

Stanbridge Lower School



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Dear Parents/Guardians

Parent Consultations - Thursday 25th March, 3.45 - 5.00pm

We are looking forward to seeing you all at this term's Parent Consultations which will take place on the above date and times. Due to current educational guidance re COVID these parent consultations will be offered via Zoom or a telephone call. Please fill in the reply slip below and return this to your class teacher, indicating your preference and they will arrange and confirm appointment times. We look forward to seeing you all. We encourage children to be present at the Zoom consultations.

If you choose a Zoom consultation the codes and passwords will be sent back to you on the reply slip. There will be one code per year group and the teacher will only let you into the meeting at your allocated time. Once you have joined, you will be held in a waiting room until the teacher admits you. Once the consultation has finished the teacher will remove you permanently from the meeting and you will not be able to join again. Each consultation will last about 5 minutes. If technology fails on the day (e.g. can't link via Zoom) teachers will telephone you instead.

The teachers will discuss how your child has settled back into school since school opened, any significant gaps in learning which has been assessed so far by your class teacher and what work is being planned for the summer term to address this.

Parent Consultations for Pre-school: Pre-school staff will be available each morning in the playground, across the week 22nd - 26th March to speak to parents who wish to have an update on their child's progress. Please book these directly with Mrs Biggs or Mrs Thackray via the school office on 01525 210328.

Last Day of Term for 20/21

On Friday 26th March we will be finishing at 1.30pm to enable teachers to clean shared equipment, resources and spaces. This will be the same for the last day of each term across this year. Please make a note in your diary.



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Contact with Teachers

Teachers have all agreed to continue to make their school email addresses available for parents to use. Teachers will be available to contact during the school day, as well as before and after school and should only be contacted via email in exceptional circumstances. All day to day school queries/absences should be phoned through to the school office or emailed to info@stanbridge.beds.sch.uk following the normal process. If parents email teachers after 4.30 pm they will be responded to as soon as possible the following working day.

Parent Consultation – Reply Slip

Child's Name: Class:

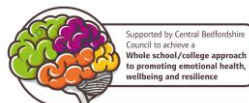
I would like to attend **Parent Consultations – Thursday 25th March, 3.45 – 5.00pm**

Telephone Consultation	Please Indicate Time Preference	Confirmation of Consultation Time by Teacher Please return this slip back to the parent.
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Diary Dates: These will be included on the school calendar on the website. Teachers are currently planning school trips for their classes and other curriculum events will also be organised and as the teachers plan their topics for the term. You will be notified of these accordingly.

17 th March	School Sports Partnership After School Club - more details to follow
17 th March	Yr 4 Young Leader Training
18 th March	Middle School Enrichment Afternoon - more details to follow
23 rd March	Take one Picture art afternoon for all children
24 th March	KS1 Festival of Sport
25 th March	Parent Consultations via Zoom or Telephone 3.45 - 5pm
29 th March	Last Day of Term
13 th April	1 st Day of Term
15 th April	KS1 Mini Sports Festival
19 th April	Year 4 Cooking Starts
6 th May	KS2 Football Competition
11 th May	KS2 Sports Festival
12 th May	Texture, texture and more texture art afternoon for all children
24 th May	Year 3 Cooking starts
31 st - 4 th May	Half Term
7 th June	KS1 Phonics Screen Test across the week

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9 th June	School Sports Partnership After School Club - more details to follow
10 th June	KS2 Cricket
11 th June tbc	Stanbridge Sports Day
14 th June	KS2 L1 Sports Festival
16 th June	School Sports Partnership After School Club - more details to follow
23 rd June	School Sports Partnership After School Club - more details to follow
23 rd June	Student Voice Conference
23 rd June	KS2 Athletics
30 th June	School Sports Partnership After School Club - more details to follow
1 st July	KS2 Tennis
7 th July	School Sports Partnership After School Club - more details to follow
7 th July	Middle School Transfer Day
15 th July	Annual Reports sent home
19 th July tbc	Open Afternoon if guidelines permit
22 nd July	Leavers Assembly - further details to follow
22 nd July	Last Day of Term



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