

Good Morning! Welcome to Year 4 Curriculum Meeting



Year 4 Team

Rashford Class: Mrs Flint-Virtue and Mr Fox

Bowie Class: Miss Yaqub

Mercury Class: Miss Tappenden

Teaching assistants: Mrs Babatunde, Ms Wise, Miss Allen

Specialist Teachers

- Mr Williams PE
- Mrs Howe Art / DT
- Mrs Edmunds Music

School Vision

Every day at Stewart Fleming is an extraordinary school day. Our unwavering commitment in delivering an inspiring and inclusive curriculum develops independent learners. We endeavour to nurture inquisitive minds to enable them to become the best that they can be.



Soft Start Morning 8:45 – 9:00

At Stewart Fleming we believe that in order to expect positive and respectful communication, we need to model and provide opportunities for it within our school day. Therefore, we encourage all children to come to for at 8:45 am start.

Once the children enter their classroom there will be music playing, books to read, partner games to play and optional curriculum or PSHE tasks to do.

The tasks cover aspects of our SMSC (spiritual, moral, social and cultural development) calendar such as Road Safety Week, Anti-Bullying Week and Children in Need.

Teachers and support staff in the room play a crucial role. They engage with children, support children's excitement of learning for the day and tutor. This morning routine is fundamental to driving Stewart Flemings ethos as it develops independence, positive communication and well-being of every child.



Timetable

8:45 – 9:00 Soft Start Morning

9:00 - 9:30

9:30 - 10:30

10:30 - 10:45

10:45 - 11:00 Break time

11:00 - 12:00 Maths

12:00 – 1:05 Lunch

1:05 - 2:00

2:00- 2:15 - Break time

2:15 - 3:00

3:00 - 3:15

Good morning!

Morning Activity

Did you know about the different coloured poppies?

Read about them.

Which one would you choose to wear?

Tuesday 8th November 2022

Menu

Sticky Chicken Stir Fry Noodles Vegan Sausage Roll Pesto and Pea Pasta

Mashed Potato
Carrot
Green Beans
Chocolate Orange Pot
Biscuit
Fruit

Remembrance Day Different Coloured Poppies People wear poppies leading up to and on Remembrance Day (11th November).

People wear poppies leading up to and on Remembrance Day (11th November Poppies grew on First World War battlefields, once the war was over.



Red poppies were originally worn to remember those who fought in the first World War. People weer these poppies today to remember the millions of people who have suffered or lost their lives to wor, both in the first World War and in subsequent conflicts. The Royal British Legion use the symbol of the red poppy to represent hope and remembering.

Some people chaose to wear a white poppy. Wearing a white poppy is a commitment to peace and nonviolent solutions to conflict. The white poppy remembers of all victims of war, without glorifying or celebrating war. White poppies were first worn in 1933.

In 2010, the black pappy rose was launched to commemorate those civilians, servicemen and servicements of Black, African, West Indian and Pacific Islander Heritage, who have contributed to the war effort. The black pappy rose signifies pride, however end glary.

The purple poppy represents onimals that lost their lives serving in the war. Many onimals, such as horses, dogs and pigeons, were used in the First World War to help soldiers fight, move heavy items and deliver messages. Purple poppies raise money for animal charities.

Handwriting

Working with Teacher

Morning Choices

Practice your times tables
Read a book from the book corner.

Curriculum Offer at Stewart Fleming

Subject	Curriculum Scheme
English (Reading)	Little Wandle (EYFS – Y2) Guided Reading - Carousel (EYFS – Y2) Guided Reading – whole class (Y3-Y6)
English (Writing)	Power of Reading
Maths	White Rose Maths
Science, History, Geography, DT and Art	IPC (International Primary Curriculum)
French	Language Angels
Computing	IPC
PE	PE PRO
RE	Bexley Scheme
PSHE	IPC and CWP



Class Timetable 2024/25

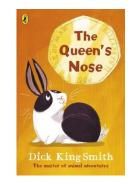
KS2	8:45 –	Session 1		10:45-	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4
	9:30	9:30am – 10:30am		11:15	11:15am – 12:15pm	1:15pm – 2:15pm	2:15pm – 3:15pm
Monday	GR	<mark>PE</mark>	am - KS1 & KS2 playtime	KS2 assembly	English	Maths	IPC
Tuesday	GR	English		Spelling and handwrit ing	Maths	IPC	RE/French
Wednesday	GR	English		KS2 music assembly	Maths	PE	IPC
Thursday	GR	English	10:30-10:45am	Spelling and handwrit ing	Computing	Maths	<mark>Art</mark>
Friday	9-9:30 Merit Assembly	<mark>Music</mark> /PSHE		GR	English	Maths	IPC



English



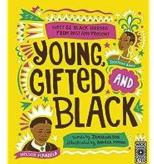
In English, we will being a scheme of work from CUSP. This will embed literary skills into Reading, Writing and Spelling.



During this half term we will start by looking at the story The Queen's Nose. We will be teaching the children skills that will enable them to identify the features of and independently write poems and create persuasive adverts.

We will then move on to study Young, Gifted and Black which looks at stories of influential historic figures. Throughout the year, will be looking at a range of texts to expose children to a breadth of authors, formats and styles.





Maths



In Maths, we will be starting by looking at **Place Value** before moving on to **Addition and Subtraction**.

We will then end this term by looking at **Multiplication** and **Division**.

Every lesson will develop children's fluency and reasoning as well as their problem-solving skills.

