

The Stables Independent School Newsletter



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A message from Mrs Porter

Welcome back, everyone. I hope you had a lovely Easter holiday. We finally have some sunshine and have hopefully seen the last of the cold, wet weather. This term, sailing and surfing are back on the timetable, with Otters and Hedgehogs Classes taking part in these fantastic outdoor activities.

Your child is bringing home their Spring Term 2 Behaviour Report today. Electronic copies will also be sent and shared with social workers. In addition to this, the children from Badgers and Hedgehogs Classes are also bringing home a letter about the NSPCC's "Speak out. Stay Safe" programme. Please give this your full attention as part of working together to keep children safe. Have a great weekend.

Dates for your diary

- ◆ 22nd April - Earth Day
- ◆ 23rd April - Saint George's Day
- ◆ 27th April - Stop Food Waste Day
- ◆ 29th April - Hedgehogs and Otters trip to The British Museum, London
- ◆ 4th May - Bank Holiday Monday - school is closed
- ◆ 8th May - VE Day
- ◆ 11th - 15th May - Deaf Awareness Week
- ◆ 22nd May - End of term!
Normal finish time of 14:30.
- ◆ 1st June - Back to school



TAKEHOME

30th March
- 5th April



In the news this week

The Bank of England, that designs and makes the UK's banknotes, has said that future notes will include British wildlife, such as animals or plants, instead of historical figures. At the moment, UK banknotes feature the British monarch on the front and well-known people from history on the back. However, some believe the back of banknotes should instead celebrate nature, showing animals, birds, or plants that live in the UK.

Things to talk about at home ...

- Look at a coin or banknote you have at home. What pictures or symbols can you see on it? Why might they have been chosen?
- Different countries show different things on their money, such as leaders, buildings, or wildlife. What do you feel money should say about a country?
- Imagine you could design your own coin or banknote. What picture would you include and why? Ask someone at home about what they would choose.

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

Share your thoughts and read the opinions of others

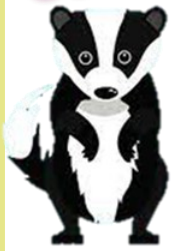
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W.O.W!

Work of the Week

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Keiran, well done for making a super mask in DT and for being the maths teacher!



Michael, well done for completing a lot of your work independently this week!



Troy, you showed you were an expert on how to keep our muscles and bones strong!



Theodore, you engaged well with most of your learning tasks and showed greater concentration! Miss Parker and Miss Jackman are very proud of you!



Caleb, you independently designed and created an Egyptian necklace.

W.O.W!

SUPER SPORTS STAR

Well done to this week's
MOST VALUABLE PLAYER
Tyla for having a
fantastic attitude!



Star of the Week

★ **Tyla** ★

Congratulations Tyla!
You have had an amazing first week back. You have acknowledged and even laughed about mistakes! You have been a great friend to others too.



WEEK 1 HOUSE POINTS

28

21

19

16

Miss Rackham's **BLUE TEAM** have taken an early lead at the end of the first week of Summer Term 1! Well done to **Luke, Michael, Harrison, Keiran and Kenzo** on their haul of merits!