STM Weekly Round Up

w/e 02.10.26

Dear Parents, Carers and Families,

We are delighted to celebrate the completion of our new and improved outside area for our Reception children. The transformation has created a wonderful space where our youngest children can explore, play, learn and develop. It is particularly welcomed as it is now a covered area, meaning that outdoor learning can continue whatever the weather! This opens up so many more opportunities for the children to take their learning outside throughout the year. Outdoor learning is such an important part of the early years experience and this fantastic new space will allow our children to learn outside in all seasons.
A special thank you must also go to the wonderful dads who kindly lent a hand at the end of the project helping to get the remaining packaging and rubbish loaded onto the removal truck. Your support was hugely appreciated and was a lovely example of our school community coming together to help out.

Kind regards,
Mrs Collins

Anyone for tennis?

Year 5 and 6 both had great tennis trips last week. Year 5 visited Shooters Hill College where they had a wonderful session with professional coaches who taught them the fundamentals and skills necessary to play a tennis match.
Year 6 had the opportunity to see the Laver Cup at the O2 and were lucky enough to see Alcaraz play in one of the European practice matches. As much as that was exciting, Miss Cleary mentioned how much fun was had dancing to the music and taking part in Mexican waves!

Congratulations to Red team who have received the most points this week and a huge well done to Year 5 who worked hard as a class to earn the most points this week!

Blue 391 Red 467 Yellow 397 Green 399

Most house points earned this week: Year 5

Congratulations to Rec & Yr 4 for best attendance this week!

Reception	**100%**
Year 1	**99.0%**
Year 2	**99.1%**
Year 3	**95.8%**
Year 4	**99.2%**
Year 5	**99.1%**
Year 6	**94.6%**

What an incredible week for attendance! We are absolutely delighted to have achieved an amazing 98% attendance across the school this week. Thank you to all our families for supporting your children to be in school, ready to learn and make the most of every opportunity.

Upcoming dates...

Tuesday 13th October	Year 5/6 Rugby Tournament
Wednesday 14th October	Year 4 Science workshop at St Thomas More Comprehensive School
Friday 16th October	Year 1 local walk
Thursday 22nd October	Open morning for Reception pupils 2027 at 9.30am Year 3 Orienteering at Oxleas Woods
Friday 23rd October	Reception & Yr 6 NHS Height and Weight
Monday 26th - Friday 30th October	Half Term
Tuesday 3rd November	Individual and sibling school photos
Wednesday 11th November	Parents' Meetings
Thursday 12th November	Parents' Meetings
Tuesday 17th November	Year 3 Lesnes Abbey
Tuesday 24th November	Year 5 British Museum