

STILLINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL BULLETIN



Good morning everyone,

This week, we are incredibly proud of our Key Stage 2 pupils who have worked so hard and approached their SATs with confidence, resilience and a fantastic attitude. From early mornings breakfast club to focusing in their classroom lessons, their determination and effort have truly shone through – well done to all our Year 6s!



A big thank you as well to our dedicated staff and supportive families who have helped prepare the children every step of the way!

Looking ahead, our Key Stage 1 pupils (Year 2) will begin their SATs next week. Although no longer statutory, these assessments are recommended to be completed by the government to support in the measurement of pupil achievement and to help identify where our pupils need additional support and/or challenge as they transition into key stage 2. The assessments are carried out in a relaxed and supportive environment.

Sharing Assembly

On Friday 23rd May at 3:10pm, we will be holding our half termly sharing assembly for parents and the local community to attend. If your child is receiving a certificate at the assembly, a note will be in your child's planner. We look forward to seeing you all there!

Drama Club

Unfortunately, due to a low uptake, we will not be running a drama club in Summer 2. Thank you to everyone who expressed an interest. We will continue to review clubs in line with pupil interest.

Summer 2 Clubs

Please find below our extra-curricular clubs for clubs and wrap-around led club choices for Summer 2 beginning the week commencing the 2nd June. To book a place, please use parent pay to book your child into club and wrap around care.

Stillington	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Club	Science led wrap around	Creative time led wrap around	Gardening/ nature led wrap around	Construction	Fun led wrap around
Leading	Miss Cole	Miss Cole	Miss Cole	Miss Cole	Miss Cole
Time	Until required – 5pm	Until required – 5pm	Until required – 5pm	Until required – 5pm	Until required – 5pm
Age	R-Y6	R-Y6	R-Y6	R-Y6	R-Y6
Cost per club session	Wrap around care price	Wrap around care price	Wrap around care price	Wrap around care price	Wrap around care price
Maximum capacity:	10	10	10	10	10

Have a wonderful weekend everyone!
 Thanks,
 Miss India Tordoff
 Head of School



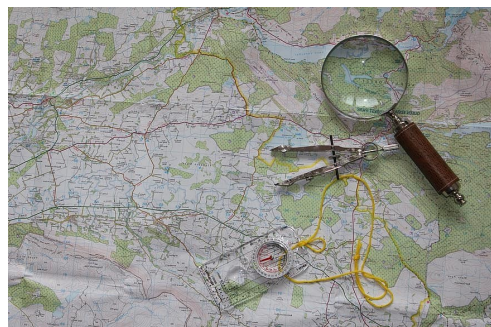
Wow Work

Miss Katie Allwood

Wow Work - KS1 = EYFS / YEAR 1 & 2

Our KS1 children had an exciting sports trip, where they took part in a variety of fun and active sessions including football, multi-skills games, and even orienteering!
The children worked brilliantly in teams, showed great perseverance, and most importantly had lots of fun being active outdoors.

Back in school, our EYFS children have been exploring their creative side through our digital art topic. The children have been experimenting using digital art and have enjoyed using the smart board to help them.



Mrs Catherine Hunter

Wow Work KS2 / YEAR 3 TO 6

We've had a very busy week in KS2. Our fabulous Y6 children have now completed their SATs, and we have enjoyed our SATs parties. Our afternoon subjects have continued as normal. In Science, our Y5/6 children have enjoyed looking at the reproductive cycle of birds and plants, and our Y3/4 children have been learning about different classification systems. In History, we have been continuing our learning about Vikings.
Next week, we begin the count-down to half term when we'll be able to breathe :-)



Next half term we are going to be getting creative with textiles and we have a wish list!

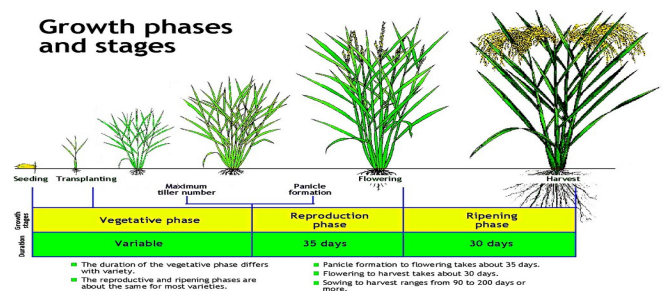
We are looking for the following items, if you have any spare at home:

Press studs or poppers

Buttons

Ribbons, lace, and trim

Fabric - old t-shirts, pillowcases etc.



Wow Work



Year 6- Bikeability at Stillington

On Monday 2nd and Tuesday 3rd June we will be offering a 2 day Bikeability course to all year 6 pupils. This will be taking place at **Stillington school** where the children will be learning bike maintenance and bike safety.

To take part:

Your child needs to be able to ride a bike confidently.

Your child needs to have a bike and helmet.

You will need to be able to drop off and pick up your child with their bike and helmet on both days.

It may be possible to leave bikes and helmets in school overnight, however, please be aware that this is at your own risk.

To cover the cost of the course the charge is £18 per child which will be added to ParentPay. Children who receive free school meals or pupil premium will not need to pay for the course.'

On both course days please **come to school wearing PE kit** and bring your child's bike and helmet into school.

During these 2 days, your child can have a school dinner as normal, or they can bring a packed lunch from home.



For more information, see the attached letter and click the link or scan the QR code to give consent and book your child's place.

