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## STEBON PRIMARY SCHOOL

### Term Dates 2017-18

I NSET (SCHOOL CLOSED) Monday  $4^{\text{th}}$  September & Tuesday  $5^{\text{th}}$  September 2017

School Open: Weds 6<sup>th</sup> September - Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2017

Half term: Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October - Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2017

School Open: Monday 30th October - Weds 20th December 2017

INSET (SCHOOL CLOSED) Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2017

Christmas Holiday: Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> Dec 2017 - Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2018

School Open: Weds 3<sup>rd</sup> January- Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2018 Half term: Monday 12<sup>th</sup> February - Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2018 School Open: Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February - Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2018

Spring Holiday: Friday 30<sup>th</sup> March - Friday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2018 School Open: Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April - Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018 May Bank Holiday: Monday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2018

Half term: Monday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2018 - Friday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2018

School Open: Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June – Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2018 INSET (SCHOOL CLOSED) 2 × TBC

The School will be closed on Eid celebration days

Eid-ul-Fitr: 15 June 2018 \*(Confirmation will be given 10 days before)

### Year 6 helpers in Reception

A big well done to Myesha and Asia (Joy Adamson class) and Fariha (David Attenborough class) for their help in reception this week. They worked with reception on name writing, reading and phonics and were excellent role models for the school. We know that their help was greatly appreciated by Husnara and her children. Well done girls!

### THE JUNGLE BOOK

Rehearsals are in full swing for the *Disney Musicals in Schools* production of 'The Jungle Book'. Here is a sneak peek of Mowgli (Wasim—Martin Luther King) with his Jungle friends during the Prologue song.

Keep up the great work Year 5!



Raising money for a good cause

5 Stebon teachers ran 5k for St Joseph's Hospice. If you would like to sponsor them please go to Team Stebon's just giving page. Visit the school website and follow the link on the school twitter feed.

Well done Team Stebon! https://www.justgiving.com/



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#### Change to Stebon Primary school opening and closing times.

From January 2018 until July 2018 we are going to trial **staggering our opening and closing times with The St Paul's Way** Primary School so that parents & children from both schools are not all arriving & leaving at the same times.

#### New times:

Start time: 9.15 (the main playground gate will open for pupils from 9.00)  $% \left( 1-\frac{1}{2}\right) =0.00$ 

Finish time: 3.30.

After-school clubs finish time: 4:45 (unless otherwise specified)

Breakfast Club will continue to open from 8.00

### Year 2-trip to St. Paul's Cathedral

Year 2 went on a trip to St. Pauls Cathedral last week to help them with our learning about the Great Fire of London, and to understand why the cathedral was rebuilt after the fire.



Talking to you child—openly, and regularly—is the best way to help keep them safe online. We recommend you check what programs your child has been accessing online at least once a week. For support and advice speak to Kelly Smith, Assistant Headteacher ICT.



### Year 6 residential

Year 6 had a wonderful time on their residential to PGL this week. Among other things, they flew through the air on a giant swing, paddled across freezing water on hand-built rafts and abseiled down huge walls, all with huge smiles on their faces. Although (extremely) tired, they and their teachers have come back filled with wonderful anecdotes and personal triumphs of their own. A massive thank you to all the adults who made the trip possible - a well earned rest is definitely needed!





We are excited to inform you that we are learning our times tables together. Next week's times table is the 2 times table.

Please encourage your child to practise at home and look out for additional practice resources.