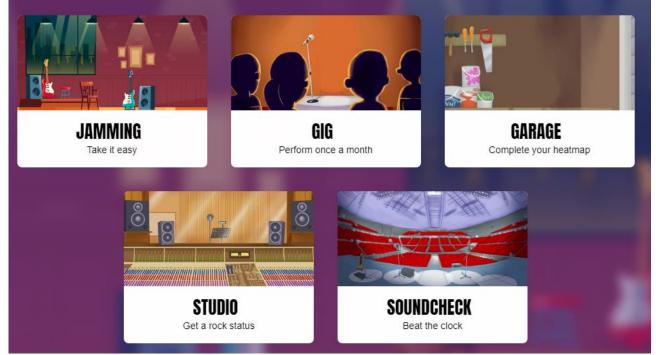




Maths

This year, the children will be taking part in an MTC (Multiplication Tables Check).

This is 25 Questions, with 6 seconds to answer each question.



We would really appreciate your support in aiding your children's multiplication knowledge by getting the children to log onto **Times Table**Rockstars and completing 3
Soundchecks a week at home.

IPC Topic: Brainwave

Subject	Health and Well Being x 7
Key Questions	Can you select the most appropriate strategy for managing social situations? Can you apply megacognitive strategies and reflect on their effectiveness?
Lesson 1	How does mindset affect learning? (Task 1)
Lesson 2	How can you help yourself when you are struggling with a task? (Task 2)
Lesson 3	How can we make new learning stick? (Task 3)
Lesson 4	How do emotions affect learning? (Task 4)
Lesson 5	How can we manage negative situations? (Task 5)
Lesson 6	How can we make connections when we learn? (Task 6)
Lesson 7	How does what we put into our bodies affect learning? (Task 7)

This is a 3 week topic that is PSHE focused.

It will help children consider how they learn and how their brains work.



Subject	History x 14	Art x 4
Key Questions	Can I select and record relevant	Can I create original artwork to serve a
, .	information from multiple sources?	given purpose? How do I select
	Can I organise events and societies	appropriate materials and techniques to
	chronologically? Can I suggest	communicate ideas?
	reasons for particular events and	
	changes?	
Lesson 1	How can we present historical	What are the key features of ancient
	information for others to understand?	tomb paintings? (Task 1)
	(Task 1)	
Lesson 2	Why was the Nile important to	How can you effectively communicate an
	Ancient Egyptians? And Egyptians	idea through a tomb painting? (Task 1)
	today? (Task 1 - reflecting)	
Lesson 3	How are artefacts used to make	What are the key features of Egyptian
	assumptions about how Ancient	headdresses? (Task 2 - research and
	civilisations lived? (Task 2)	design)
Lesson 4	What are the similarities and	What are the key features of Egyptian
	differences between our lives and	head-dresses? (Task 3 - make and
	those of ancient civilisations? (Task 3)	evaluate)
Lesson 5	What would an artefact about my	
	family or home look like and why?	
	(Task 3)	
Lesson 6	How did Egyptians and Ancient	
	Sumerians communicate using writing?	
	(Task 4)	
Lesson 7	What are the similarities and	
	differences between Ancient Egyptian	
	and Ancient Sumerian gods? (Task 5)	
Lesson 8	What is a Pharaoh or Lugal? (Task 6)	
Lesson 9	What are the main chronological	
	events of your Pharaoh or Lugal? (Task	
	6)	
Lesson 10	Why were pyramids a significant	
	feature of Egypt? (Task 7)	
Lesson 11	What happened to Ancient Egyptians	
	when they died? (Task 8)	
Lesson 12	What happened to Ancient Egyptians	
	when they died? (Task 9)	
Lesson 13	Who was Howard Carter and why was	
	he important? (Task 10)	
Lesson 14	Who were the Ancient Sumerian's and	
	why were they important? (Task 11)	

IPC Topic: Temples, Treasures and Tombs

This is a 6 week topic that is History focused and will span over Autumn 1 and Autumn 2.

We will be learning all about Ancient Egypt and Ancient Sumer and comparing the two.



Homework

A homework menu will be sent home for this half term. It has already been stuck into your child's homework book. We ask that children complete at least one piece of homework every week and that they hand in their homework books on **Wednesdays**.

We do also ask that children **read at least 3 times a week** at home. This can be reading a match report or a newspaper article, not just the book that they have taken home! Please do remind your children to document their reading.

Following assessment, the children will be given spellings to learn. These spellings will be taught throughout the week and incorporated into our English lessons. Spellings will be sent home alongside homework each Friday.

Children will also take part in weekly times tables tests in school and record these in their Times Table books. Please support your child to practise their times tables every week. Spending 15 minutes a day on Times Tables Rockstars is an excellent way to practice for this test.



Parental Engagement

This half term, each class will be going swimming every afternoon for 2 weeks at South Norwood Leisure Centre.

Rashford Class: w/b 16/9 and w/b 23/9

Bowie Class: w/b 30/9 and w/b 7/10

Mercury Class: w/b 5/11 and w/b 11/11

The swimming lessons will take place from 1-2pm. We will be having an early lunch and leaving school after lunch.

Each class will need parent volunteers for this trip to go ahead. Please let your child's Class Teacher know if you are available on any of the days to help.

There will also be other opportunities to support your child's class throughout the year.



Questions?

If you have any general questions we would be happy to answer some now.

You can also always speak to your child's class teacher at the door in the morning and in the afternoon to pass on short messages. You can also email or telephone the school office to arrange to speak with your child's class teacher.

