School Newsletter
Spring 1st Half Term

Stoneraise School

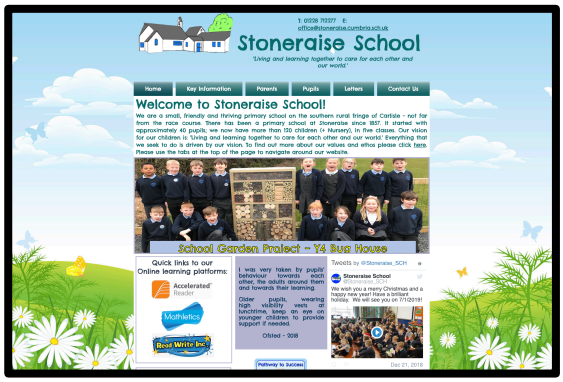
Dear Parents,

I hope you had a brilliant Christmas holiday; may I wish you all a very happy new year, and welcome back to school.

Keeping up-to-date

We have a variety of ways for you to keep up-to-date with what is going on in school. We have our **half-termly newsletters**, which give you a quick glance of what is to come during the half term. These are sent home in the first couple of days and are available on both our **website** and **app**.

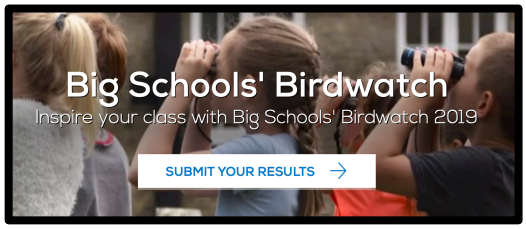
We also have a **google calendar** which is on the home page and on our app too. You can link this calendar to your smart phone, should you wish to do so. We also **tweet** regularly with things children are currently doing.



Big Schools Birdwatch

Pupils in every class will be taking part in the RSPB's Big Schools' Birdwatch during the 14th-18th January. We will be incorporating activities in a variety of subjects from Art through to maths. Look out on twitter to see what we are get up to.

Children will hopefully know some of the common garden birds by the end of the week and you may wish to take part in the Big Garden Birdwatch at home on the 26-28th January.



London Residential

It is that time of year again and the Year 5 and 6 pupils are going on a residential trip to London. We will be spending the week there and doing a variety of trips including Harry Potter World, the West End Theatre and the London Eye, to name a few. All of the trips link into a theme created all around different authors for the day.

Final preparations are being completed and letters will be going home this week to pupils in Y5 and Y6. If you want to see what we are getting up to in more detail, please see our webpage: www.stoneraise.co.uk/London2019

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Safer Internet Day

The internet is a brilliant resource. Children use it all the time in school from learning activities through online learning platforms to researching information. Whilst there are so many positives to the internet, there are some down sides. Therefore, it is important we educate children how to stay safe on the internet. We will be taking part in the national Safer Internet Day on the 5th February, as a small part of what we do. We regularly tweet links to sign post parents to articles and advice on using the internet safely with children.

Kind regards,

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Head Teacher