

September 2025

# STANTON BRIDGE NEWSLETTER



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Dear Parent's,

Welcome back to our new academic year!

Pupils have all settled in well and are ready to take on any challenges that this academic year has for them. We have a busy year planned and cannot wait to share with you all the fantastic learning and opportunities that lie ahead.

Thank you to those parents that have attended our expectation meetings this week - it is always a great opportunity to catch up and discuss how we can work together to ensure the best outcomes for your children. We will be running a range of parent workshops, activities and meetings for parents and carers throughout the year, please attend as many of these as you can - they will be designed to ensure that you have all of the up to date information about key topics of importance and to share what we do in school to enable you to continue that support at home. Please look out for texts messages from school so that you don't miss out!

This week our first Family Learning session began, this is a 10-week programme held in school aimed at giving parents the skills to and strategies to support their children at home. The current course is oversubscribed as it was so popular! We will be running the course again, if you are interested please give your name to the front office and they will add you to the waiting list.

We will be holding a parents evening in October where you will be given the chance to meet your child's class teacher and catch-up with how they are settling in, we look forward to seeing you there and celebrating the hard work that your children have been doing so far!

We are offering a Drop in service for our community, offering advice, support, signposting or even just a tea/coffee and a chat! This will be running on a Thursday afternoon from 2pm until 3.15 in the hub next to the school office.

## Reminder

**School shoes:** Trainers or shoes that look like trainers are not part of our school uniform, please ensure that you send your child into school with school shoes.

**Backpacks:** We do not have space in school for pupils to store large backpacks, hence our policy is to have a book bag and draw string back for PE kit. These items can be purchased from school and have been sourced specifically so that they fit our storage spaces.

## School Stars



**Congratulations to our children who gained**

**A Star award for Positive Learning role model**

1F: Haris	1B: Hayder
2N: Adam	2L: Asiya
3B: Aaizah	3G: Bhavtegh
4S: Usman	4W: Savannah
5B: David P	5J: Vladut
6X: Ilinca	6G: Mariam

## Key Dates

Star Awards - Celebrating our children every Friday

Community Hub Drop in - Thursday's from 14:00 until 15:15

Half-term: Monday 27th October - Friday 31st October 2025

## Attendance Race

The results for Autumn 1 Week 1

**1st Place: Mr Brown (5B)**

**2nd Place: Mrs Sheraz (4S)**

**3rd Place: Miss French (1F) & Miss Bray (1B)**

**It is also important not to be late!**

Remember, it's up to each one of you to come to school every day to ensure your class scores the highest number of points possible to win the race!

## Attendance Race

The results for Autumn 1 Week 2

**1st Place: Mr Brown (5B)**

**2nd Place: Mrs Good (6G)**

**3rd Place: Miss Johal (5J)**

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Our Wellbeing section of the newsletter will be filled with useful ideas, tips and links to help support positive mental health and wellbeing for your children and yourselves.

As a school community, we value the wellbeing of all. Staff and pupils have had training to support wellbeing and we know that everyone in school supports each other if they are feeling worried or unhappy. If you have any worries or concerns about the wellbeing of your child, a family member or yourself, please remember you can speak to the school. This includes the class teacher, Miss Cooper (DSL) or Miss French (wellbeing award lead.)

## Action for Happiness

Every month we will be sending out the Action for Happiness Calendar to support and inspire our community to feel the best that they can. Action for Happiness brings people together and provides practical resources. They help each other learn evidence-based skills for happier living, feel a sense of belonging and commit to personal action to create more happiness, for ourselves and others. <https://actionforhappiness.org/>

## Words of affirmation:

We encourage the children to repeat positive affirmations every day. Try them at home with your family:

