

Stockton Wood Primary School



'Laying the Foundations for Life'
Newsletter no. 3

OFSTED 2015 '...behaviour and safety of the children is outstanding, characterised by exemplary conduct around the school and attentive listening.

Dear Parents,

Dates for the New School Year- Academic Year 2017 - 2018

Autumn Term 2017

- **Christmas Holidays:** Friday, 22nd December to Friday 5th Jan. 2018

Spring Term 2018

- **Starts:** Monday 8th January
- **Half term holiday:** Monday 12th to Friday 16th February
- **School closed for Staff training day** Friday, 9th March
- **Easter Holidays** Monday, 26th March to Friday, 6th April

Summer Term 2018

- **Starts:** Monday 9th April
- **May Day:** Monday 7th May
- **Half Term holiday:** Thursday, 24th May to Friday 1st June
- **Ends:** Tuesday 24th July

****1 x training day to be confirmed**



'Spotacular!'

Thank you for supporting our 'Let's Ramble' event. It was wonderful to see so many families taking part and following our Maths' Trail. Together, we have raised over £400! And it didn't rain! Hurray!

Autumn Term Parents' Evening, Thursday, 7th December, 4pm - 7p

Please join us on Tuesday, December 7th for our Parents' Evening between 4pm and 7pm. Class teachers will shortly provide appointment times. Please note children should not attend. Please make arrangements with family and friends to care for the children whilst you attend Parents' Evening. Thank you.

Christmas is just around the corner - here are some dates for you.

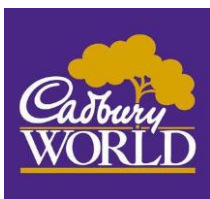
- School Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day 15th December
- Infant Christmas Party 18th December
- Y3/4 Christmas Party 19th December
- Y5/6 Christmas Party 20th December
- Nativity (classes F2, 1R, 2C, 3K, 4F, 5J, 6M)20th December
- Nativity(classes F3, 1C, 2W, 4M, 5M, 6A) 21st December

Attendance!

Help us to be the best and ensure our children come to school every day. Our target is 97%. **Our current attendance is 96%** - so close to our target! Please remember that holidays should not be taken during school term.

Creative Curriculum

The children have been enjoying exploring their Creative Curriculum Topics and many have been out and about experiencing adventurous learning at places of interest including **Liverpool Philharmonic Hall, Cadbury's World Birmingham, the City Centre, the Imperial War Museum and the Lowry Gallery, Salford.**



Lookout for the latest **Topic Information Cards** which will tell you which topics the children are studying in school. Topics ensure children learn the skills related to Geography, History, Art, Design and Technology, Computing, Music and PE. **Please help your child to learn to spell their weekly spellings and their times tables** so they can write fluently and solve mathematical problems accurately.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely,

S.E.Stacey Head teacher