



Friday 9th November 2018

Dear Families,

As the nation approaches Remembrance Day, here at Stambridge we have been reflecting on the centenary of the ending of World War One. The children throughout the school have created poppies in different ways to create a collaborative display. We held a moment of reflection at 11.00 today and Years 5 and 6 visited St Mary's and All Saints church to pay their respect at the graves of the soldiers who fought in the war. This afternoon the children were visited by Guide Dogs for the Blind where they were informed about the important work of the charity. Next week the children will have a visit from Dogs Trust, our chosen charity.

Have a good weekend

Best attendance of the week goes to Sapphire class **with 97.78%**
Whole school attendance: 96.03%
(target 97%)

Stars of the Week

Amber – Elsie

Amethyst - Fraya

Sapphire – Jack

Onyx – Charley

Writer of the week – Vinnie, Jack .H, and Oliver

Mathematician of the week – Henry



Awards this week

Platinum

Issy for her homework, George for his power point on David Attenborough, Max for his Jungle homework, Willow for her outstanding attitude to learning and perseverance, Indie for showing confidence and friendship when allowing other children to look at her work, Sam for demonstrating Hearts Values and Reggie for making good choices and showing mature attitude to learning.

This weeks 100% attendance with no late mark.

Amber Class

Pearl, Vinnie, Bill, Berty, Chloe, Bobby, Reggie, Elsie, Sam, Anais,

Amethyst Class Sophie, Bailey, Rose, Elliot, Dylan, Jasmin, George, Alfie, Sophia, Blake, Summer, Jack, Chloe, Annabelle, Ashton, Ava-Joyce, Willow, Harvy, Kyeron.

Sapphire Class

Oliver, Max, George, Isla, Daniel, Lacey, Olivia, Jack, Teigan, Ruby, Alina, Keira, Robbie, Connor, Nadine, Tiarna, Isla-Rose

Onyx Class

Charley, Issy, Gui, Jessie, John, Tyler, Isabella, Danny, Belle, Isobel, Ethan, Lillyann, Junior, Henry, lillah, Miah.

Reminder

All jewellery is prohibited apart from a watch.

Please ensure your child has their hair tied back every day for school.

School ties are to be worn every day as part of the full School uniform.

Please make sure your children are dressed appropriately for the weather conditions, it is getting very chilly.

Primary School Admissions

Children born during the period 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2015 can apply for primary school places between 12 November 2018 and 15 January 2019.

Apply on line.

Upcoming dates

Tuesday 13th November- dress up day for Children in Need £1.00 and cake sale after school 50p

Wednesday 14th November- Tag Ruby for KS2

Friday 16th November – Cinema trip

Next week SCHOOL DINNER MENU – Week 3

Head Pupil corner

This week has been amazing! Today we meet the Guide Dogs for the Blind in assembly. Well done Year 5 and 6 for going to the church for remembrance.

Have a lovely weekend.

Henry & Junior ☺

In Amber Class the children have been learning one more and one less than a given number up to 10 and focusing on number 6. In English they have been discussing Bonfire Night and Diwali as they were learning about different festivals. The children have also begun to create a 'Fairy Village' for the classroom, making and naming lollystick fairies, painting fairy houses and designing the landscape. Our imagination during creative arts has been fantastic! Check out Tapestry to see a Spanish number song.

In Amethyst class we have been busy writing our recounts about the dinosaur wow day. Your children have written some fantastic sentences detailing the event and included emotive language! In maths we have been working with money; recognising coins, finding amounts and investigating ways of making the same amount with different coins. We have also started our seasons Art projects using paints to mix different shades and different items to create texture and design.

In Sapphire Class this week the children created some wonderful art work using various types of paper to create collages based around soldiers and poppies. These will be added to the school display. They have also created some fantastic descriptions of a market using the different senses and in maths we have been showing different ways of representing multiplication calculations. Next week they will be moving onto division using grouping and sharing methods.

In Onyx Class this week, we have been getting creative through producing some amazing Banksy inspired artwork representing our Hearts Values. We have also been writing a letter to a newspaper, trying to persuade them to add Elizabeth Fry to the 'Top Ten Heroes of the 19th Century' list. In Maths, we have been working really hard on our multiplication strategies and will be moving this on to division next week. Next week, we will also be writing our own suspense narratives using the book 'Holes' as inspiration.