



Stamford Green

Primary School and Nursery



29 January 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

Nursery Weekly Information – w/b 29.1.24

Water Bottles

Please can you ensure that your child's water bottle has a sports cap as we have had a few recent large spillages.

Forest School

After February half term children will need waterproofs in school for Forest school. These need to be brought in in a named carrier bag on the day they attend Forest school. Please look out for a sticker in your child's Learning Journal.

Change of clothes

Please can you search at home for any spare nursery clothes that your child may have come home in. We have run out of socks, leggings and tracksuit bottoms. If your child grows out of their uniform any donations of these items will be gratefully received.

This week we are:

- Singing our new rhyme 'Five Currant Buns'
- Exploring our new role play area 'Stamford Green Bakery'
- Continuing to practise writing or recognising our name at our challenge table
- Completing our Golden Book activities
- Making dough currant buns to use in our role play
- Developing our climbing and balancing skills on our obstacle course

Our skill of the week

This week we are talking about our feelings and trying to recognise a wider range of feelings through stories. Our two year olds are being encouraged to develop an emotional response to a book e.g. laughing. At home it is really useful to practise labelling our feelings and those of our children so they can start to understand when they are sad, cross, happy. Stories are a great way of developing this by talking about how the character must be feeling.

Reading focus

During our 1:1 reading sessions with the children we are developing play linked to our favourite stories. At home, you could encourage children to act out some of their favourite parts.

Forest School

This term we are continuing to take children to explore at Forest School wearing their wellies and coats. We will need the children's waterproofs after February half term.

Concept Words

Concepts are words that shape how we think about the world. For instance, concepts such as 'early', 'night' or 'after' help us talk about time. Concepts are hard to learn but they are fundamental to learning, so they are worth spending time on.

We will be regularly learning new concepts through lots of fun activities – with one focus word each week. The more your child hears the new words in different situations, the better their understanding of the concept will be. You can help your child to learn the concept of the week by carrying out the suggested activity in the concept word box below in the weekly overview of learning.

This week's concept words:	
2 year olds	3 and 4 year olds
This week's concept word is: fat	This week's concept word is: tall
Help your child at home: Look at animals who are fat and not fat.	Help your child at home: Measure everyone in the family to see how tall they are.

Have a great week,

Mrs Frost and Mrs Hughes



For your calendar:

PTA Second Hand Uniform Sale Tuesday 30.1.24



8.30am – East Gate
3.05pm – West Gate

Every item is £1.00

Both cash and card payments welcome.

Wednesday 31.1.24 8.55am – 9.55am

Coffee morning for families whose children have a Special Educational Need or Disability (SEND).

A warm welcome is given by everyone to everyone so we look forward to seeing you then.

Coming up soon:

January		
Tuesday 30.1.24	8.30am – East Gate 3.05pm – West Gate	PTA Second hand uniform sale
Wednesday 31.1.24	8.45am – 9.30am	3SV's Class Assembly for Parents/Carers in the Hall
Wednesday 31.1.24	8.55am – 9.55am	Coffee morning for families whose children have a Special Educational Need or Disability (SEND)
February		
Thursday 1.2.24	8.45am – 9.30am	3K's Class Assembly for Parents/Carers in the Hall

Friday 2.2.24	8.45am – 9.30am	3J's Class Assembly for Parents/Carers in the Hall
Friday 2.2.24	-	Y4 First Aid training with Mini First Aid
Friday 2.2.24	-	PTA Smarties fundraiser launches
w/b Monday 5.2.24	-	Last week of Internal clubs
Wednesday 7.2.24	8.45am – 9.30am	2W's Class Assembly for Parents/Carers in the Hall
Thursday 8.2.24	8.45am – 9.30am	2J's Class Assembly for Parents/Carers in the Hall
Thursday 8.2.24	9.00am – 10.30am	Come and Play Toddler Group – South Gate entrance via Christ Church Mount only
Thursday 8.2.24	Afternoon	Y3 and Y5 Talent Show in school - Hall
Friday 9.2.24	8.45am – 9.30am	2P's Class Assembly for Parents/Carers in the Hall
Friday 9.2.24	Afternoon	Y1 and Y2 Talent Show in school – Studio Y6 and Y4 Talent Show in school - Hall
Friday 9.2.24	School closes at the normal time	Half term holiday starts

Reminders for you:

Packed Lunches - Pesto

Please note that we are a nut free school and therefore if children are bringing in food that contains pesto, this must be nut free pesto.

Thank you

Y1 – Y6 Talent Shows

Each year group will have the opportunity to showcase their talents on the following days:

Thursday 8.2.24

Y3 and Y5

Friday 9.2.24

Y1 and Y2

Y6 and Y4

Y1 – Y6 Talent Shows

Past talent shows have showcased all kinds of talents from comedy, gymnastics and playing the piano to dancing, singing and magic tricks.

Performances should be no more than 2 minutes and props, music and any costumes should be brought in with your child on the day of their show. If music is required, please provide a CD or email a sound file to teachers via

parents@stamford-green.surrey.sch.uk

Other News

Congratulations to Mrs Blackler on the birth of Elodie and Ophelia. We can't wait to meet them.

A warm welcome to Ms Chan, who joins us this week as a TA.