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Key dates:

Tue 21 Feb - 31 Mar 2023:
School open for Spring term 2

Mon 27 Feb - Wed 1 Mar 2023:
Year 5 Residential

World Book Day: 10 Mar 2023

Wed 15 Mar - Wed 22 Mar
2023: Travelling Book Fair

Mon 13 Mar - Fri 18 Mar 2023:
Thinking of Others Week

Wed 29 Mar 2023:
Shakespeare Schools
Festivals

Mon 3 Apr - Fri 14 Apr 2023:
Spring Holiday

Mon 17 Apr - Fri 26 May 2023:
School open for Summer term

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2023 lunch menu](#)

**Congratulations to Y5 Malala
Yousafzai class who had
99.1% attendance this week!**

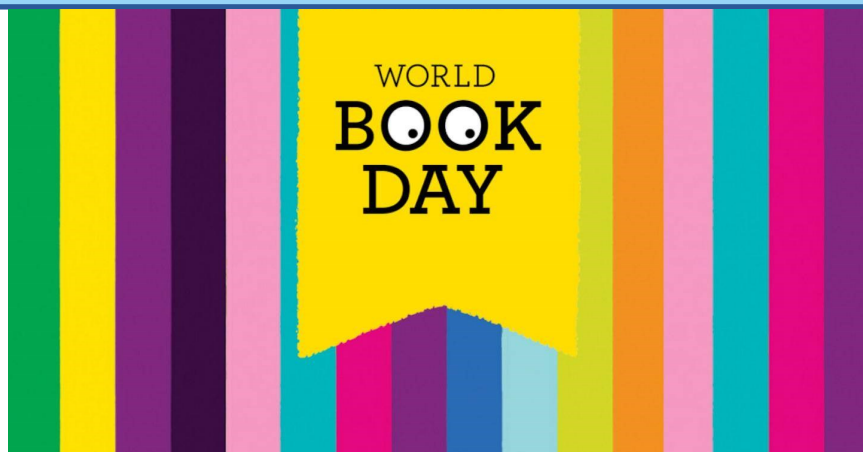
Attendance

**Every day matters – Every
minute counts!**

Stebon's magic number is
97 This is because we are
aiming for 97% attendance.

**This week's whole school
attendance was 90%**

Come on Stebon!



World Book Day - Friday 10th March

World Book Day is approaching quickly and we will be celebrating at school on **Friday 10th March**. We are very excited about the opportunity to celebrate our love of books and reading here at Stebon!

There are a few different ways that we will be celebrating World Book Day this year.

We are encouraging children to create costumes at home and come to school dressed up as a character from a book. We'll be having our annual cat walk of costumes in school, with prizes awarded in each phase.

We'll be reading and talking about our favourite books in special reading sessions during the school day so please remember to remind your child to bring in their favourite stories. Other activities will include some mystery storytime readers and a 'Drop Everything And Read' alarm.

The kitchen team will be serving a special themed menu on **Wednesday 8th March**.

As usual, all children at the school will receive their £1 book token. This can be used at most retailers and bookshops to either purchase a World Book Day book for free, or to receive £1 off any children's book of your choice. The Travelling Book Fair will be at Stebon from **Wednesday 15th March to Wednesday 22nd March**, World Book Day tokens can be used to buy books from the Fair.



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Bring all your donated items to Stebon school office by *Thursday 8th of March* and come join us after school in the playground for the *giveaway Friday 9th of March from 3:30 - 4pm.*



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Year 5 went on their residential to Hindleap this week. They started with some team building activities on the first day. They also did archery, climbing and went on a night walk!





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The children of Stebon have created some wonderful classroom displays this year highlighting the environmental issues that our planet faces and what we can do to try and help protect it. We're very proud to be a green flag Eco-School and we are extremely proud to see how much our children care about the future of our wonderful planet.





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Confirmed term dates for 2022-2023. Term dates for the academic year can be found on the [Stebon website](http://www.stebon.org.uk).

School open:	Tue 21 Feb – Fri 31 Mar 2023
Spring Holiday:	Mon 3 April – Friday 14 April 2023
School open:	Mon 17 April – Friday 26 May 2023
May Bank Holiday:	Mon 1 May 2023
Bank Holiday:	Mon 8 May 2023
(King Charles III Coronation)	
INSET (School closed):	Mon 15 May 2023
Half term:	Mon 29 May – Fri 2 June 2023
INSET (School closed):	Mon 5 June 2023
School open:	Tue 6 June – Fri 21 July 2023
Eid-ul-Fitr(school closed):	Fri 21 Apr 2023
KS2 SATs week:	Tue 9 May 2023 – Fri 12 May 2023
Update: Tower Hamlets does not have scheduled polls on Thursday 4 May 2023 so Stebon will be open to pupils as usual.	

Stebon primary school offers government funded early education and childcare places for 2-year-olds, privately funded places are also available

Thousands of children across Tower Hamlets have a right to funded early education from the age of two.

If you receive qualifying benefits, your 2-year-old can access up to 570 hours of funded early education and childcare a year. This is usually taken as 15 hours a week over 38 weeks, from the claim period following their second birthday.



If your child is not eligible for a Government funded place, we can also offer 30 hour or 15 hours a week places which families can pay for.

Two year olds at Stebon have their own classroom, a high ratio of adults trained in early years to children and access to their own outdoor play space.

The children are happy and settled and get off to a flying start.

Why not arrange a visit and contact the school office for further details?

Term Dates 2023 - 2024

INSET: (School Closed)	Fri 1 Sept 2023 & Mon 4 Sep 2023
School open:	Tue 5 Sept – Fri 20 Oct 2023
Half term:	Mon 23 Oct – Fri 27 Oct 2023
School open:	Mon 30 Oct – Fri 15 Dec 2023
Christmas Holiday:	Mon 18 Dec – Wed 3 Jan 2024
INSET: (School Closed)	Thu 4 Jan 2024 & Fri 5 Jan 2024
School open:	Mon 8 Jan – Fri 9 Feb 2024
Half term:	Mon 12 Feb – Fri 16 Feb 2024
INSET: (School Closed)	Mon 19 Feb 2024
School open:	Tue 20 Feb – Thu 28 Mar 2024
Spring Holiday:	Fri 29 Mar – Fri 12 Apr 2024
School open:	Mon 15 Apr – Fri 24 May 2024
May Bank Holiday:	Mon 6 May 2024
Half term:	Mon 27 May – Fri 31 May 2024
School open:	Mon 3 Jun – Tues 23 Jul 2024

*Good Friday 29 March 2024

*Easter Monday 1 April 2024

The school will be closed on Eid celebration day below;
Eid-ul-Adha: Mon 17 Jun 2024 (School Closed)

FYI KS2 SATs week: Mon 13 May – Thu 16 May 2024



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