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Friday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2017.

Dear All,

Happy New Year! Happy Three Kings Day!

I do hope you had a lovely Christmas and were able to keep healthy throughout the break. The staff had a successful "Training Day" on Tuesday. The class teams had an opportunity to talk about the pupils in their class and their learning. We spent time discussing how we can motivate each pupil and maximize achievement.

On Wednesday it was lovely to see children back in the school, as it just isn't the same without them. Welcome back everyone!

## **Termly Topics**

The **'Underground'** themed Termly Topics were various in nature and extremely interesting. Some examples of well-presented and well thought-out topics will go on display soon. Watch the board for changes!

The Termly Topic for this term is anything based on the theme of **'Telecommunications'**. The deadline for handing in topics is <u>MONDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2017</u>. This is compulsory for Y4, Y5 and Y6 and optional for all other year groups. Pupils in the younger year groups will need to ask their teacher for a book to complete the work Termly Topic if they don't already have one.

## After School Clubs

Please note places for the clubs this term have been allocated and you should have received a reply slip. Remember if your child had a place last term they do not automatically have a place this term. Please check if you are unsure!

## PARKING – PLEASE KEEP ALL OUR CHILDREN SAFE!

First of all thank you to the vast majority of people who do take the safety of all our children seriously. The governors and I continue to receive mostly verbal complaints about a small minority of road users. Once again may I appeal to everyone to park and drive sensibly outside the school. This is in the interests of all our children; we want them all to be safe.

Please do not park on the zig-zag lines or do three point turns on the road. Please do not park across or use our neighbors' driveways to turn or park in.

May I remind you that the Church allows us to park in the Reading Room carpark, as long as we adhere to the speed limits posted at the entrance. Please remember this is not a playground and children should be well supervised whilst you are using this facility. The Governors continue to monitor the situation 'out there', but I would really appreciate it if you could put your concerns in writing to the governors, if you have concerns about safety on the road outside the school. Kindest regards Kay Bridson

2016 / 2017 STRATFORD-SUB-CASTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL <u>TERMS 3 &amp; 4</u>	
EVENT	DATE
Teacher Development Day 4	Tuesday 03.01.17
CHILDREN BACK TO SCHOOL	WEDNESDAY 04.01.17
Clubs commence	w/c Monday 09.01.17
Primary School Deadline for EYFS September 2017/2018 (www.wiltshire.gov.uk)	Friday 15.01.17
Full Governing Body Meeting	Monday 16.01.17 7.15pm
Life Education Centre bus in school for all	Monday 23.01.17 &
classes	Tuesday 24.01.17
Assessment and Target Setting Week	w/c 30.01.17
Disco EYFS & KS1 6pm till 7pm KS2 7pm till 8pm	To be arranged
No Clubs except Early Birds and Night Owls	w/c 06.02.17
Feedback Week to Learners	w/c 06.02.17
Writing Curriculum Workshop for parents and grandparents.	Wednesday 08.02.17 @ 3.15pm
BREAK FOR HOLIDAY	FRIDAY 10.02.17 @3PM
CHILDREN BACK to SCHOOL	MONDAY 20.02.17
No clubs except Early Birds and Night Owls	w/c Monday 20.02.17
Clubs commence	w/c Monday 27.02.17
Secondary School place offers posted to	Wednesday 01.03.17
parents by Local Authority. National offer date.	
Jumble Sale	Saturday 11.03.17 @ 3pm
Full Governing Body Meeting	Monday 13.03.17 @ 7:15pm
VIP DAY (Visitor Day 1)	Friday 17.03.17
VIP DAY (Visitor Day 2)	Friday 24.03.17
Parents' Evening.	Thursday 30.03.17
	Friday 31.03.17
No clubs except Early Birds and Night Owls	3.30pm - 7pm w/c Monday 03.04.17
Storybox Theatre "Jack and The Beanstalk"	Thursday 06.04.17 (morning)
Easter Service in St. Lawrence Church	Friday 07.04.17 @ 1:30pm
BREAK FOR EASTER.	FRIDAY 07.04.17 @ 3PM