# Stoke Hill Federation NEWS



## Summer in the City

With so many lovely places to visit this holiday, look out for the Federation's Summer Activity leaflet, printed on bright yellow - find it on the website next week.

So many people travel to Devon for their holidays, it is good to remember we already live in a county of such outstanding beauty.

Visit the valley parks, spot real deer at Mincinglake. Go to the library, the Phoenix Centre, spend some time at our award winning museum or take a stroll along Exeter's historic quay.

Have a healthy online diet this holiday too, for like chocolate and crisps, too much internet is not good for you but the right amount is great.

### **Very Important Dates**

We break up for school on **Wednesday, 26<sup>th</sup> July.** 

The children return to school on Wednesday, 6th September.

# Happy and Safe Holiday

It's hard to believe another school year is already coming to an end.

We are really proud to be part of the culturally diverse and harmonious Stoke Hill community, and look forward to coming back again in September and working with you all to do the best for our children.

We'd also like to say 'good luck' to everyone who is moving on at the end of this term, and wish all of the children a happy and successful time in their new schools.

We hope you all have a happy, safe, and sunny school holiday.



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# Thank you special

# Grandparents

for visiting their Foundation Stage children this week.

It was lovely to see you  $\sim$ 



# Library

Please have a look at home and see if you can find any school library books. It would be really helpful if these could be returned at the start of next week.

Some of you will receive letters showing books that your child has scanned out of the system and not returned to the library. Please have an extra thorough look for these books, as they must be somewhere! They tend to be the popular ones, and we'd really like them back for next year.

# £30 towards new uniform costs...?

If you are eligible for the Pupil Premium (free school meals) then please do make use of opportunity to purchase up to £30 of school uniform which will be reimbursed by both schools as part of the 'Pupil Premium'. Buy the Federation sweatshirt from Thomas Moore and other uniform items from wherever you like. As long as you have the receipt/s and hand them into either school office we can return that amount to you.

If you want to check your eligibility for this grant - often called 'Free School Meals' paste this address into your browser

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- 1. Register by entering your details
- 2. Click on Free School Meals
- 3. Follow the step-by-step instructions
- 4. Have instant eligibility confirmation of free
  - school meals and the Pupil Premium Grant.

# Year 6 Production – Shakespeare Rocks

I'd like to say huge well done to all of our wonderful Year 6 children for their brilliant performances of Shakespeare Rocks this week.

The songs were fun and challenging, and you could see the time and dedication they had put into learning the words over the last few months. The children's acting was also spot on, and it was really pleasing to see that not only had they learnt their lines, but had also understood their character and the story so they could bring it all to life.

It is always good to see the way our Productions give the children a chance to shine, and how they take the opportunity to create something really special together.

Thank you to all of you for your help with learning the lines and providing the costumes, and a massive thank you to the Year 6 team for their dedication and commitment to making the Production happen. I said last night that everyone should be really proud, and I'd like to echo that again today.