- I am proud to be a part of this school because everyone cares for each other.
- I am proud of me because I am a caring person.
- I am brave and curious - every challenge is a chance to learn and grow.
- I can do anything I put my mind to and I will achieve my dreams and goals.
- I am a thinker, thinking about my thinking helps my brain grow stronger.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
1 Find time for self-care. It's not selfish, it's essential.	2 Notice the things you do well, however small.	3 Let go of self-criticism and speak to yourself kindly.	4 Plan a fun or relaxing activity and make time for it.	5 Forgive yourself when things go wrong. Everyone makes mistakes.	6 Focus on the basics: eat well, exercise and go to bed on time.	7 Give yourself permission to say 'no'.
8 Be willing to share how you feel and ask for help when needed.	9 Aim to be good enough, rather than perfect.	10 When you find things hard, remember it's ok not to be ok.	11 Make time to do something you really enjoy.	12 Get active outside and give your mind and body a natural boost.	13 Be as kind to yourself as you would be to a loved one.	14 If you're busy, allow yourself to pause and take a break.
15 Find a calming phrase to use when you feel low.	16 Leave positive messages for yourself to see regularly.	17 No plans day. Make time to slow down and be kind to yourself.	18 Ask a trusted friend to tell you what strengths they see in you.	19 Notice what you are feeling, without any judgement.	20 Enjoy photos from a time with happy memories.	21 Don't compare how you feel inside to how others appear outside.
22 Take your time. Make space to just breathe and be still.	23 Let go of other people's expectations of you.	24 Accept yourself and remember that you are worthy of love.	25 Avoid saying 'I should' and make time to do nothing.	26 Find a new way to use one of your strengths or talents.	27 Free up time by cancelling any unnecessary plans.	28 Choose to see your mistakes as steps to help you learn.
29 Write down three things you are proud of about yourself.	30 Remind yourself that you are enough just as you are.	Happier · Kinder · Together				

ACTION FOR HAPPINESS

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STANTON BRIDGE PRIMARY SCHOOL  
Community Hub - Right side of the Main Office

# COMMUNITY DROP IN

Thursdays  
14:00 - 15:15

No appointment needed, just drop in for as little or as long as you like!

We really would like you to come and find out more about what we can offer as a school!



Speak to Miss Brandy for more information

## WHY SHOULD YOU COME?

1. GET TO KNOW OUR EARLY HELP TEAM
2. GET ADVICE AND GUIDANCE
3. SHARE ANY WORRIES OR CHALLENGES
4. SIGNPOSTING TO LOCAL SERVICES

## TOPICS WE CAN HELP WITH

1. ROUTINES AND BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT
2. SCHOOL ATTENDANCE
3. FAMILY WELLBEING AND MENTAL HEALTH
4. HOUSING, FINANCE, BENEFITS

## General

**Study bugs** - Please ensure you are reporting your child's absences daily using the study bugs app. To download the app you can find this on the school website and click on the link and follow the instructions.

**Contact Information** - It is your responsibility as a parent to ensure the school office are notified of any change in contact details, such as address, telephone number or email address. This is to enable us to get in touch with you in an emergency but also to ensure you are receiving communication from school through all these platforms.

**Dinner money**— **Reminder dinner money is £2.50**  
**This needs to be paid daily or weekly. If you have an outstanding balance, your child must bring in a packed lunch until this balance has been cleared.**

**Free School Meals** - If you receive a letter from the council stating your child is eligible for free school meals you must bring this into the office to allow us to update our system.

**Lateness**—School starts at 8:30am and your child must be present on the school playground ready to be taken to class by their teacher. Please also ensure that you are collecting your child on time at the end of the school day. Any late drop off/collections will result in a fine.

**Attendance**— It is your legal responsibility to ensure that your child attends school everyday. If for any reason your child can not attend school, you must inform the school office.

**Uniform** - Please ensure that your child is wearing the correct uniform. This can be purchased from the school office on a Thursday, order forms will need to be completed beforehand.

## Parent Code of Conduct

- \* Be polite to others no raised voices, screaming or shouting.
- \* Contribute to a positive school environment
- \* Act as positive role models.
- \* Work together with staff to resolve issues or concerns.

Can all parents ensure you adhere to the above code of conduct whilst on school premises, if other family members or friends are attending on your behalf please ensure they are also made aware. Failure to adhere to the above is likely to result in a ban from school premises.

All communication from parents should be respectful and socially acceptable.

Due to health and safety protocols please do ensure that your child is not playing on the school's equipment when collecting them. Thank you.  
A polite reminder to all parents that appropriate attire must be worn when dropping and collecting your child to school. Dressing gowns and nightwear are not appropriate. On the first incident you will be spoken with and repeated inappropriate dress code will result in a ban.  
It is an expectation that as a parent of a pupil of Stanton Bridge, you will fully engage with the schools policies and procedures in supporting your child's education.

Remember you can contact us via the schools email:  
admin@stantonbridge.coventry.sch.uk