



Tilery Times

Dear mums, dads, carers,

Welcome Back

Welcome to our first addition of the Tilery Times for this academic year. It has been wonderful to see our children happily return to school with smiles on their faces. All of our children and staff have returned safely after a lovely summer holiday. Children were very happy to see their friends and teachers.

Gates

Just a reminder that from Monday 10th October, our gates will only open during set times. These will be:

Gate 5 (KS2 Entrance): 7:30am - 8:15am, then 8:30am - 8:55am, and 2:35pm - 2:55pm

Gate 8 and 9 (Nursery Entrance): 8:30am - 8:55am, and 2:35pm - 2:55pm

Gate 10 (KS1 and Reception Entrance): 8:30am - 8:55am, and 2:35pm - 2:55pm

Gate 1 (KS1 Entrance): 8:30am - 8:55am, and 2:35pm - 2:55pm

Gates 3 and 2 (Main Entrance): These will remain open as usual

Tilery Uniform SWAP-SHOP

At Tilery we want to support our parents in as many ways as possible. Providing a swap-shop to help with new uniform is a way to reduce costs for our parents and help the environment. If you have any uniform which your child has outgrown, but has still got lots of wear left in it, please bring it into school. On the third Tuesday of each month, we will hold a swap shop in the main hall. You can come along and pick up uniform for your child. New uniform will cost £1 per item. Anything second hand is free but a small donation would be welcomed.

Just a reminder that school uniform does not have to have the school logo and can be purchased in supermarkets. If you need support, please speak to Mrs Stanyard, Mrs Pratt or any of our office staff.

PE Kits

Unlike many other schools, Tilery provides every child with FREE PE shorts, a FREE PE T-shirt and we are looking into providing FREE PE Jogging bottoms. Parents need only supply black plimsolls or trainers for PE. Children can wear stud earrings to school, but these MUST be removed by parents on PE and sport club days, rather than be taped. These will be washed regularly and not left until the end of term. If you have any worries regarding the new school uniform, please feel free to talk to any member of our team or Mrs Stanyard.

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Staffing -arrivals and departures

We welcome Mrs Ireton who now works in our Y1/2 class and Miss Fairbridge, who joins our Nursery class. We wish them every success at Tilery. We will be sorry to see Mrs Robinson (Year 1) leave us during October, as she leaves to start new careers within the Local Authority.

Parent Consultations

Appointment letters for our parent consultations have already be issued via email and Facebook. These will take place during the afternoon and early evenings of Tuesday 11th October and Wednesday 12th October. We look forward to welcoming you into school and showing you some of the fantastic work which your children are involved in.

Attendance

The government have issued a new initiative to ensure children attend school every day. At Tilery, if children achieve 100% attendance with no lates for a full term, they will enjoy a lovely treat. If they achieve 100% attendance for the whole year, they will receive a wonderful treat. Please continue to make sure that holidays are NOT taken during term time. Headteachers cannot authorise school holidays during term time and Stockton Council will issue a fine for this absence. Children should only be kept off school if a doctor says so. They need to still come to school if they just have a tummy ache or headache. Stockton Council will fine parents or take them to court for non-attendance.

Residential

Our Year 6 children had a fabulous time at Carlton at the start of September. Activities involved gully walking, den building and even a spot of Bingo! The children were a credit to the school and behaved brilliantly. Huge thanks to Mrs Metcalfe, Mrs Moy, Mrs Fender, and Mrs Pratt for enabling this year's residential to go ahead.

Our Sports Crew had their training day at the Durham University and we look forward to them starting in this role soon.

Harvest festival was a HUGE success. Thank you so much for all of your donations. These have all gone to local foodbanks and will support people in our local area.

