



2 June 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

Nursery Weekly Information – w/b 2.6.24

Named Items

We still have unnamed water bottles and jumpers. Please check items are named and that they are clear and easy to read.

Thank you for your support with this.

Lost Property

We have moved all unnamed lost property into the main school by the front entrance. There are lots of unclaimed jumpers so please take a look next time you are passing.

Breakfast and toys from home

Please ensure your child has finished their breakfast before entering Nursery and that any toys are kept at home. It is very unsettling for the other children when someone enters with a toy or some food.

This week we are:

- Enjoying the story 'Handa's Surprise'.
- Investigating light and shadows.
- Continuing practising doing up and undoing buttons and zips.
- Practising correct number formation for the number 2.
- Exploring light and shadows using our new light box.
- Recognising and writing numbers 1- 5.

Two Year Olds	3-4 Year Olds
<p>Developing listening and attention through singing and games.</p> <p>Singing songs from our song sack.</p>	<p>New picture cards</p> <p>We are revisiting and reinforcing 5 picture cards a week on focusing on them recognising the images.</p> <p>s- snake a-apple i-insect t-tower</p> <p>Some children will now be learning the sound that matches the picture.</p> <p>a-apple</p> <p>Below is a copy of all the Set 1 sounds for your reference.</p>

Speed Sounds Set 1

m m	a a	s s	d d	t t
i i	n n	p p	g g	o o
c c	k k	u u	b b	f f
e e	l l	h h	r r	j j
v v	y y	w w	z z	x x
sh sh	th th	ch ch	qu qu	ng nk

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This week's concept words:

2 year olds

This week's concept word is: **fat**

Help your child at home: talk about animals that are fat and not fat.

3 and 4 year olds

This week's concept word is: **back**

Help your child at home: when the child is sitting on your lap, talk about you being at the back of them.

Our skill of the week

This week we are practising how to manage our clothing independently. We will develop finger strength with buttons and zips. Please support us with this skill at home by allowing a bit more time so that children can attempt this themselves.

Reading focus

During our 1:1 reading sessions with the children we are looking at our names and the names of our friends. Children will practice recognising names. Our younger children will look at the first letter.

Handy Hints - hitting, biting, kicking and fighting

Most young children occasionally bite, hit or push another child. Toddlers are curious and may not understand that biting or pulling hair hurts.

This does not mean your child will grow up to be aggressive. Here are ways to teach your child that this behaviour is unacceptable.

Do not hit, bite or kick back - This could make your child think it's acceptable to do this. Instead, make it clear that what they're doing hurts and you will not allow it.

Talk to them - Children often go through phases of being upset or insecure and express their feelings by being aggressive. Finding out what's worrying them is the first step to being able to help.

If it continues... If your child continues to show this behaviour, give them time out. They may need time to calm down and also know that if they do this then they can no longer play. It's recommended that they have 1 minute of time out for each of their years e.g 2 minutes for a 2 year old. At first it may seem they are unphased but after a few times they start to realise there is a consequence and they are missing out on fun.

Have a lovely week,

Mrs Frost and Mrs Hughes
Nursery Class Teachers



For your calendar:

Friday 13.6.25
8.50am – 9.50am

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

Wednesday 18.6.25
9.30am – 11.00am

Welcome meeting for September 2025 – new YR (Reception) Parents/Carers.

Coming up soon:

June		
Monday 2.6.25		INSET Day/Staff Training day – school closed to all pupils
w/b Monday 2.6.25	-	Internal clubs start
Tuesday 3.6.25	8.35am	School and Nursery opens for children
Tuesday 3.6.25 – Wednesday 4.6.25	All day	3L Visit to Golden Hinde
Wednesday 4.6.25 – Thursday 5.6.25	All day	3MV visit to Golden Hinde
Thursday 5.6.25 – Friday 6.6.25	All day	3J visit to Golden Hinde
w/b Monday 9.6.25	-	Y5 Bikeability Level 2 Training – See message from SCC for details
w/b Monday 9.6.25	-	Y4 Multiplication Tables Check – DfE requirement
w/b Monday 9.6.25	-	Y1 Phonics Screening Check – DfE requirement
Thursday 12.6.25	All day	YR Visit to Godstone Farm

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Reminders for you:

Internal Clubs

Clubs start w/b 2.6.25 and run until Friday 27.6.25.

Friday 20.6.25 8.45am – 9.45am

PTA Class Reps Coffee Morning with Mrs Druce



Please follow our school Instagram page:
stamford.green

and also our PTA's Instagram page:
pta.stamford.green

Design Competition

Did you know that dormice are an endangered species with almost three quarters of dormice in Surrey disappearing in the last 25 years? Together, we can raise awareness and make a difference to these adorable animals so that they are around in our local woodlands for centuries to come! The Surrey Dormouse Group works to save dormice and needs your help to come up with a new, eye-catching logo. Enter their competition to create a design to go on a Surrey Dormouse Group t-shirt! Let your imagination flow, think dormice, hazel leaves, nibbled nuts, fluffy tails, berries, trees, dusters...whatever makes you think of dormouse monitoring! We're looking for original dormousey designs, which would look great on a light coloured t-shirt, showing off our adorable Surrey dormice! Use any medium you like or create it digitally, words can be included too if you wish.

Entries should be submitted to Mrs Hill and the Eco Warriors by Friday 13 June with your name and a short explanation of your design. The Surrey Dormouse Group is always keen for new adult volunteers to help check nest boxes and footpath tunnels – please get in touch with Mrs Hill if you would like to know more and can spare a few hours a year to help out!

School Lunches – Price Increase

We have been informed by Accent that the cost of the school lunches is going up to £3.00, as of Tuesday 3 June. These new costs will be updated on your Scopay account.

Parent/Carer Volunteer Opportunity for our Y5 Futures Week

Do you have a 15-30 minutes to spare on any day of the w/b 30.6.25 please? Would you be able to come and talk about your career/job?

We are hoping to find five parents so that we can inspire our Y5 children as they start to think about their future and potential careers.

The children would love to hear about how you got into your profession/line of work and the skills and attributes you have needed. You may also want to allow some time for their questions.

If this sounds like something you would like to help with, please fill in the [Google Form](#) by Monday 9 June.

Many thanks in advance, Mrs Druce.