

Styal Primary School
Valuing the Individual to Believe and Achieve

School Dinners—week 2

17th March 2023



DIARY DATES

Monday 20th March

9am Open Morning—look at books in classes

2pm Face to face parent meetings in the hall

3.30—4.15 Drama Club—Year 1 / 2

Tuesday 21st March

8.15 Year 6 Maths Interventions

Year 5 / 6 Titanic Museum Visit

3.30 Year 5 / 6 Yoga Club

Year 3 / 4 Remote parent consultations

Wednesday 22nd March

3.30 Y6 Maths Intervention

3.30—4.30 KS2 Gym Club

Year 1 / 2 and 5 / 6 Remote parent consultations

Thursday 23rd March

3.30 Baking Club

4.00 Boys' Football Match at Pownall Hall

Rec / Y1 Remote parent consultations

Friday 24th March

12.00—1.00 Football training—please bring change of clothes

Dear parents and carers,



Red Nose Day— Crazy Hair

Our Crazy Hair Day

was a big success. The creations were amazing and it was so lovely to see the children joining in the fun. Donations can still be given via the link below.

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/Louise-Boardman11>

Money raised goes towards supporting people with mental health problems, ending child poverty and funding community projects and clubs.



Thank You and Goodbye



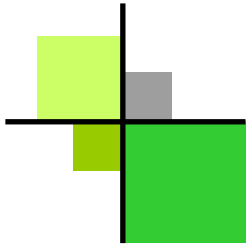
Sadly, we are saying goodbye to Jane Shaw, a co-opted governor for the school. Her term of office has come to an end. Jane has worked with school for numerous years and has shared her wealth of knowledge and has dedicated her time to helping the school to improve. Thank you, Jane.

Open Morning

On Monday morning, we will be opening our doors once more to parents and carers for our Open Morning. In class, you will be able to talk to staff about progress and look at your children's books. This is always supported really well so thank you in advance.

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CERTIFICATE WINNERS

Reception: Grace

Year 1: James

Year 2: Finn

Year 3: Olivia D

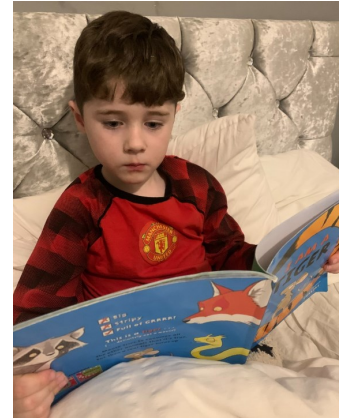
Year 4: Mia

Year 5: Isla

Year 6: Piper

Great Work

This week I had the pleasure of reading with James in class. He was so enthusiastic and even sent me a photo of him reading at home. James is so keen to learn!



Random Acts of Kindness

Zac and Fyn have both been rewarded this week. They have willingly given up their time to help to help tidy up equipment on the playground.

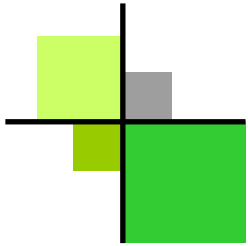


Easter Reading Challenge

This week children were told about our whole-school Extreme Reading Competition. We want to encourage our children to read anywhere and everywhere, and to prove that this is possible, we thought we would do so with some light-hearted, reading fun.

During the Easter Holiday, we ask that your child has a picture reading somewhere they would not normally read. This could be at the beach, on a slide, at their gymnastics lesson, on the side-line of their football match. Please send the picture to admin2@styal.cheshire.sch.uk. We will select our most adventurous reader and the lucky winner will receive a best-selling book to enjoy anywhere and everywhere. All other entries will be used to create a display in school, to promote reading for pleasure. Here are some pictures for inspiration.





Safeguarding

Attendance Matters

Attendance and punctuality is an issue for us at Styal Primary School. Therefore, this week I am sending out an Attendance Newsletter too. To support attendance, I am also introducing a reward for the class with the best attendance of the week. They will get to look after Attendance Ted and also will be able to use the gym equipment and football / hockey pitch on Friday. This week, Year 3 / 4 were the winners (removing Thursday's data for fairness).

Attendance Letters—Below 95%

Letters will be sent out this week to let you know if your child's attendance has fallen below 95%. This is really important information for you as there is often a correlation between poorer attendance and poorer education outcomes.

Attendance—Aiming for Above 95%

Whole School

94.88%

Rec / Y1

90.28%

Year 1 / 2

96.89%

Year 3 / 4

98.74%

Year 5 / 6

93.79%



Hall Floor

Great news...we have put the final plans into place to renovate our hall floor. This will take place from Monday 27th March. It is planned to take the final week of term and the two weeks of Easter Holidays. This means that dinners will be eaten in classrooms in the final four days (as we did during COVID). Please find attached the amended menu for these 4 days. Thank you for your understanding with this... I am sure you will agree that it is a small price to pay for a brand new hall floor.

