



Stillington Primary School Weekly Bulletin

17th September 2021



Infant Class
(EYFS & KS1)

EYFS:

We have had a fabulous week in school! We have been learning about rhyming words in phonics. We have been reading 'The Colour Monster' and discussing our emotions and feelings.



KS1: We have been working so hard in KS1! The children have enjoyed learning about London and using Google Earth to find landmarks. We have started our new class book in English, 'Ossiri and the Bala Mengro' and been exploring adjectives to describe different characters.

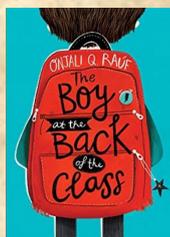


If any families have any **spare wellies** at home **for little feet**, we would be really grateful if you could donate them to school for our EYFS children to use in school!



Junior Class
(KS2)

We've now completed our first full week in school after the summer holidays, and the children have delighted us with their enthusiasm at being back! Each and every child has risen to the challenge of their new year group and are doing themselves proud. We have been continuing with our topic work on Islamic Civilisations through



time, and the children have been exploring themes of belonging through our English work (our text is Quill Soup), our class text (The Boy at the Back of the Class) and through our assemblies. This holistic approach enables us to explore the idea of "belonging" through a variety of different perspectives.

Please remember to send in a spare pair of trainers (these can be left in school if you wish) for the daily half hour PE sessions.



Mrs Moore
(Headteacher)

Training Days

As the additional bank holiday, on 3rd June 2022 for the Queen's Jubilee, falls in the school holidays, we have had to make some alterations to our staff training days. Pupils will, therefore, not be returning to school until Thursday 6th January 2022. Please find attached the updated term dates.

Change to school lunch menu

Please note that there is a change to the menu on Friday of Week 1. Instead of Country Bake, the menu will now be Quorn dippers with baked beans or peas. The bread and dessert options remain the same.

Other items of interest...

School Clubs:

Our after-school clubs will begin next week. Mrs Cole has been planning lots of exciting activities!

Monday: Construction

Tuesday: Gardening (this half-term only)

Wednesday: Traditional Playground Games

Thursday: Music

Friday: Fun Club: Exploring and Creating

A snack will be provided at each club.



Prices for clubs have been revised and are as follows:

The above clubs run until 4:15pm and the cost will be **£3**. This is reduced to £2.50 per child if more than one sibling stays.

Additional care up to 5pm will remain at £6 for the whole session and care up to 6pm (by prior arrangement) is £10.

Late pick-up will be charged at the next pricing rate.

Please note that you **must have an activated ParentPay account** if your child is to access the school clubs. The cost of these will be added to your account each week.

Flu nasal vaccine:

Attached is a letter from the NHS with information about the roll-out of the nasal flu vaccine for children. The letter contains a link to a parental consent form and should be completed by Friday September 24th.

Key Stage 2 Residential Trip 2022:

Details about this will be sent out on Monday—your prompt response would be appreciated!

Pupil Data Capture forms:

These were sent out on Monday 13th. If you still haven't returned yours, please could you do so by Monday 20th September—it's most important that our information is up to date.

2021-22 KEY DIARY DATES



Date	Event
	AUTUMN TERM 2021
October 12th	Parents' evening (Nursery & Year 3) 5pm–7pm
October 14th	Harvest Festival (church)
October 14th	Parents' evening (Nursery & Year 3) 3:30–5pm
October 22nd	'Fantastic Friday' - D&T focus
November 9th	Parents' workshop: Phonics (on Microsoft Teams) 6pm
November 23rd	Parents' evening (Y1, Y2, Years 4/5/6) 5pm–7pm
November 25th	Parents' evening (Y1, Y2, Years 4/5/6) 3:30–5pm
December 10th	Christmas dinner and parties
December 16th	Christingle Service (church)
December 17th	'Fantastic Friday' - Charles Dickens
	SPRING TERM 2022
February 9th-11th	Key Stage 2 Residential trip
March 15th	Sports Enhancement Day
March 29th	Parents' Evening (all children) 5pm–7pm
March 31st	Parents' Evening (all children) 3:30pm–5pm
April 7th	Easter service (church)
	SUMMER TERM 2022
July 5th & 7th	Sports Days
July 11th	KS2 play—Macbeth 6pm
July 20th	Leavers' Service