

**CLASSROOM DOORS OPEN AT 8:50 AND CLOSE AT 9. PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU ARE ON TIME FOR SCHOOL. WE START LEARNING IMMEDIATELY; IT IS IMPORTANT THAT THE CHILDREN ARE HERE FOR THE START OF THE DAY.**

**Attendance WOW!**  
Well done to who has Lucy B 2LMc won a £5 voucher for Amazon today for 100% attendance this week. Who will it be next week? You've got to be in it to win it!



What a busy week we've had at William Stockton! We're absolutely thrilled to announce the return of the book fair next week—an exciting opportunity for our students to explore new reads. We also welcomed the Director of Education from our multi-academy trust, who validated our hard work and was truly impressed by our wonderful pupils, their impressive work, and our dedicated staff. A massive thank you to all the parents who joined us for Stay in Read! Mark your calendars for Friday, 25th October, as we invite you back for Stay and Handwriting where we'll share our new handwriting scheme.

### Learning Focus

As we dive into our exciting Maths journey from Nursery to Year 6, it's important to remember that Maths is all about patterns and the relationships between numbers. It's not just something we do in the classroom; it surrounds us in everyday life, from counting items in the shop to exploring shapes in art and architecture.

In Nursery, children might do two jumps for the number 2 or pop three bananas into their trolley. By Reception, they'll match numbers to their values from 0 to 10. Year 1 introduces counting in 1s, 5s, and 10s, while Year 2 focuses on confident adding and subtracting up to 10, alongside number bonds to 100.

As they progress, Year 3 will master their 3, 4, and 8 times tables, and by Year 4, all times tables will be firmly in their grasp. Year 5 and Year 6 build on this knowledge, allowing children to tackle more complex calculations. Let's keep encouraging our little mathematicians; the world of numbers is truly wonderful!

If you see our children in the community, doing something amazing, let us know. We would love to celebrate this with the children in school, by telling our admin team either by email or in person.

Please make sure the office as an up-to-date email and phone number for you. Many of our letters are now going to email. You'll miss out if you haven't kept your information up-to-date

★ SMART AWARDS ★	
Number Smart	Juraj O 4R
Self Smart	Riyansh K 2LMc
People Smart	Thea M 1H
Art Smart	Amir BAH 3/4M
Body Smart	Jake B Nursery
Music Smart	Lettie HM 5/6C
Word Smart	Amber G 6F
Smart Learner	Lily-Ann M 5M

Class	Percentage
RG	96%
2D	98%
3/4M	96%
5/6C	96%

**ATTENDANCE WINNERS**

Thank you to our parents and carers who joined us for Stay and Read today.

### Dates and Notices

- Tuesday 7th - Friday 11th October - Book Fair
- Thursday 10th October - Y5/6 group orienteering
- Friday 11th October - 5/6C Class Assembly
- Tuesday 15th October - Y3/4 trip to Liverpool
- Thursday 24th October - KS1 Harvest assembly
- Monday 11th November - Flu immunisations
- Friday 15th November - 5M Class Assembly



