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# Stanah Standard

Issue: 506 - Week Ending: Friday 3rd November 2023

Semana que termina Viernes 3 Noviembre 2023

*This week's growth mindset quote for our children is from the inventor Thomas Edison  
Many of life's failures are people who did not realize how close they were to success when they gave up*

### Autumn Term Diary Dates

- 8.11.23 Parents/Carers Consultation
- 8.11.23 Family and Individual photos
- 12.11.23 Remembrance Service – Thornton Cenotaph
- 13.11.23 World Kindness Day
- 13.11.23 Inter-Faith Week
- 17.11.23 Children In Need
- 24.11.23 Creative Project Parent Gallery
- 6.12.23 Y4 Carol Service @St John's Church @6pm
- 8.12.23 Christmas Jumper Day
- 11.12.23 Reception Nativity @2.30pm
- 12.12.23 Reception Nativity @9.30am
- 20.12.23 Christmas Lunch

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### Ex Curricular Clubs

Monday	Tennis Club	Y5 & 6	3:20 – 4:20
Tuesday	Football Club	Y5 & 6	3:20 – 4:20
Thurs	Dance Club		3:20 – 4:15
	Fencing Club	Y5 & 6	3:20 – 4:00
	History Club	Y4, 5 & 6	3:20 – 4:00



Sunday 12th November is the date for the Remembrance Service at the Cenotaph at Four Lanes End.

If you would like to mark this occasion, please join us there. The school will be represented by Staff, Guardians, Senior Prefects, House Captains, Vice Captains and School Council. Please could the school representatives wear school uniform and warm coats. The reps are to meet the staff and myself in the theatre car park at 10:20 please.

### GET YOUR SMILES AT THE READY

Family and individual photos are on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2023 starting at 08:30



**Applying for places at our school for Sept 2024-** It is possible to apply on-line at

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/apply-for-a-school-place/>

Please see the banner on the school gate for more information.

Our open days are on 7th & 10th October (times TBC), come and get a taste of the wonderful things that our children and staff do.

Another busy start...

### **Reception:**

A brilliant first week back for EYFS. We have immersed ourselves in our New Disney Topic, Finding Nemo. We have explored under the sea and discussed many things we know about the ocean. We have come back remembering all of our phonics sounds and are really working hard at segmenting and blending these into words. Next week we will look at the sounds, c, k and ck.

It has been great to hear all about our adventures from the half term holidays and the children have loved sharing these with each other.

### **Year 1:**

To infinity and BEYOND!

Year 1 have been emerged into their Disney theme with a BANG and we have enjoyed every minute of it. In English we have discussed our favourite Disney character and created 'top trump' cards based on these. We found a crime scene left in our classroom - someone had enjoyed a tea party over night. Who could it have been? This created some excellent discussion and even better writing.

We have enjoyed creating theme park maps and learning more about Walt Disney. We can't wait to see where this topic takes us!

**Year 2:** In Year 2, we have fully immersed ourselves in to all things 'Aladdin'. We have enjoyed watching the remake of Aladdin, focussing on the carpet ride, which we have mapped out as part of our Talk For Writing unit. We have discussed the nouns, adjectives and verbs linked to the story. In Maths we have learnt all about number bonds to 10. As part of our topic, we have begun to create our own lamps, using a range of media.

A great week!

### **Year 3:**

Year 3 have been 'Under the Sea, Under the Sea' exploring the Little Mermaid and Disney. The children have researched the history of Walt Disney and found out some amazing facts. We have brainstormed all the Disney films and put them into chronological order and started to examine a Little Mermaid descriptive text. All in all, a great week's work!

### **Year 4:**

We are flying high! Disney, Disney, Disney. What a wonderful week filled with lots of creative activities linked to our creative project based on the film Dumbo. We have emersed ourselves in the text, watched clips of the film, embraced the artwork and even studied where the 2019 re-make was produced. In Geography we used a range of sources to identify the locations of movie settings and whilst doing so, familiarised ourself with the icons and symbols of Google Maps. In History, the children studied how Disney became a global company and looked at the impact that Disney has on the world today.

### **Year 5:**

Once upon a time the Y5 children of Stanah Primary School entered the magical world of Walt and Roy Disney...

It's been a fantastic week of storytelling, music and wonder as we have started our 2023 Creative Project of all things Disney! We have explored the Geography of Disney and Disney princesses, researched the history of the company and Walt's life from beginnings to ultimate success and we have enjoyed learning the story of Beauty and the Beast, where we have started to consider the lives of the poor servants who were turned into various household items. This will form the basis of our writing, which we are very excited for!

The highlight of the week was definitely watching the Live Action film with our blankets, cushions and snacks! What a way to spend a primary school afternoon...

Here comes three more weeks of Disney enrichment!

### **Year 6:**

What a wonderful first week back we have had in Year 6! We have immersed ourselves in our creative topic of Disney by watching our chosen film of Monsters Inc and put some of our favourite Disney films in chronological order! In English we have looked at a diary entry from Sully, identifying different language features and put together a success criteria for

★ Stanah Superstars ★ 20/10/23

FS	Lucy P	FP	Reuben SS
1S	Rory B	1P	Archie W
2S	Sonni C	2P	Rufus B
3S	Esme CC	3P	Jack T
4S	Isabelle C	4P	Clayton B
5S	Thomas TJ	5P	Callum A
6S	Ruby E	6P	Kai A

Well done! We are very proud of you all and your achievement.

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FS	Freya	FP	Sofia S
1S	Betsy K	1P	Elliott T
2S	Seb PP	2P	Olivia S
3S	Stanley A	3P	Charley RD
4S	Rory M	4P	Leonardo T
5S	JJ D	5P	Amelia P
6S	Miles G	6P	Jennifer P

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