

Headteacher

AUTUMN TERM (2)

MONDAY 28TH OCTOBER 2024

Message from the Headteacher Dear Parents and Carers, We hope you have all had a fantastic half term and we look forward to the term ahead, were we have lots of exciting activities planned for the pupils. Just a reminder that Thursday is Halloween. The children are allowed to attend school in a costume but this is to be age appropriate and must not include a mask. Face paint is allowed. If masks come in, they will need to be confiscated. If there are inappropriate costumes, the children will be instructed to change into a PE kit. Many thanks for your support! On Wednesday, the pupils from Hazel class will be on a school trip to Lancaster Castle. If you have not yet returned the permission slip, please send it into school ASAP. Have a fantastic week! Kind Regards Mr M Hooper

Values at Stepping Stones

The Values of the week are Trust and Respect

This first week back, our focused values will be trust and respect – two of our core school values - and we will be teaching the children and showing the children what these mean, daily. We will begin the week as usual with our Values meeting and as a school, we will be talking about how we can build up trust and respect with one another over time, but how unfortunately, one quick, thoughtless, unkind word can quickly take away trust and respect for someone else. As a school we will be focusing on "thinking before we speak".



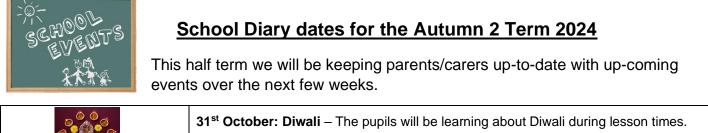
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Our home nominations have gone a bit quiet again.... Remember we love to hear about how the children are showing and sharing our school values at home! Simply message the class teacher via Class Dojo for a home nomination which will be read out and celebrated at daily meeting.



Week Commencing 14/10/2024 - 18/10/2024 = Our attendance 93%. This was a big increase from the previous week. Keep up the hard work!





		31st October: Diwali – The pupils will be learning about Diwali during lesson times.
		8 th November Winmarleigh Day Camp 2
	REMEMBRANCE DAY	11 th November: Remembrance – We will reflect on his during assembly/class time.
	CHOOSE World	11 th – 15 th November Anti-Bullying Week and
	RESPECT AT BANTEBULINISOVER	13 th November World Kindness Day
	Children in Need	15 th November: Children in Need Day
		Wednesday 11 th December – our Christmas Open afternoon - more information nearer the time
	CHRISTHAS JUNPER Day Christings Day Christings	12 th December Christmas Jumper Day and School Christmas Lunch Day
	Chainings I	Christmas Holiday – the Christmas break begins after school ends on Thursday 19 th December, returning to school on Monday 6 th January 2025
	Thank you for your continued support and for mirroring our ethos and values at home.	
	Please remember that we	are here to support you and you can contact Mrs Armstrong (Family Support – Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday).
	Mr H	ooper and the whole staff team at Stepping Stones School