



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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"Where we care about our learning and each other"

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Important Dates For Your Diary:

Monday 29th January

After School Clubs Start

Wednesday 31st January & Thursday 1st February

Y6 Countryside Skills

Friday 2nd February

PTFA Swish

Friday 9th February

Y4 Class Assembly

Teacher News

Our Year 1 teacher, Mrs Stewart is pregnant and will be going on maternity leave in a few months.

While we know the children and staff will miss her, we are all thrilled for her.

We have already started the process to look for maternity cover and will obviously ensure there is a smooth handover for the children.

Reading Army

As you all know, reading is something we are passionate about at King's Stanley Primary School.

We love seeing the children develop their reading and get excited about books.

Our reading army is made up of volunteer parents and carers who come in for about 30mins and listen to the children read. We are always receiving feedback stating how lovely it is to come in and hear the children read.

You can volunteer for once a week or several times a week if you wish! Please speak to the office if you can spare us your time and be part of our wonderful reading team.

Early Help

Early help is about identifying the right support for children, young people and their families as soon as problems emerge. It is also about identifying support at all stages of a child's life; pre-birth, childhood and or adolescence.

The purpose of early help is to prevent issues and problems becoming serious and harmful to the child and their respective family and community.

King's Stanley C of E Primary School recognises the importance of identifying and providing Early Help to parents, carers or family members who are concerned about their child. For parents, the school is easily accessible which creates a convenient starting point if anyone has concerns to share about their child.

We work alongside and in partnership with other agencies including the Advisory Teaching Service, Educational Psychologist, School Nursing Team, CYPS, Charities, Children Centres, Young Carer's, Families First Plus and Social Care.

Kings' Stanley C of E Primary School employs a Children and Families Worker who can offer targeted work with children as well as family support, advice and signposting.

Family Support Worker

Our Family Support Worker is Caroline Milward. She is available to talk to children and parents in school on a wide range of issues.

Caroline is available every morning between **9:00am and 10:00am by appointment only.**

Please contact the office if you would like to make an appointment.

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Young Voices

What a night! Both the children and the grown ups loved every minute and sang their hearts out!

It's a long day for all involved, arriving at the arena at 1pm to rehearse before the concert at 7pm. We could not be prouder of how our children (and adults) behaved on the day and throughout the evening.

They have also shown real dedication by committing to their weekly practice and learning the lyrics along with the dance routines.

Events like these wouldn't be possible without our dedicated and amazing teachers and TA's who gave up their time to give the children this experience.



Student Spotlight

One of our Year 3's recently performed alongside DODS in a Sleeping Beauty pantomime! She danced a fairy dance and even performed a solo at the beginning!

What an incredible achievement, well done Evie.



Value Certificates

Reception

Jasper has shown the value responsibility by always helping to tidy up.

Emilia for being a wonderful reader by working hard and reading beautifully.

Year 1

Mark for being a wonderful scientist by finding lots of different materials on our material hunt.

Alexa for being a wonderful writer by writing a lovely character description of the wolf using resources from around the classroom.

Year 2

Owen has shown the value responsibility by working really hard this week, especially in his history writing.

Sadie for being a wonderful mathematician when adding 2 digit numbers together.

Year 3

Ewan has shown the value perseverance when completing his work in the classroom and joining in with all of our lessons.

Harvey for being a great mathematician by completing his Quick Maths level after working really hard over many weeks.

Year 4

Martha for being a wonderful mathematician by using and applying her times tables to work out factors of a number.

Olly has shown the value responsibility by always trying his best. .

Year 5

Willow has shown the value respect by always being kind and respectful to everyone.

Lenny-Jay for being a great musician and giving a great performance in clarinet.

Year 6

Lyla for being a wonderful writer by including a wide range of skills and fantastic, creative ideas.

Rory has shown the value responsibility for working hard in all subjects and contributing towards class discussions.

WELL DONE EVERYONE

MUGA

Our MUGA (multi use games area) has been looking a little tired and so is due a refresh!

We will be having the area resurfaced next week and the MUGA will therefore not be available at break or lunch.

As the children will need to use the grass area outside, please can you send your child/ren in with **wellies** for the whole week.