

STANFORD INFANT SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

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Welcome back to the summer term - here's hoping the sun continues to shine!

WHAT A SUPER START TO OUR LEARNING JOURNEYS!

The children are already immersed in their Learning Journeys for this half of the term. Reception are paleontologists and exploring fearlessly. Year 1 have set sail on a Pirate Adventure and Year 2 have embarked on a trip around the world!

We will be continuing to use Google Classroom to share some activities to support learning at home - these will be posted weekly for you to access if you wish. Please also remember to access Bug Club and Numbots to support your child's reading and number skills.

We have been so impressed by the way the children have settled back into their learning routine and pride ourselves on planning and delivering an *inspiring* and ambitious curriculum, Teachers are currently ensuring they are planning for the educational needs of every child through Quality First Teaching and high-quality feedback. All teachers are provided with time out of class each week to provide individual/group interventions as required. We are very much looking forward to a successful summer term.



UPCOMING DATES

The Diary Dates for the academic year can be found by clicking [here](#). All upcoming dates are posted on our School Website, as well as your SchoolPing calendar. This year, all dates are subject to change!

| Date | Event |
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| May | Walk to School Month |
| Sat 1st May | Brighton Festival's Virtual Children's Parade |
| Mon 3rd May | Bank Holiday |
| Tues 11th May | Finance & Full Governing Body Meeting |
| Wed 19th May | Class Photographs |
| Fri 28th May | INSET Day |

Please click here to be directed to a copy of the Term Dates

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

If your child is attending an After School Club for the first time, please let your child's teacher know or email the School Office. Thank you.



WELCOME

We are delighted to welcome student teachers to our school this term, There is a student in each class and you should have received a letter informing them of their name and how they will work in your child's class.



PAN REDUCTION

As many of you will know, unfortunately, the decision was made by the Children and Young People's Committee to reduce our Published Admissions Number from 90 - 60 from September 2022. You can find a copy of the report by clicking on the image below. I am currently in the process of completing an objection to the School's Adjudicator and will let families know the outcome as soon as I have it.



EXPLORING & LEARNING TOGETHER

The children have had a wonderful time exploring their Learning Environments this week. It has been fantastic to see and hear them having such a fabulous time inside and outside of the classroom.



CHILDREN'S PARADE 2021!

Although we cannot gather on 1st May, the organisers of the Children's Parade are still planning a fun celebration of creativity in a safe and inclusive way! We will be inviting Year 1 families will support our entry to the parade - more info to follow! You will be able to join the parade virtually on 1st May, and we will send the link home next Friday. We are also delighted that our Panda - last year's Big Make will finally be completed and exhibited - we will share a photo after the event. We look forward to this virtual event!



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