



# SUMMER TERM (1)

Monday 19<sup>TH</sup> May 2025

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## Message from the Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers,

Last week we focused on the value of Thoughtfulness throughout the week. The pupils continued to make some fantastic nominations within their class teams. Remember we love to hear about how the children are demonstrating the school values at home.

Well done to all the year 6 pupils who completed their SATs test last week. Pupils tried their best and worked well throughout the week.

The pupils who attended our Winmarleigh Day Camp on Friday had a fabulous day of outdoor activities. The pupils represented the school well and demonstrated some good teamwork.

Finally, just a reminder that the school finishes for half term on Friday for one week. Pupils will return on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June.

Have a fantastic week!

Kind Regards

Mr M Hooper  
Headteacher



## Values at Stepping Stones

### The value of the week is Kindness and Tolerance

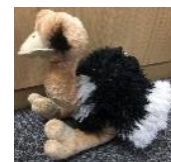


One of the most important things we can do to raise a tolerant child is talk about what tolerance is, and model it ourselves. 'Tolerance is most needed when we don't agree with someone, or when they are different from us. It's about learning to discuss things and argue with people without getting angry or upset.' Explains Rhian Seller, co-founder of the Learn2Think Foundation, which organises the UN International Day for Tolerance in primary schools. We will begin the week as usual with our Values assembly and as a school we will be discussing what we think we should tolerate and whether there are things we never have to tolerate.

We really want to celebrate home nominations on our Values' Board in school each week. 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:

Mckenzie

Oren

DJ



This Friday, we will be having a non-uniform day. The pupils can come in to school in their own clothes, in exchange for a chocolate gift for the Summer Fair. The Summer Fair will take place next half term and we will share further detail in relation to this in the new half term.



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Week Commencing 12/05/2025 – 16/05/2025 = Our attendance 93%.

Well done everyone!

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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