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Newsletter 2 – 10th September 2021

Article of the Month 29 Goals of Education

Children have the right to education that tries to develop their personality and abilities as much as possible and encourages them to respect other people's right and values and to respect the environment.

Class News

- Nursery - have enjoyed the topic 'all about me' and drawing self-portraits.
YR - have had an amazing first full week at school learning all of their new routines and getting to know all of their new friends.
Y1 - loved dressing up as Victorians for their WOW day and learning all about Queen Victoria.
Y2 - have really enjoyed sharing their London landmarks knowledge with each other and loved their WOW day.
Y3 - have thoroughly enjoyed their Ancient Antics WOW day, particularly baking Egyptian bread!
Y4 - have had a great first full week back and have been finding out about "democracy"
Y5 - have enjoyed getting stuck into their new theme about Vikings.
Y6 - have made a fantastic start to the new year and are enjoying learning about their new theme.

Dear Parents,

It has been an exciting week of learning, KS1 have had their WOW days to start off their Creative Learning Journey themes and everyone has settled in brilliantly. I am really impressed with the commitment and effort both children and parents have made to reading at home, it really will and does help your child.

Sports Ambassadors

Congratulations to our Sports Ambassadors joining George Crossley and Katrina Ferioli: Emma Lendy, Jessie Green, Jayden Thornton, Finn Swift, Jack Crossley and Isla May.

We look forward to seeing you leading and supporting sport across the school.

Reading Update

Enjoy finding out more about our love of reading here at St Ives and our 'sponsor a book' scheme on the reading update from Mrs Moore English Leader. This was emailed earlier today.

Drop off/ Collection

Thank you for your patience this week whilst we all get used to gates. Please can you walk along the opposite side of the road until you reach the gate your child enters/exits before crossing the road and return to the opposite side of the road once you have dropped off/collected your child. This should avoid congestion on the school side of the road. Thank you for your understanding.

Please remember Sandy Lane is an 'active' road with cars and cyclists therefore please walk on the pavement.

School Led After School Clubs

School led after school clubs will be starting again! Information will be sent out early next week with clubs starting week of 20th September.

Outside agency clubs have already been sent out. Max's football Y4-6 starts Monday 13th and can be booked via bookwhen. www.bookwhen.com/stivesprimary

Internet Safety

This week's guide focusses on the video game 'Rocket League'. It is what's know as a free-to-play title. That is, theoretically, users can download and play the game without ever thinking about it costing any money. However, like many free-to-play offerings, Rocket League contains in-game purchases which can accelerate a player's progress – a particular temptation for eager young gamers. Find out more information in the attached guide.

Secondary School Application

For those children that are due to be starting secondary school in September 2022, you can apply online at www.dorsetforyou.com/school-admissions. Applications are open now with a closing date of 31st October 2021.

If you live in Hampshire please ensure you apply via Hampshire.

www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning/admissions

Breakfast Club/ Afterschool Club

Breakfast club is now available from 7.45am and after school club is available until 6pm. Please ensure you book in for these on <https://bookwhen.com/stivesprimary>.

Dates for the Diary:

September

13th – Year 4/5/6 WOW days (information on Seesaw)

20th – School led clubs start

22nd – Individual School Photos

October

1st – Year 3 trip to Tutankhamun museum

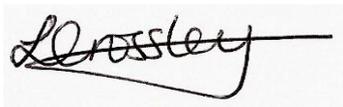
18th & 20th – Parent Consultations

25th – Half term

November

8th – 10th – Year 4/5 – Leeson House Residential

Yours sincerely



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