



Stoughton Infant School Newsletter

Friday 10th July



Headteacher's Message

We are rapidly approaching the end of the school year and in some ways, it really doesn't feel like the end of term - no sports day, leavers or class assemblies or summer fair but in others it definitely does! The preparations for the next academic year are in full swing and we are working hard to make a workable and safe plan for September for all. The government released new guidance for schools of July 2nd for which we need to follow for September. We will be fully updating our risk assessment and our risk control statement in readiness for September. I will be writing to you all again next week more details for what September will look like after the governing body and Athena Schools Trust have signed off the risk documents.

I can't thank the school community enough for the support through this most challenging of times, it's really appreciated. For those of you with children still learning at home I know it can be really hard, especially in these latter weeks and motivation and enthusiasm is waning. It definitely is in my own home too, with my daughters pushing their Dad's buttons more frequently, whilst he's trying to juggle home schooling and working!

This morning you will receive a brief end of year report from your child's class teacher, this will be emailed to you via ParentMail. You'll notice that the reports don't have any gradings included due to us not being in a position to assess the children fully and accurately. If you have any queries or comments regarding your child's report or you wish to speak to your child's class teacher, please email them directly to arrange this. You'll also receive instructions on how to download your child's Tapestry profile very soon.

At the end of the school year, we like to gather feedback of the parent community. Your views are really important in helping us to grow and improve. The link to the anonymous survey is [here](#) and I will also send it separately via ParentMail.

A polite reminder to any parents who have children starting in reception or nursery in September that all the information you require is on the school website [here](#). It is really important that we have the admissions and permissions form submitted ASAP.

A little plea from the Year 1 team. Do any of you have any small world toys at home that your children no longer play with and you'd be willing to donate to the school? Donations can be brought to the school. We'll have a donation box which we won't touch for 72 hours after the donations have come in.



We are also asking for some support through our Sponsor a Topic Book venture. This venture is part of a much bigger plan to re-install a library to the school. The Friends of Stoughton will be supporting us too but fundraising is going to look different for the foreseeable future as we won't be able to gather in large groups for events such as the Christmas Fair. Stage 1 of the project is improving our stock of non-fiction and topic books as this will have the most impact on the children's learning. The next stage will be getting the space designed and furniture purchased. Thank you to all of you that have already purchased a book from the Amazon wish list. This link is [here](#) if you'd like to help through sponsoring a book.

Have a lovely weekend,

Sarah Carrington

Safeguarding

E-safety Parent Kit:

Web wise have created an E-safety Parent Kit to encourage families to discuss internet safety. The E-safety Kit is aimed at 6-12 year olds and was created by parents to help share benefits and risks of surfing the web in a fun and engaging way.

Click the link: <https://www.webwise.ie/parents/family-e-safety-kit/> <https://www.webwise.ie/parents/family-e-safety-kit/>

Or search “ webwise family e-safety kit”.



Other Information

We would like to say a huge thank you to the team of brownies and rangers who have been beavering away to make the most stunning creativity packs for some of our children who are currently learning at home. When we delivered these, it was wonderful to see how excited the children and parents were to receive them. So to all of those of you who received them have fun and keep being creative. We'd love to see some of the things you make.



SCL HOLIDAY CLUBS FOR 4-12 YEAR OLDS

WORLD EXPLORERS A VIRTUAL ADVENTURE

23rd July - 28th August

OVER 25 VENUES AVAILABLE, YOUR NEAREST IS...

BOOK ONLINE
www.scl.co.uk/holiday-clubs

ACTIVITIES
No boring activities, without trying the usual! With expert and qualified staff, we will ensure that all of our holiday clubs are fun, safe and offer the best of both worlds!

OUR AGE GROUPS

4-5	6-8	9-12
CLUB ENERGY THERMAL MASSES SAND PAINTING JOURNAL CHALLENGES	CLUB ENERGY STANAGRAM MIND CRAFT SAND PAINTING BEST KEAST HUNTS	CLUB ENERGY BRACKENHURST OBSTACLE COURSE TUTOR POLLS MAKE & BROWSE

OUR CLUBS ARE COVID-19 SECURE
The health and safety of your children is paramount to us. We have developed a set of strict measures to ensure that we can ensure your children are safe. For more information, visit our website or get in touch.

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

We are pleased to announce that we can offer holiday camps this summer. As of the 19th June, the DfE released a further statement to allow holiday camps to open.

We will continue to review Government guidance in relation to holiday camps, to ensure a safe experience for all children and staff. The Government will release further guidance on how measurements will be implemented but for now, we are only able to take week only bookings (Mon-Fri). We are unable to take individual day bookings so that we can keep children in groups/bubbles for the week they are with us.

To view our holiday venues and weeks we are offering, please visit our website following this link: <http://planet-soccer.info/book-a-holiday-course/>. You can also book a place using the link above and view further information on the protective measures we will put in place. Please book at least 10 days in advance of each week, so that we have time to organise groups/bubbles. The cost of one week is a discounted price of £95 for all 5 days.

Unfortunately, we may have to cancel camps if we do not reach minimum numbers. We will give at least 1 week notice if this situation occurs and offer a full refund.

Many thanks,
Planet Soccer



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We are pleased to share with you details of our next set of online courses. Please forward this bulletin directly to families who may be interested, or to other partners to forward to their families.

Please do get back to me if you have any queries.
family.learning@surreycc.gov.uk

Free Online Courses for Families



2. EAL Course Overview – For parents who do not speak English

On this course, you will work online with the tutor and other parents and carers to improve your English language skills as well as improving your ability to support your children's learning. You will also improve your understanding of education in the UK.

This is an adult-only course.

What will we cover?

- Bilingualism
- Reading with children
- Phonics
- Education in England including British values

[Click here to Register Now \(for one or both courses\)](#)

If you have any questions at all and would like to speak to us, then you can email your contact number to family.learning@surreycc.gov.uk and a member of the team will get back to you.

If you are a Facebook user, you can visit us @Surrey Family Learning and see the latest news, find out about events and activities or read features on our courses.

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We have developed an online offer to support parents and their children in the curriculum areas of maths and English as an Additional Language (EAL). If you scroll down you will find further information about these free online courses for parents.

Before you register you should:

- Have connectivity to the internet through a laptop, tablet or smartphone.
- Read about the course. You would be able to enrol on one or both.
- Be aware that these sessions are being trialed and that we welcome your feedback.
- Be able to commit to 3 weekly short sessions.
- Be aware that we will need some details. Once you have responded, a member of the Family Learning Team will be in touch by phone.



Courses Overview

1. Maths Course Overview

On this course, you will work online with the tutor and other parents and carers to improve your own maths skills as well as improving your ability to support your children's learning. You will also improve your understanding of the maths curriculum. Your child may be able to learn with you on this course.

What will we cover?

We will cover a range of topics that may include –

- Addition and subtraction
- Multiplication and division
- Place value
- Fractions & Percentages
- Probability
- Mental maths methods
- Maths games
- Maths vocabulary

Dates

July 10th – Brief written reports emailed to parents

July 14th – Farewell Walk Through 3.30pm Stoughton Road Entrance

July 17th – Morning attendance only (individual bubble pick up times)

July 20th - INSET

July 21st - INSET

July 22nd – INSET

Sept 1st – INSET

Sept 2nd – INSET

Our Values

Positivity Courage Perseverance Love Nurture