<https://consent.bikeability.org.uk/piece-roger-lying>

RSE workshop

In the Summer term, KS1 and KS2 pupils will be learning about how their body grows and changes as part of PSHE.

Year 5/6's will specifically be learning about sex education including how babies are made. Please note, this is the only part of the PSHE curriculum that pupils can be withdrawn from in Y5/6. Due to the nature of topics discussed throughout this term, we would like to invite parents to a workshop to discuss materials shared with children across the key stages. The workshop will take place on Thursday 5th June at 4pm on teams which you are welcome to join.

Microsoft Teams [Need help?](#)

[Join the meeting now](#)

Meeting ID: 337 047 000 100 1

Passcode: u3nD2qn6

“Bikeability” National Standard Cycling Courses



Dear Parent / Guardian,

The Bikeability National Standard Cycling course will be running in your school in the next few weeks. We hope that you will encourage your child to take part and help them to practise their basic cycling skills before the course starts.

Bikeability is a practical cycling course consisting of;

Bikeability Level 1 - training and fun challenges in the playground

In Level 1 riders will be trained and assessed in the following areas;

Equipment, helmet and bike check, cycling control skills including starting/stopping, manoeuvring at different speeds, avoiding obstacles, looking behind, signalling left and right without wobbling and correct use of gears.

If a rider successfully meets all Level 1 standards they can progress to Bikeability Level 2.

Bikeability Level 2 – training on local roads

Level 2 is more advanced. Riders will be trained and assessed in the following areas;

Starting and stopping an on-road journey, safe U-turns, passing parked cars/overtaking, passing junctions,

road and traffic awareness, road positioning, priorities, left and right turns from major and minor roads, decision making, road signs and markings and a highway code test.

For your child to take part they must have :

A ROAD WORTHY BIKE of the correct size for the rider. Mountain bikes and hybrids are great for the course.

BMX and other types of bikes/trikes are fine too as long as they are road worthy and your child can ride with control.

Your child will not be allowed to take part if their bike is considered unsafe.

The bike must have 2 efficient working brakes and a seat. Please remove stunt pegs.

You can arrange to borrow a bike in advance of the course from friends or neighbours.

For further information see the Bikeability website or local bike shop for advice on bike repairs.

A CYCLE HELMET. Helmets should be undamaged and well fitting, with correctly adjusted straps.

Helmets should meet manufacturing standards:-EN 1078 or SNELL B 95 or equivalent (Check labels inside).

Damaged helmets, full face motorbike style helmets or helmets used for other sporting activities are not acceptable for use on the course.

THE ABILITY TO RIDE A BIKE AND A REASONABLE LEVEL OF FITNESS.

Riders need to be able to cycle and balance properly to take part.

If your child is unsteady on their bike, it would be very helpful to them (and us) if you would give them some opportunities to practice their basic cycling/balance skills before the course starts.

This is a practical cycling course and your child may find it physically challenging if they are not used to cycling or have any medical conditions which may be affected by physical exercise.

OUTDOOR CLOTHING SUITABLE FOR CYCLING, depending on the weather and the time of year.

Comfortable, layered clothing, sensible footwear, coat, waterproofs, sun cream, water, medications, drinks bottle. **Gloves** are highly recommended. A tight fitting beanie style hat or baseball cap with a peak may be worn underneath cycle helmets. An extra change of clothing should be brought to school in case we get wet.

Please scan the Bikeability QR code provided by your school and complete the online consent for your child. Your school will provide you with course dates and availability.

Further course information and Bike/helmet checks can be found on the Bikeability website.

www.Bikeability.org.uk

Yours faithfully

Ashley King, North Yorkshire Road Safety Team

STILLINGTON PRIMARY DIARY DATES



EVENTS	DATE	DETAILS
EYFS Beetle Bank Farm Trip	Tuesday 20th May 2025	Nursery and Reception children only. Please make sure your child brings a water bottle for this trip. A packed lunch is required for this trip. Outdoor clothing required, wellies, waterproofs. More information on ParentPay.
KS2—Jorvik Viking Centre	Thursday 22nd May 2025	KS2 pupils only. A packed lunch is required for this trip. The bus will leave at 9am promptly and the children will return at 1.30pm. A voluntary contribution of £16.34 towards this trip can be paid via your ParentPay account
Summer Half—Term	Friday 23rd May 2025 (Last Day) Monday 2nd June 2025 (First Day Back)	
Year 6 only—Bikeability day	Monday 2nd June 2025 and Tuesday 3rd June 2025	Stillington School 2 day course for year 6 pupils only. To learn about bike maintenance and bike safety. Bike and helmet are required, may be able to leave them at school overnight at your own risk. Children to come along in their PE Kits. The course is £18 per child. Free school meal and Pupil Premium children do not need to pay for this course. More information on ParentPay
Sports day	Tuesday 24th June 2025	Parents are invited to come along in the afternoon from 1pm. More information will follow nearer the time.
KS2 York Minster trip	Thursday 26th June 2025	Packed lunches are required for this trip. Packed lunches can be ordered from the office, and children have a choice of ham, cheese or tuna. The cost for this trip will be £11.70 and will be added to ParentPay.
KS1 Malton Sports Centre	Wednesday 16th July 2025	KS1 children will have their lunch then travel by bus to the Malton Sports Centre. The bus will leave at 12.20pm and the children will return before the end of the school day. All children will need their PE kits with them. More information on ParentPay.
Summer	Friday 18th July 2025 (Last Day)	