

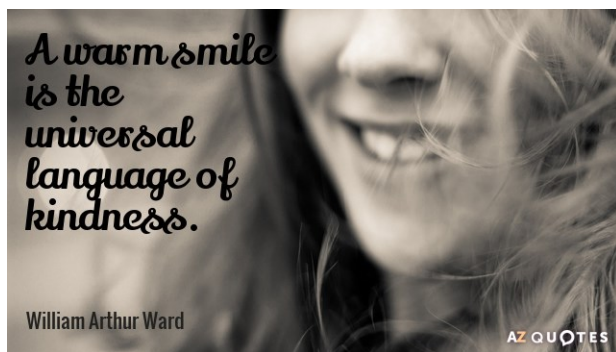
Stroud Valley Community School Newsletter



'Friendly'

This term we are thinking about our school value Friendly.

If you are **friendly**, you exhibit the characteristics of a friend, such as being kind, helpful or affectionate. You will smile at others, wave, say hello and keep eye contact with the person you are speaking too. If you are Friendly you will talk, not just to your own friends, but to many different people. You make people feel welcome in your world by being friendly towards them. What wonderful people we may meet and new experiences we may have just by choosing a simple friendly smile.



4th May
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Dates for your diary

| May | |
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| 7th | Bank Holiday |
| 23rd | Sunshine Class Parent Assembly |
| 21st-24th | Y6 Residential Trip |
| 28th - 1st June | Half Term Holiday |
| June | |
| 4th | Start of Term 6 |
| 5th | KS2 Sports Day |
| 6th | KS1 Sports Day |
| 18th | Y6 Leavers Photos |
| July | |
| 17th | Y6 Production 2pm |
| 19th | Y6 Production 6.30pm |
| 24th | Last Day of Term |
| 25th | INSET DAY |

SCHOOL COLLECTION TIMES -POLITE REMINDER

A significant number of parents have been late collecting their children recently. A reminder that collection time for **KS1 is 3.05pm** and **KS2 is 3.15pm**.

If you are late and your child needs to go to After School Care, our staff ratios may need increasing at short notice and therefore charges will have to be made to cover the extra staff. The minimum charge for any time at After School Care will be £6.

DO YOU REALLY KNOW WHO YOUR CHILDREN ARE TALKING TO ONLINE?

It has recently been brought to our attention, that games such as 'Fortnite' (12+ Certificate) are being played by many of our children. We have learnt there is a facility in these games for online chat and children to be approached by anyone. This feature cannot be turned off in parental settings and is always on. As a school we are looking into further training for you. Please visit the NSPCC website, or the links on the front page of our website.

PARENTMAIL

All parents should have received a text message inviting them to set up their ParentMail account. We are encouraging parents to download the free App. If your verification link has expired or you need any help please contact the office.

PTFA

Message from PTFA

Thanks to all those who attended the PTFA meeting last Friday. The next meeting will be on Friday 15th June at 1.30pm in Black Book Café. The date for the plant sale has been set for 18th May. We are asking for donations of plants/seedlings to be dropped in from Monday 14th May.

Dates have been set for the class cake sales. These will be held every fortnight. Your class reps will let you know when the date is for your class and how you can help with these to raise money for your child's class funds.

THANK YOU!

Emerald Class raised **£137.90** from their cake sale last week, thank you for your support.

The money raised will go towards their school trip to the National Space Centre in June.