



We wish you a happy and relaxing Easter break.

We all return on Monday  
15<sup>th</sup> April.

**Safeguarding hotspot**

Please do not take photos or film children on the school site. Please be mindful that any photos or videos could contain images of other children. Thank you for your support.

**Year 5 ZooLab workshop**



On Monday, 'ZooLab' came in and visited all three of our Year 5 classes and we learnt about how a range of animals grow and reproduce.



We also discussed how different species age as they grow.



We met a tarantula, a snake, a tree-frog, a tortoise and a snake.



We can't wait to start our 'Living Things and their Habitats' topic in Science next term.

**Lost Property**



There is quite a lot of lost property accumulating in the boxes. It was laid out outside Year 1 today, but due to weather most items remained.

We will make it available after Easter, before any unclaimed items are disposed of.

Where possible items will be sent to the Stanwell Food Bank.

**Easter Reading News!**

Please see attachment regarding Easter Reading News.

**26<sup>th</sup> April - Stanwell Food Bank collection - boxes of cereal**

The PTA are looking for volunteers to come forward and contact Michelle via the PTA email address:

[appspta@gmail.com](mailto:appspta@gmail.com)

Thank you for your support.

**Smart Schools Council**

Please click on the image below to view the Smart Schools Council Newsletter:





**This week's word of the week is Pascua**

Translation: Easter

Etymology: Pascua, which is usually capitalised, did not always refer to the Christian holy day commemorating the Resurrection of Christ.

The word predates Christianity and originally refers to a holy day of the ancient Hebrews.

Me gusta celebrar la Pascua con mi familia. I like to celebrate Easter with my family.

## Achievement

**MAC – Making Attendance Count Whole School Attendance 93.9%**

Congratulations to the KS1 winner last week being Otter Class with 97.7%

Congratulations to the KS2 winner being Kingfisher Class with 99.7%. Fantastic!

### INSET Days 2024/25

2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2024  
14<sup>th</sup> February 2025  
21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2025

**29<sup>th</sup>** – Good Friday

## April

**1<sup>st</sup> – Easter Monday**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> April** Easter holidays

### 15<sup>th</sup> – Children return to school

**16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> – EYFS Height & Weight Checks**

**18<sup>th</sup> – Choir invited to attend Surrey Primary Music Festival, Dorking in the evening**

**19<sup>th</sup> – Year 2 Windsor trip**

**19<sup>th</sup> – MUFTI Day - School Council for school funds, £1 donation would be appreciated**

**22<sup>nd</sup> – Whole school class photos**

**24<sup>th</sup> – Year 5 Junior / STEM workshop**

**25<sup>th</sup> – Deer Class assembly at 2.40pm, front gate to open at 2.30pm.**

**26<sup>th</sup> – Stanwell Food Bank collection- boxes of cereal**

## May

KS1 SATs throughout May

**1<sup>st</sup> – PTA Happy Circus**

**1<sup>st</sup> – MUFTI Day for PTA Bottle Tombola for pre circus event**

**2<sup>nd</sup> – Year 3 History off the page in school**

**2<sup>nd</sup> – Hedgehog Class assembly at 2.40pm, front gate to open at 2.30pm.**

**3<sup>rd</sup> – MUFTI Day for school funds**

**6<sup>th</sup> – Bank holiday**

**8<sup>th</sup> – Years 1 – 6 RSHE Parent Meeting, 3.30pm in the hall**

**9<sup>th</sup> – Squirrel Class assembly at 2.40pm, front gate to open at 2.30pm.**

**9<sup>th</sup> – EYFS Planetarium Experience in the hall**

**13<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> KS2 SATs**

**16<sup>th</sup> – Robin Class assembly at 2.40pm, front gate to open at 2.30pm.**

**16<sup>th</sup> – Year 6 Hooke Court residential trip meeting for parents in the hall at 5.30pm**

**17<sup>th</sup> – Year 1 trip to Milestones**

**17<sup>th</sup> – Year 6 trip to Thorpe Park**

**23<sup>rd</sup> – Woodpecker Class assembly at 2.40pm, front gate to open at 2.30pm.**

**24<sup>th</sup> – Whole school APPS RE/Cultural Diversity Celebration afternoon. 2.30pm**

**24<sup>th</sup> – Last day of half term, children finish at normal time 3.15pm**

**27<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> Half term**

## June

**3<sup>rd</sup> – Children return to school**

**3<sup>rd</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> – Year 4 Multiplication Tables Checks**

**3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> – Year 6 trip to Hooke Court**

**5<sup>th</sup> – Year 4 Moorhen & Heron Watts Gallery trip**

**6<sup>th</sup> – Year 4 Kingfisher Watts Gallery trip**

**w/b 10<sup>th</sup> – Phonics Screening Week**

**13<sup>th</sup> – Owl Class assembly at 2.40pm, front gate to open at 2.30pm.**

**14<sup>th</sup> – PTA Family Quiz Night in hall 6.00 - 8.00pm**

**20<sup>th</sup> – Swift Class assembly at 2.40pm, front gate to open at 2.30pm**

### Sports Days

Entrance to all Sports Days will be via the Queens Walk / back gate at 1.15pm.

**24<sup>th</sup> Reception Classes**

**25<sup>th</sup> Years 1 & 2**

**26<sup>th</sup> Years 3 & 4**

**27<sup>th</sup> Years 5 & 6**