



Stratford St. Mary Primary School

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Dear Parents

Dates / Events for the Spring Term

Happy New Year to you all. We hope that you had a very happy Christmas.

Please find detailed below some of dates and events scheduled for the Spring Term.

Tuesday 9th January – Swimming starts for Years 3, 4 & 5.

Thursday 18th January – Rock n Roll Panto at Ipswich Wolsey Theatre. We will leave school at 12.30pm for the 1.30pm performance. The performance finishes at approximately 4.15pm so we expect to be back at school at around 5.00pm.

Friday 19th January - The flu team will be back in the morning to administer the vaccine to the children (who had brought permission slips) who had missed it last time.

Friday 19th January @2.45 pm – Swans shared learning session.

Thursday 25th January @2.45pm – Owls shared learning session.

Monday 29th January – Young Voices @ O2

Friday 2nd February @2.45pm – Woodpeckers shared learning session.

Thursday 8th February @ 9.00- 10.15am – Kingfishers shared learning session.

Monday 12th – Friday 16th February – Half Term Week.

Swimming for Years 3, 4 & 5

School swimming starts on Tuesday 9th January and runs for the majority of the Spring Term. The children will leave school at approximately 1.15pm and travel to Hadleigh Pool by coach accompanied by Mr Bassett and Mrs Bilner. We are usually back to school by 3.15pm. Girls will need a one-piece costume and boys, swimming shorts. All children will require a towel and a swimming hat. Children are allowed to wear goggles, but please could you fit them before sending them into school. Many thanks.
If you have any questions about swimming, please speak to myself or Mr Bassett. Please could you also complete the permission slip below.

Trainee Teacher

In the next few weeks, there will be another adult regularly in school. Miss Holly Awford is a SCITT (School Centred Initial Teacher Training) trainee and she will be working in Kingfishers class alongside Miss Jones.

Educational Welfare Officer (EWO)

We have a new EWO assigned to our school. Mr Peter Korabik visits the school on a regular basis to check registers and attendance. He may also be on the school gate in the mornings from time to time.

If you would like to receive the newsletters / messages by email and haven't already done so you can do this via our website. PARENTS – LETTERS HOME – and add your details to the mailing list. We also put some updates onto our Facebook page.

However, if you have any questions about events or dates happening in school, please speak to myself or one of the teachers.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Karen Bilner
Headteacher

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I give permission for

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to attend school swimming sessions at Hadleigh Pool

Signed