Alexandra Park Primary School

Newsletter



Friday 5th July 2024

Headteacher's Message

We've enjoyed another fantastic week in school. Congratulations to the children in Year 5 who worked hard as a team during the Stockport Academy Maths Competition and came out winners!

Next week welcomes our famous Oscars event. On Wednesday 10th July, we will all be dressing to impress and looking forward to the Year 5 show. We can't wait to see who has won this year's Care, Aspire and Achieve awards. Good luck to everyone!

Equally exciting, this week, the children visited their new classrooms with the opportunity to meet their new class teacher. There will be an additional transition afternoon on Wednesday 17th July. Please find below a summary of next year's class details.

Nursery: Mrs Glendon

Reception: Miss Otley and Miss Cresswell

Year 1: Miss Tighe and Miss Geci-Dempsey

Year 2: Mr Seneviratne and Miss Bull

Year 3: Mrs Curtis and Miss Simpson

Year 4: Mr Comer and Mrs Evans

Year 5: Mr Jowett and Miss Stacey

Year 6: Mr Butt, Mrs Peacock and Mr Williams

Eco Team

Message from Miss Cresswell - Our Eco Warriors braved the rain last Friday and enjoyed their trip to Bruntwood Park. The children observed nature and followed a trail, asking lots of great questions. I would like to thank all Eco Warriors for all their hard work and commitment to improving the school environment, they have been a great team!





Year 5

Some of our Year 5 mathematicians took part in a maths competition at Stockport Academy this week. They worked really well as a team and enjoyed solving some really tricky maths problems together. We are proud to announce that one of our teams won the competition! Well done to all of you.



Year 3

This week, the Y3 children were set a fieldwork challenge as homework. They had to go for a walk in and find as many different land uses as possible. They were looking for an area used for transport, a residential area, a commercial area, a recreational area and an agricultural area. The children sent us many photos and absolutely smashed the challenge! Well done Y3.



Nursery

Over the past few weeks, Nursery haved loved exploring our new topic, 'Splish, Splash, Splosh!', where we are investigating different places with water. We have begun by expanding our knowledge about ponds; we have talked about what we might find at a pond, the life-cycle of a frog and a duck and even made our own frogspawn! We have also been developing our knowledge of letters and print by labelling a picture of a pond.



Year 4

This week, we have been creating road safety signs to serve as an important reminder for drivers to drive and park safely around our school. The children thought about the message they wanted to share with the public and then created bright, eye-catching signs. A massive thank you to Stockport Council for collaborating with us on this project.



Sports Day

Parents and carers are welcome to attend our Sports Day on: Wednesday 24th July OR Thursday 25th July (depending on which year group your child is in - see below).

This year, we will run the event as individual year group sessions. This allows for more participation for each child.

On the day, please send your child to school in their usual PE kits plus weather appropriate clothing (t-shirt, shorts/jogging bottoms, trainers, waterproof coat, sun hat, apply sun cream if necessary). If you are planning to watch, please arrive at Stockport Academy (15 minutes before the start time) via the delivery entrance on Alandale Road. We hope that we will have a glorious day and the children will enjoy taking part. Unfortunately, sports day will not go ahead in the event of bad weather, and parents will be notified via text. After each session, the children will be taken back to school.

	AM (09:30am-11am approx)	PM (1:30pm-3pm)
Weds 24th July	У6	У4
Thurs 25th July	У3	У5



Important dates

Oscars ceremony	Wednesday 10th July 2024
Summer Fair	Friday 12th July 2024
KS2 Sports Day at Stockport Academy (Day one) Y6 morning and Y4 afternoon	Wednesday 24th July 2024
KS2 Sports Day at Stockport Academy (Day one) Y3 morning and Y5 afternoon	Thursday 25th July 2024
Year 6 end of year show (Bugsy Malone) - Two showings: 2pm and 5:30pm.	Thursday 25th July 2024
Year 6 end of year BBQ. 4:30pm until 5:30pm (parents can join us from 5:10pm for the final celebrations together).	Monday 29th July 2024
End of Summer term	Tuesday 30th July 2024