



STGCS NEWS

'TO LIVE AND TO LEARN TOGETHER THROUGH OUR FAITH IN JESUS CHRIST'



PARENTS' EVENING



Parents' Evening will take place on Tuesday 10th November. This year, consultation appointments will be booked through the Arbor app or website. Parents and carers are asked to make sure they can log in to Arbor using the email address registered with the school. If you have forgotten your password, simply select the 'Forgot Password' option to reset it.

Bookings will open at 9am on Monday 5th October and close at 3pm on Friday 16th October.

If you need any help accessing Arbor or booking your appointment, please visit the school office. If possible, please make sure you are able to log in when you come so that the team can assist you.

As this is the first time the school is using Arbor to manage Parents' Evening appointments, there may be a few initial teething issues. Thank you in advance for your patience and understanding.

A GREAT START



Last weekend, Miss Atkinson and Miss Santos took 15 Year 5 and 6 boys to represent STGCS FC in their first competitive fixture against Belham Primary School. Although the result did not go our way, our number 10 scored a sensational long-range goal from the edge of the area. The team represented the school brilliantly, showing fantastic teamwork, resilience and determination throughout the match. We are incredibly proud of them and look forward to the season ahead.



Year Group Highlights

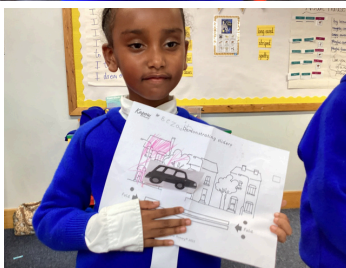
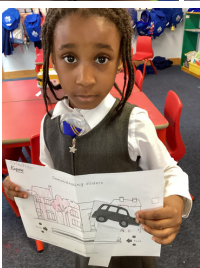
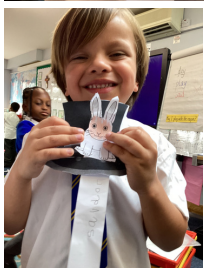
EARLY YEARS

Art Week was full of creativity as the children explored making marks with pencils, chalk and felt-tip pens. From large, sweeping movements to smaller, more controlled marks, they had lots of fun while strengthening their fine and gross motor skills.



YEAR 1

This week, Year 1 explored mechanisms in DT, learning how sliders can make pictures move in different directions. The children created sample models and began designing their own exciting moving storybooks.



YEAR 2

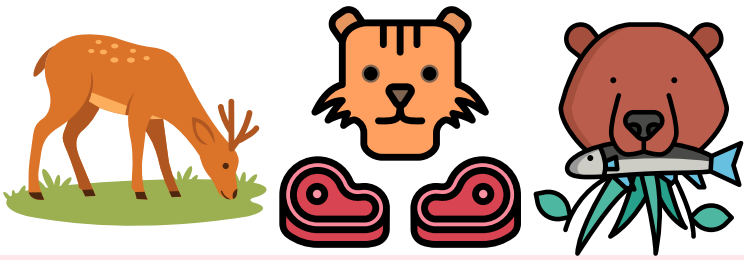
This week, the children explored how information technology is used in shops and supermarkets. They learned about barcodes before taking part in a role-play activity where they scanned items to find their prices, selected the correct coins to pay and calculated the change required. The activity was a fun and practical way to develop their Computing, Maths and problem-solving skills.





YEAR 3

Year 3 have been learning about how food gives us energy. They explored herbivores, omnivores and carnivores, before discussing which everyday activities use the most energy.



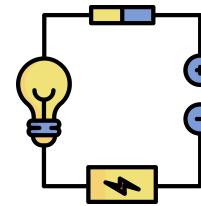
YEAR 5

Year 5 have been getting hands-on with filtration in Science! The children used a range of materials to clean dirty water and were amazed at just how clean they could make it. A fantastic way to learn through practical investigation!



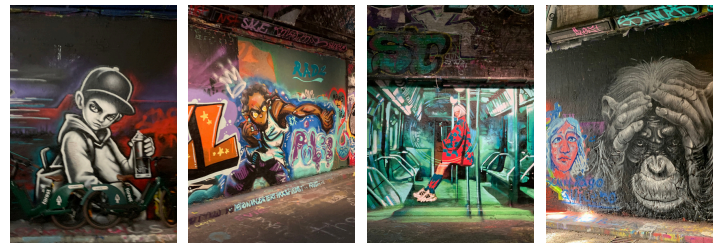
YEAR 4

Year 4 put their DT skills to the test by designing and creating working torches using electrical circuits. They showed excellent problem-solving and perseverance as they tested and improved their designs.



YEAR 6

Year 6 launched their exciting new Art topic with a street art walk last week. The children explored a range of inspiring street art before creating their own fantastic pieces and capturing the experience with a class photo.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



Friday 2nd October

Year 5 Assembly

Friday 9th October

World Mental Health Day - WEAR YELLOW

Year 6 Assembly

Friday 16th October

Children's Last Day of Autumn Term 1 - 3:30pm finish

Monday 19th October -

HALF TERM - 2 WEEKS

Friday 30th October

Monday 2nd November

Children's First Day of Autumn Term 2

Wednesday 4th November

Photo Day - individual and sibling shots

Parent Workshop: Oracy Through Curriculum - 3:30pm

Tuesday 10th November

Parents' Evening - BOOK VIA ARBOR

Wednesday 11th November

KSI Calculation Workshop

Thursday 12th November

KS2 Calculation Workshop

Thursday 19th November

KSI Reading with your Child 9am - 10am

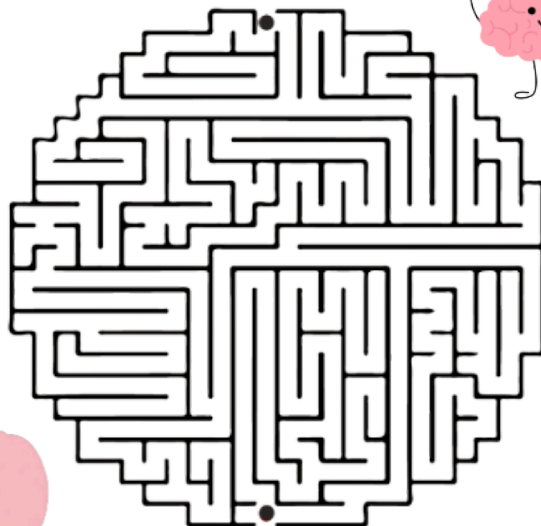
KS2 Reading with your Child 3pm - 3:30pm

Friday 18th December

Children's Last Day of Term - 1pm finish

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HAVE A SAFE
& HAPPY

Weekend!

