

New Year 1 and Year 2
Starters...
Welcome to South
Stanley Infant & Nursery
School



Staffing

- ▶ Mrs Louise Thompson - Headteacher
- ▶ Mrs Jeanette Collier - Deputy Headteacher
- ▶ Mrs Kath Dargan - SENCO
- ▶ Mrs Helen Warren - Office Manager
- ▶ Mr Trevor Howard - Attendance/ Welfare Officer

- ▶ Mrs Bethany Bosworth - Class 3 Teacher
- ▶ Mrs Jeanette Collier - Class 4 Teacher
- ▶ Mrs Helen Shiels - Class 5 Teacher
- ▶ Miss Eileen Connolly - Teaching Assistant
- ▶ Mrs Carol Jackson - Teaching Assistant
- ▶ Miss Danielle Dinsdale- Teaching Assistant
- ▶ Mr Marc Patey - Sports and Forest Schools Provision
- ▶ Mrs Kathryn Stobbs - HLTA



Year 1 and Year 2 - what's it all about?

The National Curriculum 2014 is the guiding document for the statutory content of teaching in Year 1 and Year 2.

- English
- Mathematics
- Science
- Computing
- Design and Technology
- History
- Geography
- Art
- PE
- RE
- PHSCE/SMSCD

What we promise to do.

- ▶ Treat your little one as if they were our own.
- ▶ Let you know if your child has been upset, had an accident or just seems ‘out of sorts’.
- ▶ Keep you up to date with your child’s progress.
- ▶ Keep you informed of events happening in your class and across school.
- ▶ Be available, as much as possible, to address concerns and queries that you might have.



What we would like from you.

- ▶ Ensure you keep us informed about anyone different who may be picking your child up.
- ▶ Ensure that you keep us informed if your child has been upset or there are any changes in your child's life.
- ▶ Let us know if your child is going to be absent for any reason.
- ▶ Ensure that your child wears school uniform.
- ▶ Talk to us first if you have any concerns or worries.
- ▶ Ensure that your child attends for every session possible.



Attendance

- ▶ To support us to make our school a safe place during COVID-19, you have already been allocated a ten minute dropping off and collection time. It is essential that you comply with those timings. Gates close promptly at 9am and your child will be marked late after 9am.
- ▶ Good attendance is crucial for many reasons as it...
 - ❑ Ensures that your child makes better progress socially.
 - ❑ Ensures that your child feels more settled and is more likely to want to come to school.
 - ❑ Ensures that your child makes better progress academically.
 - ❑ Builds good habits for later in their school life.
- ▶ Mr Trevor Howard is our attendance and welfare officer. He can be contacted on 07849738768
- ▶ Our expectations of attendance and procedures are outlined in the attendance booklet on our website and we want to support you and your child to ensure that good attendance is maintained.
- ▶ Please speak to Mr Howard or Mrs Thompson should you have any queries or questions.



School Uniform

Wearing school uniform has many benefits for children. Amongst other things it fosters a sense of belonging and also a sense of pride in their school.

Pupils are required to wear uniform from Nursery upwards. Our uniform consists of:

- ▶ blue sweatshirt or cardigan featuring our school logo (or plain blue without the logo)
- ▶ white or blue polo shirt/blouse/shirt
- ▶ dark grey or black trousers - No stripes or logos. (Jeans, jogging bottoms or leggings are not permitted in main school)
- ▶ Grey/black skirt or pinafore
- ▶ Any sensible flat sturdy shoes or trainers which are completely black. (No logos)

School jumpers can be purchased by logging onto WWW.TOTSTOTEAMS.COM whilst plain blue jumpers, trousers and polo shirts can be bought locally. Please contact us in school should you have any queries.

Your child will be provided with a bagged PE kit (shorts and t-shirt), parents are asked to provide plimsolls. PE kits will be sent home at the end of each half term to be washed and returned after the holiday.



The other bits...

- ▶ Class 3 are dropped off and picked up via Class 3 door using our one-way system.
- ▶ Class 4 are dropped off and picked up via Class 4 door using our one-way system.
- ▶ Class 5 are dropped off and picked up via Class 5 door using our one-way system.

(Please see our school website for photographs and videos)

- ▶ If you are interested in accessing our breakfast club or after school provision, please see Mrs Warren or Mrs Thompson.
- ▶ **We are looking forward to seeing you all at your allocated time on Wednesday 2nd September 2020.**

Questions?

- ▶ Please contact school if you have any questions.
- ▶ Telephone number: 01207 232445
- ▶ Email address: southstanleyinfant@durhamlearning.net

