



Stillington Primary School Weekly Bulletin

29th April 2022



Infant Class (EYFS & KS1)

Welcome back! It's great to see everyone again and also to welcome some new faces into our nursery class as well!

EYFS: We have been learning about the number 10, counting to 10 forwards and backwards and quickly placing number tiles and Numicon blocks in the right order. Our EYFS topic this term is Rainforests and we have discussed the different animals that live in rainforests, such as the fruit bat.

KS1: We have been writing diary entries in our English lessons, focusing on how to use the past tense in our writing. In maths, we have started to look at different ways to collect and read data, such as tally charts, pictograms and bar charts.

Please do make sure **all your children's belongings are labelled** so that it saves time if they are missing. Thank you!



Junior Class (KS2)

It's been lovely to welcome everyone back to school after the Easter holidays – I hope you all enjoyed the wonderful weather that we had!

This half term might only be a short one, but it is certainly a busy one. We have started our new topic, which is called Super Stillington, and we would like it if children could bring in something which shows how they feel about their local area. It could be a picture, a photo, some artwork that they have created – the choice is theirs. In our Science work we are looking at investigating living things, and in Art we're looking the artwork of Fred Tomaselli and his piece "Gyre", which depicts the rubbish which has been ingested by an ocean fish.



Mrs Moore (Headteacher)

Welcome back everyone! We are really excited to begin the summer term and look forward to some, hopefully, warmer weather. As usual we will have a host of fun activities across the summer term including our 'Fantastic Friday', which will focus on our school Jubilee celebrations. Watch this space for more details!

The week beginning 9th May will see our Year 6 children undertake their KS2 SATs tests. As usual we will endeavour to make this as enjoyable a week as possible for the children. The national timetable for SATs is below for your information.

The **key stage 2 tests** are timetabled from **Monday 9 May to Thursday 12 May 2022**. They will be completed each morning.

If you have any concerns or queries regarding these please do not hesitate to contact me or your child's class teacher.

Date	Activity
Monday 9 May 2022	English grammar, punctuation and spelling papers 1 and 2
Tuesday 10 May 2022	English reading
Wednesday 11 May 2022	Mathematics papers 1 and 2
Thursday 12 May 2022	Mathematics paper 3

Last term's sponsorship event

On April 8th, all of the children went to the Community Stadium in York to take part in a number of activities. At the same time, the children were raising money, through sponsorship, for the School's Charitable organisation, which, this year, is the **R.S.P.C.A.**

We are very proud to announce that the children raised the magnificent total of **£386** for this charity!



THANK YOU!

We want to say a massive 'thank you' to the children who worked extremely hard on the day to fulfil their sponsorship targets. Also, a big 'thank you' to parents, family members and friends, who supported the children in this activity to help raise such a staggering amount. The money will help to support those animals who are subjected to terrible cruelty and neglect.

Keeping children safe online

Are your children safe online? Would you like advice on how to keep your children safe online? Do you know how to set up parent controls? Please click on the link to find out more: <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>

We all have a part to play in keeping children safe online. Do you need someone to talk to? Call the NSPCC on **0808 800 5000**, email help@nspcc.org.uk

Have a conversation

It is really important to chat with your children on an ongoing basis about staying safe online. Not sure where to begin? These conversation starter suggestions can help.

Ask your children to tell you about the sites they like to visit and what they enjoy doing online.

What games do you and your friends like to play online? Can you show me the websites you visit the most? Shall we play your favourite game online together?

Ask them about how they stay safe online.

What tips do they have for you, and where did they learn them? What is OK and not OK to share?

Ask them if they know where to go for help.

Where can they go to find the safety advice, privacy settings and how to report or block on the services they use?

Think about how you each use the internet.

What more could you do to use the internet together? Are there activities that you could enjoy as a family?

2022 KEY DIARY DATES



Date	Event
	SUMMER TERM 2022
May 2nd	Bank holiday
May 27th	Fantastic Friday—Jubilee Celebrations
May 28th - June 5th	Half term break. Back to school on Monday June 6th
July 5th & 7th	Sports Days
July 11th	KS2 play—Macbeth 6pm
July 20th	Leavers' Service

