Welcome to...

We hope you have enjoyed the summer break and are fully refreshed for the new school year! We would particularly like to welcome our new Year 3 pupils and their parents to Stocksbridge Junior School and also a few new members of staff:

- Miss Hamilton has joined our Year 5 teaching team
- Mr Janiszewski has moved to join our Year 6 team.
- Mr Tee and Miss Madeley will lead on sport across school and will be covering teachers’ PPA time.
- Miss Smith and Miss Taylor have joined our Inclusion Team, working with Mrs Hetherington.
- Mr Renshaw will continue as our whole school assistant and will also be working in the school office.

Class Arrangements

Teaching in Y3:
- Miss R. Davy
- Miss K. Oxford
- Mrs A. Woods

Teaching in Y4:
- Miss H. Hickman
- Miss C. Heaton
- Mrs S. Shaw

Teaching in Y5:
- Miss C. Sheehan
- Miss K. Hamilton
- Miss H. Killen

Teaching in Y6:
- Mr J. Janiszewski
- Mr D. Wright
- Miss E. Keating
- Miss E. Robinson

Supporting in Y3:
- Mrs Davies & Mrs Corns

Supporting in Y4:
- Ms Edwards, Mrs Sedgwick & Mrs Hirst

Supporting in Y5:
- Mrs Ward & Miss Ayres

Supporting in Y6:
- Miss Sims & Mrs Hoyland-Hibbert

Also...

Madame Griggs continues to support teachers to deliver French lessons across school.

This Week’s Class Attendance

Y3RD – 100%
Y3KO – 96.8%
Y3AW – 96.8%
Y4CH – 98.9%
Y4HH – 100%
Y4SS – 96.6%
Y5CS – 93.3%
Y5KH – 98.3%
Y5HK – 98.8%
Y6JJ – 96.4%
Y6DW – 92%
Y6ER – 95.4%

This week’s whole school attendance = 96.9%

Roald Dahl Dress Up Day

On Friday 11th September, we will be celebrating Roald Dahl’s birthday with a SMART morning and the opportunity for children (and adults!) to dress up as their favourite book character. We are very excited to announce that we will also be holding the launch of our new library on this day – local author, Malcolm Rose, will be here to officially cut the ribbon and open this fantastic addition to our school.

Messages from the Office...

- Parents of any children who need medication in school (including inhalers) need to fill in a new medical form. Please see Mrs Proost in the office ASAP.
- Please could all outstanding dinner money from last half term be paid by Monday 7th September.
- We will be unable to provide children with a school meal if they have more than two week’s dinner money outstanding.
A date for your diaries for all our Year Six children. On the 5th of October, to introduce our topic of ‘A Child’s War’, we will be spending the day at Churnet Valley Heritage Steam Railway. Hopefully all the children can come along in period dress as evacuees as we will be spending the day in role. Further details about this exciting event will be available soon.

LONGEST REIGNING MONARCH CELEBRATION

This month, Queen Elizabeth II is set to become our country’s longest reigning monarch. To mark this occasion, on Friday 25th September, we will be celebrating with lots of exciting activities around school, including an afternoon tea at 2pm. Further details to follow ...

BREAKFAST CLUB / AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

We are now pleased to offer this service beginning on Monday 7th September. We will be providing childcare at either end of the school day. Children have brought home a leaflet detailing the structured activities that are taking place after school on different days. There will also be a wide range of alternative activities, time for a snack and the opportunity to complete homework. The programme of activities is as follows:

- Monday – Animation
- Tuesday – Cooking
- Wednesday – Board games and Art
- Thursday – Crafts
- Friday – Computing

If you would like to book sessions for your child to attend, please see the office for a booking form.

WHITBY RESIDENTIAL

Just to remind Y4 parents whose children are going on our Whitby Residential, the final instalment of £54 is due on Friday 11th September. Please send payment into school with your child’s payment card.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Our photographer will be in school on Friday 18th September to take individual and class photos. As a change from usual, photos of siblings together (both brothers and sisters at SJS and at other schools) will be taken between 8:30 and 9:00am. If parents want photos other than of individual children, your children must be in school at 8:30am.

MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

We will be holding a Macmillan Coffee Morning on Friday 25th September from 8am to 10:30am. You are most welcome to call in for coffee and cake or buy cakes to take away. We would also appreciate any contributions of goodies to sell to be brought to school either on Thursday 24th September or on the morning. We are hoping to raise as much money as possible for this very worthy cause.

EVENTS COMING UP IN THE NEXT TWO WEEKS...

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For events further ahead, please check our school calendar on our website. [www.stocksbridge-jun.sheffield.sch.uk/calendar](http://www.stocksbridge-jun.sheffield.sch.uk/calendar)