# **Stoke Prior Primary School**



### Friday Newsletter 14th February 2025

Evidence shows that good attendance is a key factor in enabling children to reach their potential. Parents are reminded that they should not book holidays in term time as this has a significant effect on a child's progress.

We have set our target this year at 97% again.

Attendance to date 97.62%.



#### This week at school



Oh the excitement is truly brimming over today, the volume is double what it is normally and we are very glad that the children have been able to be out for break times to run off some of that energy! Valentines disco this evening and non -uniform day - make for very happy children. We have raised £79.00 for Midlands Air Ambulance. We had our recycling drop off on Wednesday, thanks to all that contributed, and to our Eco Warrior children for their work. Three children represented us at the Bedstone Cross Country competition on Thursday, all putting in magnificent performances, all finishing in the top 14. Governors met staff this week for their feedback, and they have also conducted a safeguarding questionnaire with the children. These will be discussed at the next governors meeting and will guide the work of governors and school leaders.

#### Looking ahead

Next week is half term, and we do hope you all enjoy a lovely holiday. We have a football fixture on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> (the team have been notified). Our Little Owls Playgroup launches on Friday 28<sup>th</sup>, see below for details.

#### Little Owls Playgroup

The Little Owls Playgroup is STARTING ON FRIDAY 28TH FEBRUARY. You will find us in Stoke Prior Primary School hall, every Friday morning 9:30-11:30. All 0-4 year olds and their parents are welcome to come and 'stay and play' and explore the activities we have in our wonderful outdoor area and large indoor space. Tea, coffee, cake, healthy snacks and crafts will be provided. £2:50 for parent and child, £1 for every extra child. Anyone who would like to volunteer to help at the playgroup on an informal basis, please let Ms Angell know.

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#### World Book Day

The children should have a token towards a World Book Day book in their bag today. World Book Day is March 6<sup>th</sup>. Due to the activities on in school that day and the fact that we have children doing swim lessons, we will not be dressing up for World Book Day this year. There will of course be fun activities linked to books and reading in school on the day.



#### Earings in school

Earings must be removed for all PE and sports sessions in school. Please ensure that if your child wears earings that they can take them out themselves OR they do not wear them to school on PE and sports after school sessions OR they have a plaster that they can put over their earings for the session.

#### Request for resources

We would like some bricks to go around our fire pit at Forest School.

Star of the week & Shield Winners

#### Stars of the week

14.02.2025 - Trixie, Amelia, George, Jacob Ha, Theo, Tom, Will, Penny
Shield

14.02.2025 - Luckycha

14.02.2025 - Luckysha

Please see the school calendar on the website for all the important dates. You can subscribed to get all dates directly to your calendar.

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Value of the Month - Love



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