

**Styal Primary School**  
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## Weekly Newsletter

21st March 2025

### School Dinners—Week 3

### DIARY DATES



#### **Monday 24th March**

3.30-4.15pm Judo (in the hall)

Parent Consultations in Year 5/6 classroom

3.30– 4.30 PFC

#### **Tuesday 25th March**

3.30-4.30pm Jam Coding

#### **Wednesday 26th March**

Funky Hair Day

Gymnastics 3.30-4.30pm

#### **Thursday 27th March**

Year 5 and 6 Love Music Trust lessons

Forest School for Rec/1

#### **Friday 28th March**

2.45pm KS1 Special Ladies Day Celebration

### Reception/1 Road Safety



Reception/1 went on a road safety walk this week. They practised crossing the road safely and walking at the side of the road. The children were shown where to cross safely and not between cars.

They also went into the car park where Mrs Jones explained how to keep safe, stay with an adult and not run near parked cars.



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## Styal Star of The Week

The Styal Value of the Week is

### *Resilience*

Reception– Benjamin

Year 1– Jacob

Year 2– Olly

Year 3– Cole

Year 4– Lois

Year 5– Jenson

Year 6– Gaja

## Attendance

Aiming for Above 95%

Winners on Friday of the attendance award was

**Year 1 and 2**

**Whole School 93.5%**

**Rec/1 86 %**

**Y1/2 97.8%**

**Y3/4 93.7%**

**Y5/6 95%**



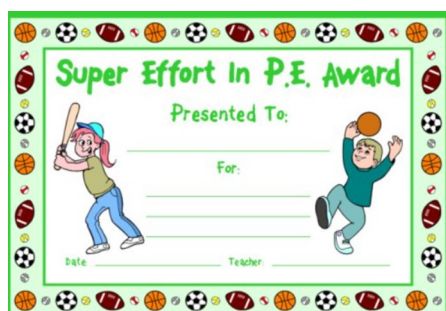
## Parent Consultations

Parent Consultations take place on Monday and Thursday this week.

Please note a change of room for Monday. As Judo will be on in the hall, teachers will be in the Year 5/ 6 classroom. Please can you enter the school via the main office where there will be sheets to sign in and out.

On Thursday, it will be held in the hall. Please enter via the hall door and sign in.

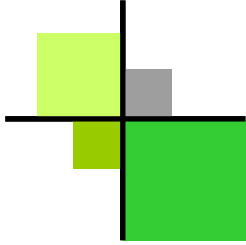
Thank you.



## Mr Smith's PE Awards

In KS1, Poppy demonstrated fantastic leadership skills and confidence whilst Ronnie was chosen for his performance at the football tournament. He never gave up despite being the youngest player on the pitch against a team of Year 6.

Well done!



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## Red Nose Day

Thank you to everyone who donated to Comic Relief via the link. So far we have raised a fantastic total of £129 so far. Thank you everyone for your generosity.

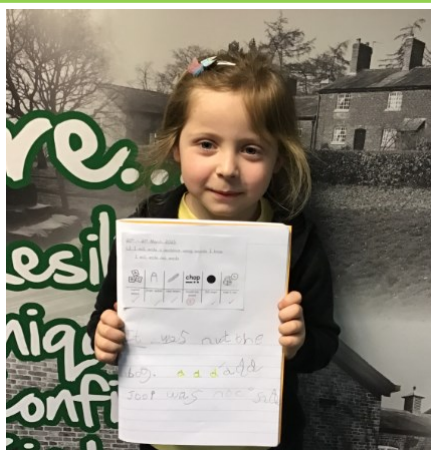
We held a 'Funniest Joke' competition, which, according to our judge Mrs Yardley Goldrick was the highlight of her week. The children did an amazing job sharing them in class. It was a tricky job deciding on the funniest joke, but the final winners who made the class laugh the most were Florence G, Gracie, Freddie, Poppy J, Poppy P, Jyoji, Loic and Ollie.







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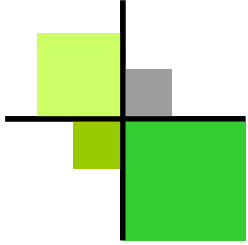
### Headteacher's Award

This week, Ruby has been chosen to receive this award because she impressed her teachers with her writing. Not only was it beautifully presented, but Ruby worked independently to sound out each word using her phonics. We are very proud of you Ruby.

### Random Acts of Kindness

Laina had a random act of kindness for helping a friend and Kobe, Isaac and Adrain have all been very helpful with the Reception children. Osacr did a great job of tidying the shed. These children really help the staff—thank you!





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## Open Afternoon



It was lovely to see you at open afternoon where the children had an opportunity to share their learning with you.

Thank you as always for your continued support.





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## Lambing Season

It is always so nice to hear what happens in our children's lives outside of the school day. Rupert was so excited to share his new lambs with us. They were born on Monday and Tuesday this week.



## Football

The football team took part in a tournament on Thursday playing against Lindow and Gorsey Bank. Despite losing 4-1 and 1-0, the team spirit was strong. Mr Smith did a great job supporting and encouraging the team throughout as you can see from their team talk photo.

Well done to you all.





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At Styal, we pride ourselves on being as inclusive as we can to give **EVERY** child in our school the most comfortable day we can.

We make many adaptations for our young people throughout the school day so that our children are in the best possible place to learn and be happy. These can help all our children.

One of these adaptations is to replace clapping in assemblies with the sign for clapping (seen in the photo above). Sudden onset of noise can be very dysregulating for children (particularly as they might not have gained the social cues that clapping is coming). You may have experienced this around hand dryers in public toilets and how that can alarm a young child as they have a sudden onset of sound that appears to be random. As children learn the social cues around hand dryers they can be better placed to predict that the hand dryer will start so become more able to tolerate it.

However, some people will also struggle with this.

Therefore, we have made the decision to clap with no noise but a very visual sign to show our appreciation. This has been used for years in schools with a silent cheer.





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## Funky Hair Day



In support of Elsie, we would like to invite children to come to school with funky hair on **Wednesday 26th March**. A letter has already been sent out to families with more detail.. If you wish to donate to the Little Princess Trust, please follow the link below.

[https://www.justgiving.com/page/elsies-superhair?utm\\_medium=FR&utm\\_source=CL](https://www.justgiving.com/page/elsies-superhair?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=CL)

As we finish another week at Styal, we have been lucky to have had the lovely weather on our side which makes our breaks and lunchtimes a little more fun. Some Year 1 boys got creative designing their own village from natural materials at lunch which included a fun fair and a campfire!

