



Stillington Primary School Weekly Bulletin

11th February 2022



Infant Class
(EYFS & KS1)

EYFS: In Early Years we have been busy making trains out of recycled materials. We discussed the names of different parts of the trains such as funnel, engine and buffers. The reception children have been writing labels for these parts.



Reception children have been exploring the number 7 – counting objects to match the number and finding one more and one less than 7. In Nursery, we have been looking at the language of ‘more’ and ‘fewer’, using the passengers on trains to look at changes in quantities.



KS1: We have been busy this week! In English, we have been writing a non-chronological report about space, using the Internet to research facts and find key information.

In maths we have started our Multiplication and Division topic. We have been using the language of ‘arrays’ and counting in 2s, 5s and 10s.

We have loved building our bridges as part of our Design Technology work. We worked in pairs to plan and build our bridge and we will be evaluating our work next week.



Junior Class
(KS2)

Thank you to all of the parents who have sent messages or come to see me to say ‘hello’ since I’ve been back – it’s definitely good to be in school again! We’re grateful that things are starting to get back to normal in KS2 after the disruption of the past couple of weeks.



Many of our children have enjoyed the long-awaited residential at Robinwood! Those children who stayed in class with us have enjoyed having a bit more freedom in their day (plus treats like pastries when they come into school in the morning!)

Our various themes are coming to an end as we approach half term, and the children have produced some spectacular work in science, history and art. We can’t wait to share the results with you when we send out the last bulletin of the half term!



Robinwood

It was very emotional waving the children off on Wednesday morning for the long-awaited residential trip.

Mrs Moore
(Headteacher)

I am getting regular phone updates from Miss Stringer and the children are having an amazing time (so are the staff)! I cant wait till they return to hear all about their time away!

Safer Internet Day

We celebrated **Safer Internet Day** on Tuesday 8th February. In assembly, we focused on how we can keep safe online, with a particular emphasis on sharing personal information.



Then, back in our classes, we took part in some activities around the length of time we spend on screens and made posters of other activities we can do to support screen-free time.

Below is the link to a useful website with information for parents and carers on Safe Use Online from ages 3 onwards.

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/safer-internet-day-2022>

Safer Internet Day is celebrated globally in February each year to promote the safe and positive use of digital technology for children and young people, and to inspire a national conversation about using technology **responsibly, respectfully, critically and creatively**.

www.saferinternet.org.uk



18th February

Our theme for *Fantastic Friday* is all about **colour and carnivals!**

We will be taking part in some **Zumba** sessions and making



carnival masks - all around the theme of '**Encanto**'

Children can come dressed in **brightly coloured clothes** ready for the day.



2022 KEY DIARY DATES



Date	Event
SPRING TERM 2022	
February 18th	Fantastic Friday—Colour and Carnivals
February 19th-27th	Half term break. Back to school on Monday Feb 28th
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	
April 25th	Staff Training Day
May 2nd	Bank holiday
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