



SUMMER TERM (1)

Monday 28TH April 2025

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Message from the Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers,

Last week we focused on the values of Trust and Respect throughout the week. We had some lovely, thoughtful nominations from pupils. Remember we love to hear about how the children are showing and sharing our school values at home!

Recently we have had a number of pupils out of school because of unauthorised holidays. Taking a holiday during term time can negatively impact a child's education and overall development. It can also have a lasting impact on learning. Please be aware of this and try and limit holiday to outside of term time only.

Finally, just a reminder that our next Winmarleigh Day Camp will take place on 16th May. Letters will go out nearer to the visit informing parents if their child is attending.

Have a fantastic week!

Kind Regards

Mr M Hooper
Headteacher



Values at Stepping Stones The value of the week is Caring

We will begin the week as usual with our values meeting and as a school, we will be discussing Caring and what this can both look and feel like to each of us.

We will be discussing with the children how caring is about showing concern for others; to take time out to look after others in need; and helping the children to understand what empathy is.... putting ourselves in other people's shoes.

Home nominations were quiet last week - remember we love to hear about how the children are showing and sharing our school values at home! Listen out for examples where your child has shown care and kindness to others this week at home and in the community. Simply message the class teacher via Class Dojo for a home nomination which will be read out and celebrated at daily meeting.



Can-do Colin

Finally, Can-do Colin has been out and about this weekend again – we can't wait to hear about all of his adventures – please do remember to send in some photos of his exploits with your child into Class Dojo. Thank you - we really do value your input from home. 😊



This week's Headteacher awards are as follows:

Adam
Ethan

House Captain Certificates



Each week our House Captains and Vice-Captains nominate someone from their houses for the House Captain/Vice-Captain award.

This week's awards are as follows:

Xavier
Bradley
Molly



16th May Winmarleigh Day Camp.



Week Commencing 21/04/2025 – 25/04/2025 = Our attendance 89%.
Please continue to promote the importance of good attendance with your children.

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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 Hooper and the whole staff team at Stepping Stones School