch them building relationships with each other and the staff. Now that the children have settled and we know which of the staff they have particularly bonded well with, we can allocate their Key Workers and will let you know them too via the Learning Journal.

This week we are:

- Continuing to settle in to our new rooms, meeting our new Key Workers.
- Supporting the children in communicating their thoughts and feelings.
- Working out ways we can share toys with friends.
- Singing and performing simple songs and rhymes.

Our skill of the week

This week we are continuing to help the children know where our belongings are at nursery and looking after our things independently. We are teaching the children to put their coat on their peg, to put their bookbag in the correct box and to know where our lunch bags and water bottles go. There is a lot to learn! You can help at home by getting them to put their book bags and belongings away, and for them to get them ready for nursery.

Events coming up:

Tuesday 26 September at 2.10 pm

Our YN Parent/Carer play session and catch up with your child's Key Worker for children who are full time or attend Monday – Wednesday morning. The West Gate will be opened at 2.10pm.

Thursday 28 September at 2.10 pm

YN Parent/Carer play session and catch up with your child's Key Worker for children who are full time or attend Wednesday afternoon - Friday. The West Gate will be opened at 2.10pm.

This is a lovely opportunity to come and meet your child's Key Worker and for the children to play and show you around their nursery.

Nursery breakfast

We are holding a family breakfast on **Wednesday 1 November** and **Friday 3 November 8.40am - 9.40am**.

It would be fantastic if anyone would be keen to bring in traditional breakfast dish that is special to their family for everyone to try. Please can we ask that they don't contain any nuts and if possible could you provide a list of ingredients so we can monitor children with allergies.

It is a nice opportunity to get to know other families and their children. Please be reassured if you cannot make the session the nursery staff will be enjoying breakfast with your children. If your child is full time please attend one of the two sessions. Part time children can attend the session they are normally in school for.

Have a great week,

Mrs Frost and Mrs Hughes



For your calendar:

Play Sessions

Tuesday 26 September at 2.10 pm (for children who are full time or attend Monday – Wednesday morning).

Thursday 28 September at 2.10 pm (for children who are full time or attend Wednesday afternoon -Friday)

Cream Tea Thank You

Did you offer help to the school last year?

Hopefully, you have already received an invite to our Cream Tea thank you which will be taking place on 29 September from 3.30pm – 5.30pm. If you are planning on coming, please could you RSVP via parents@stamford-green.surrey.sch.uk

Coming up soon:

September		
Monday 25.9.23	am	Y6 House Captain speeches for the children in Y3 – Y5
Tuesday 26.9.23	8.35am – 9.00am	YR – Y6 Class Open Time – 50 th Birthday Special – Option 1
Tuesday 26.9.23	9.00am – 10.00am	Positive Parenting workshop, based on the Parenting Puzzle programme with Lesley Lane (Homestart Epsom) for Parents/Carers
Tuesday 26.9.23	2.10pm	YN Parent/Carer play session and catch up with your child's Keyworker
Thursday 28.9.23	8.35am – 9.00am	YR – Y6 Class Open Time – 50 th Birthday Special – Option 2
Thursday 28.9.23	2.10pm	YN Parent/Carer play session and catch up with your child's Keyworker
Friday 29.9.23	All day	Y1 Fairy Tale Dress Up Day
Friday 29.9.23	9.15am – 10.15am	Prospective families Open Morning – School and

		Nursery – please book via our website.
Friday 29.9.23	Drop in anytime from 3.15pm – 5.30pm	Cream tea thank you for volunteers and a game of rounders for your child.
October		
Monday 2.10.23 – Friday 13.10.23		5T Swimming at The Rainbow Centre
w/b Monday 2.10.23	-	Golden Book week in school
Tuesday 3.10.23	After school	Book Fair – East Gate
Wednesday 4.10.23	9.00am – 10.30am	Come and Play – Community toddler group. Entry via South Gate only.
Wednesday 4.10.23	All day	Individual school photos for children in: YN, 5T, 5B, 5O and siblings for all year groups
Wednesday 4.10.23	After school	Book Fair – East Gate
Wednesday 4.10.23	7.00pm – 8.00pm	YR Parent/Carer Meeting – Helping your child learn to read. Come and find out about the way we are teaching reading and phonics. No access from West Gate.
Thursday 5.10.23	8.50am – 9.50am	YR Parent/Carer Meeting – Helping your child learn to read. Come and find out about the way we are teaching reading and phonics.
Thursday 5.10.23	All day	Individual school photos for children in: RB, RP, RM, 1S, 1B, 1H, 2P, 2J, 2W, 4G, 4V and 4C
Thursday 5.10.23	After school	Book Fair – West Gate
Friday 6.10.23	8.00am – 8.35am	I've always wondered....Coffee morning for Y6 Parents/Carers – Book here
Friday 6.10.23	All day	Individual school photos for children in: 3SV 3K., 3J, 6DA, 6L, and 6B
Friday 6.10.23	After school	Book Fair – West Gate
Friday 6.10.23	8.45am – 10.00am	PTA Class Reps Coffee Morning with Mrs Druce – Agenda: Fireworks and other events this term

Reminders for you:

Nursery Breakfast

We are holding a family breakfast on:
Wednesday 1 November
and
Friday 3 November

8.40am - 9.40am.

Positive Parenting - Anxiety Workshop

Tuesday 26.9.23
9.00am – 10.00am

All Welcome.

Please see more detail below.

Book Signing Wednesday 27.9.23

Award winning children's book author and illustrator, Zehra Hicks, will be signing some of her books after school, after having spent the day with Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 talking about her books and drawing lots of dinosaurs and other animals.
See below.

Positive Parenting – Anxiety Workshop

Lesley Lane (Epsom Home start) and Mrs Dray invite you to a workshop. all are welcome
Do you feel you are always nagging and no one is listening? Is there more anger and tears, than fun and laughter? Or does your child lack confidence and independence?
Home Start will be holding a Positive Parenting workshop based on the Parenting Puzzle 10 week programme on Tuesday 26 September 9am to 10am. This workshop introduces positive strategies to guide and teach children, using praise, encouragement and empathy, to build self-esteem,

confidence and cooperation. This workshop helps you deal with the challenges of parenting so that you can have a calmer, happier life.

Book Signing – Book Choices – Zehra Hicks

Books can be signed and purchased at the East Gate. Card payments only.

When Dinosaurs Walked The Earth (£7.99)

Cheeky Monkey (£6.99)

Pug Hug (£6.99)