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Stanah Standard

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Welcome back-We hope you all had a restful and enjoyable Summer break

This week's growth mindset quote for our children is from John C. Maxwell

Dreams don't work unless you do

Extra Curricular Activities Autumn term

Extra Curriculum activities will be limited to year group bubbles and these will be sent out via letters throughout the year.

As soon as staff have been able to organize the arrangements for their year group clubs, the first letters will be sent soon.

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The first few days at school have gone exceptionally well. The children come back to transition on Tuesday and all seemed very happy to be back with their friends and meet their new teachers. They all did so well as a return to school after so long and to new teachers and new procedures can be quite daunting. It is wonderful to see everyone back!

Mrs Twist and I have visited lessons over the last 3 days and all the children have been engaged and happy in class. They have been fully involved with our Stanah teaching and learning strategies, it's like we haven't been away!

Everyone is following the procedures in school for hygiene and day to day safety requirements. The new extra hand basins have proved very useful too.

Thank you to our parents and carers for supporting us in school and when dropping off and collecting.

We are continuously reviewing our procedures in light of feedback and the changing guidance from the Government. As previously we will keep you updated with any amendments as soon as they are made.



A big welcome to our new children

Welcome to the Stanah Family! It was lovely to see the new children starting our school. They all came in happily and with very few tears (apart from a few parents!!)

The EYFS team have said how well the children have already settled in. Mrs Twist and I have visited them and enjoyed our time outside with them.

The children have been making new friends and settling into the new routines. They have been showing us their talents and sharing what they already know.

Next week the children will be full time and we look forward to learning more about our new children.

Well done Reception, what a fantastic start!

A warm Stanah welcome to children who started in other year groups. I'm sure you will settle in well and make some new friends. I will try to meet you all next week when you have settled in.

Message for parents re parking-please don't park across the neighbours' driveways, we have had a few incidents reported to us, including one resident who reported that she was sworn at. Also, please don't park immediately outside school. It means traffic needs to cross the double white lines and that is an offence that is dealt with by a ticket from the Police. I would hate you to be welcomed at a new school with a ticket! Also, please do not bring vehicles into the school grounds unless arranged with the school office, thank you.

A FEW POLITE REMINDERS

- Children can bring in a water bottle for during the day that should only have water in it- we have a few bringing in juice etc.
- Please remember to label all items of clothing.
- All children that have pierced ears must be able to remove their ear rings themselves for PE. School policy is that we cannot put plasters on them nor can we take them out.
- Uniform- Tracksuits should be as specified by school from Bispham clothing please and only worn on PE days



STANAH SUPERSTAR

As there are currently no assemblies in school, the school leadership team is looking at the best ways for us to present our children with the weekly Stanah Superstars. The criteria are based on children showing that they have excelled with one of the school's ten values from the two school rules. These are:

Work Hard- Ambitious, Resilient, Adaptable, Inquisitive & Enthusiastic

Be Kind- Respectful, Understanding, Helpful, Forgiving & Caring

Hopefully ,the arrangements will be finalised for next week and we can make a start.