Dates for your Diary

<i>Tuesday 11th and Wednesday 12th October</i>	Parent & Carer Consultations 1:00pm - 4:00pm
<i>Friday 21st October</i>	Break up for half term holiday
<i>Monday 31st October PD Day</i>	School will be CLOSED for staff training
<i>Tuesday 1st November</i>	Return to school
<i>Monday 14th November</i>	Odd Socks Day for Anti-Bullying Week
<i>Wednesday 16th November</i>	School will be CLOSED for staff training
<i>Friday 18th November</i>	Non-Uniform Day for Children in Need
<i>Wednesday 7th December</i>	KS1 Christmas Party
<i>Thursday 8th December</i>	UKS2 Christmas Party
<i>Friday 9th December</i>	Nursery Christmas Songs Reception Christmas Songs KS1 Nativity Performance
<i>Tuesday 13th December</i>	LKS2 Christmas Party
<i>Wednesday 14th December</i>	Reception Christmas Party
<i>Thursday 15th December</i>	Christingle Service School Christmas Dinner

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Friday 16th

Christmas Jumper Day
LKS2 Christmas Goes Pop Performance
UKS2 Christmas Goes Pop Performance
Break up for Christmas holiday

Tuesday 20th December

School Information

We endeavour to keep parents up to date with school life. Information can be found on our school website, www.tileryprimary.org.uk and updates are regularly posted on Facebook. Please 'like' our page for updates. We have a no name policy on our social media for safeguarding reasons, so please don't include any child's name in your comments. Parental support of your child's education is crucial to their progress. Please tell us if there are any adjustments we need to make, for example: wheelchair access; explaining issues over the phone or the involvement of an interpreter. As you know, staff work incredibly hard at Tilery to ensure children are happy and very well educated. If you have any compliments or complaints, I am always happy to listen, act and explain.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Stanyard
Head Teacher

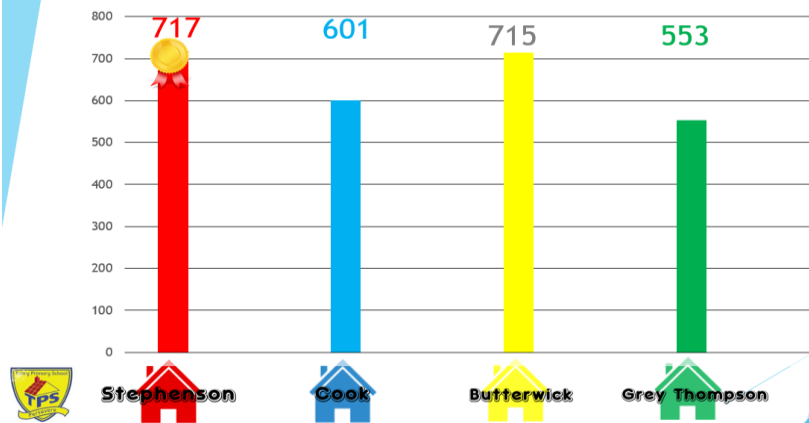
Attendance

Date: September 2022

Class	% Attend	Position
FS2 Miss Gent	94.8	1
YR3/4 Mr Large	94.8	2
FS2 Mrs Beamson	94.4	3
YR2 Miss Hunt	93.2	4
YR4/5 Mrs Rodgers	93.2	5
YR3 Mrs Turner	92.7	6
Y1R Mrs Chapman	90.8	7
YR6 Miss Metcalfe	88.7	8
YR5 Mrs Pickering	87.9	9
Y1/2 Mrs Fearn/Mrs Ireton	87.4	10
Totals	91.5	

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Weekly House Points



FS1 2 Year old - Lucas for always being happy and joining in with all activities.

FS1 3/4 Year old - Ava for working in all the areas and enjoying herself.

FS2 CG - Quidiri for being kind and helpful

FS2 CB/CR - William for being fantastic in phonics

Year 1 - Ellias for fantastic writing, always trying his best and always being so polite!

Year 1/2 - Elsie for making fabulous progress with her reading and handwriting!

Year 2 - Lilly for producing a great piece of writing about animal families.

Year 3 - Amna for an amazing first week in our school and working incredibly hard.

Year 3/4 - Lola for being an all-round little gem.

Year 4/5 - Jarrett for an unbelievable effort in our daily Beasties.

Year 5 - Sophia for working hard this week especially with her writing.

Year 6 - Amelia for being extremely helpful and always trying her best.

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