School News

January 2017
A Happy New Year to You All.

Dates For Your Diary

16th – 20th Jan Healthy Break Week
17th Jan Dungannon Integrated College
    Open Evening P6 pupils & parents 7pm
17th Jan Cookstown High School Open evening
    P6 pupils and parents 6:30pm
15th February Royal School Dungannon
    Open evening 7:15pm
16th 17th & 20th Feb Half term break
21st – 24th Feb Bible Fun Week
27th Feb – 3rd March Dungannon Festival
16th & 17th March School closed
24th March Red Nose Day
12th April Daffodil Tea Party
13th – 24th April school closed for Easter
29th May – 2nd June School closed

After School Activities
ALL CLUBS START WEEK 16TH JAN

- **MONDAYS MULTI SKILLS**
  8 WEEKS ONLY
  P1/2 2:10 – 3:10
  P5-7 3:10 – 4:10 16th, 23rd, 30th, 6th Feb

  P3-4 13th Feb, 27th Feb, 6th March, 13th March

- **TUESDAYS GYMNASTICS**
  P1/2 2:10 – 3:10
  P3/4 DURING SCHOOL TIME 1:15 – 2:10
  P5-7 3:10 – 4:10

- **WEDNESDAYS IPAD / CODING**
  P3/4 FUN GAMES / IPAD 3:10 – 4:10
  P5-7 CODING 34:10 – 4:10

- **THURSDAYS JUDO**
  P1-3 2:10 – 3:10
  P4-7 3:10 – 4:10

Open Evenings

Some dates for open evenings are mentioned in key dates section. Please note these are only provisional dates, and may possibly change. Local newspapers should provide more information regarding open evenings or alternatively please check the school's website.

Miss Finn P3/4 class

We are delighted to have been able to ask Miss Finn to extend her working hours as of Jan 17. She will now be taking P3/4 every day up to lunch time.

School Fund

Please continue to make your £1/week/family voluntary contribution to our 'School Fund' and to bring in the black bin bags filled with recyclable products.

Website

Our school website is updated regularly. Please keep checking out the gallery for latest photos of the children hard at work!
www.stewartstownps.org

Earrings

Children are only permitted to wear stud earrings which, for health and safety reasons, MUST be removed for P.E.

Healthy Eating

Please encourage your child(ren) to eat healthily at break and lunch time.
Healthy Break Week – "Smoothie Theme"
16th – 20th January 30p per smoothie
P5-7 pupils should bring water to school in a CLEAR bottle. Drinking water in class helps with concentration.
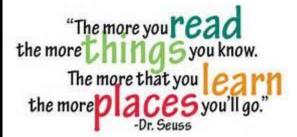
Tissues

It's that time of year again! To help minimise the spread of germs we would like each pupil to bring in a box of tissues. The tissues then will be readily available in class.

Accelerated Reader

A new individual point target has been set for P3-7 children. Please help your child reach their target by encouraging them to read daily. They will reap the rewards in the future.
Remember points = prizes and children LOVE prizes! Let's get reading…!

Stay Safe

The Department of Education has highlighted the importance of staying safe during these dark mornings and evenings. If you or your children are out and about walking, please make sure you can be clearly seen by drivers. Safety matters!

Friends of Stewartstown Primary School

Thanks to our parent group for organising the tea & coffee on the night of our concert. It went down a treat!

On-Line Shopping

Easyfundraising is an app which allows our school to benefit from any online shopping you may do. It is safe and secure to use and is totally private so we do not see what you've bought or where you have bought from. It is merely a route to go through when shopping online.

Bee Present

Enclosed is a red envelope from BEE. Please complete the back of the card and return to school by Monday 9th January.

Awards

100% Attendance Awards for Term 1:
Ross Anderson, Aaron Armstrong, Laurenn Armstrong, Dennis Cherry, Ellie-Mae Cherry, Erin Doey, Logan Dougherty, Tea Giles, Ruby McReynolds, Jack Suitor, Matthew Armstrong, Sophie Brodison, Mia Giles, Calum Hutton, Brodie Taggart

Principal's Awards:
Ellen May Bell, Jamie McElhennon
Merit Certificates:
Corin Kelly, Sam Dougherty
Boy of the Week:
Dennis Cherry, Scott Neill
Girl of the Week:
Regan Young, Sorcha Owens