



## SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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### Important Dates For Your Diary:

#### Monday 16th September

Young Voices Club: 3:15—4pm

#### Wednesday 18th September

KS2 Atlas Football Tournament  
9:00am—1:30pm  
Y3 Countryside Skills

#### Thursday 19th September

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#### Monday 23rd September

Y5 Swimming

#### Wednesday 25th September

Flu Immunisations

#### Thursday 26th September

Book Swap

### EduLink

The transition over to EduLink has worked really well so far and we hope you are seeing a positive improvement in the communication too.

After school clubs are going to be scheduled and rolled out this week using EduLink. If you have not already done so, please ensure you have downloaded the app and have notifications on. Clubs will be on a first come basis and you only get alerts if you have the app.

If you send a message on the app, it comes to the office not your class teachers. Mrs Cook and Mrs Bijlmer will continue to field all enquires and liaise with the teachers as required.

We will be continuing to expand the functions on EduLink so if you haven't yet done so, please log in and make yourself familiar. All emails are going via the platform and we will not be using Teachers2Parents to send messages. As always, any questions or problems, please contact the office.

### PTFA Corner

The PTFA have been busy planning this terms events and we are excited to announce our Autumn Disco will be returning on the 18th October.

Finer details will be confirmed over the next week to give you all plenty of time to dig out the sequins and dancing shoes.

The next event will be one for the grown ups which is our Quiz & Curry Night to be held on Friday 8th November. Times will be advised ASAP and ticket sales will be communicated via EduLink and WhatsApp groups.

A reminder that we are also hosting our AGM on Wednesday 25th September, 7.30pm at King's Stanley Social Club.

We would love to see you there and new members are always welcome.

### Book Swap

Our first book swap is scheduled for Thursday 26th September.

A great opportunity to bring in books that you have read and exchange them for something new.

In addition to being able to swap your books, you will also earn reading stars for participating.

Please bring any books you would like to swap with you in the morning. Enjoy!



We need your help!  
We are seeking books to re stock our book swap boxes!

On Sept 26th we are holding a book amnesty!  
For every book brought in the children will be able to swap another book, PLUS get a stamp on their reading star chart! 10 books = 10 stars!

Thank you!

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## School Support Courses

We have been provided some information regarding a fully funded course which starts on 30th September.

The courses are designed to make it easy for parents/carers who are looking to gain the necessary qualifications for a school support role. The classes are run online in school hours allowing parents to fit it in between drop off/collection.

For more information, please copy this link into your browser: <http://www.studysmartuk.online/>

## Parenting Course

Continuing with the theme of available resources.

Please find below a timetable of available online courses that may be of interest. For more information and booking, you will need to visit the website and book directly.

### SEP/OCT TIMETABLE

Talks are delivered online via zoom 7pm to 9pm £24 each  
Book online at [facefamilyadvice.co.uk](http://facefamilyadvice.co.uk)

FREE SESSIONS	
Supporting Kids with School Anxiety	26 SEP
Introduction to Facing Defiance	24 OCT
Understanding Anger	23 SEP
Supporting a Child with ADHD	24 SEP
Understanding the Teenage Brain	7 OCT
Raising Self-Esteem	8 OCT
Decreasing Depression	15 OCT
Anxiety Explained	17 OCT
Understanding Anger	21 OCT
Drug Awareness for Parents	22 OCT
Autism: Improving Communication	28 OCT
Introduction to OCD	29 OCT
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	31 OCT
Improving Family Communication	4 NOV
Raising Self-Esteem	5 NOV

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## Value Certificates

### Year 1

**Cory** for being a wonderful writer in Phonics.

### Year 2

**Tobi** has shown the value respect he has been excellent at giving 5 and being ready for learning.

### Year 3

**Daisy R** has shown the value of respect by having a great start to Y3. She is polite, helpful and hard working.

### Year 4

**Erik** for being a wonderful artist by listening carefully to the instructions and making excellent decisions about his design.

### Year 5

**All of Year 5** have shown the 3R's responsibility, respect and resilience with their fantastic start to the year.

### Year 6

**All of Year 6** have shown respect to all adults, shown great responsibility with their new roles around the school and have shown resilience with their learning.

# WELL DONE EVERYONE

## Music Sessions

Five Valleys Music Centre offers opportunities to children to learn and develop as a musician. It is open to all children of any age who play an instrument to any standard (even if you've just started lessons). You do not have to have passed any music grades to attend, and we welcome all instruments.

We have an orchestra, string group, wind group, choir and more - we play a mix of classical, folk, jazz, and pop music. Our staff will encourage every member to experience the exciting feeling of playing in ensembles as an extension to lessons and musical activities in schools.

When: Saturdays 9.30 – 12.30

Where: Archway School, Stroud

For more info, visit [gloucestershiremusic.co.uk](http://gloucestershiremusic.co.uk)