

KSI NEWS

— WELCOME —
BACK TO SCHOOL

A big welcome back to you all after what we hope has been a restful half term!



We are always really proud of our children for being respectful of their own rights and the rights of others. Our Buddies and Happy Rights team and wonderful ambassadors and everyone knows they are able to talk to them, or leave a note with Wilbur, about any problem and they will get the help they need. We look forward to meeting our new buddies for this term.

Key articles for us this month are:

Article 12: You have the right to an opinion.

Article 19: You have the right to be protected from being hurt or mistreated.

Article 2: We all have rights, no child should be treated unfairly on any basis.

Online Safety



We know that many of our children have fantastic fun, and even continue their learning, at home online. Whether it's on a tablet, phone or laptop it's so important that we teach our children about staying safe online. There are lots of tips and resources at our website.

Simply go to

<https://www.southstanleyinfants.co.uk/online-support>

Remember Safer Internet
Day 2025 is 10th February
2025!



Reminders

Reading books will be sent out on a Tuesday and Thursday. Please can you sign everyday to say your child has read and return it on a Monday and a Thursday.

Homework will be sent out every Thursday (starting Thursday 16th January) and returned on the following Monday.

Random Acts of Kindness Day is on the 17th February. Keep an eye out on our Facebook page for activities you could take part in at home!

If you have any questions or would like to speak to your child's class teacher, they are available between 8:30am— 8:45am or after 3.25pm. Alternatively, you can contact school to arrange an appropriate time for them to contact you at home.



WHY ARE SOME PLACES SPECIAL?



Our topic this term is 'Why are some places special?' and the children will be learning all the facts about what happened and how it has impacted on our local community and their lives today.

Here is an overview of some of the things that you can do with your child to support them with their learning throughout this half term.

Key Vocabulary

disaster, sequencing, sources, artefact, chronology, history, historian, timeline, past

This is some of the key vocabulary we will be learning and using for our topics this term. Please discuss them with your child and enjoy researching anything you are unsure about!



5. Family guidance as children develop

When did the Stanley Pit disaster happen?

How do we know about

the Stanley Pit Disaster?

Write a list of the physical features you find on your way to school.

Ask your grown ups to help you research any facts about the Stanley Pit disaster using the internet.

Write down what you find out and bring it into school to collect your topic certificate!



17. Access to information from the media

Trips & Visits/Curriculum Enrichment

The children will be visiting the Stanley Pit Disaster memorial during school time this half term. More information will be sent out nearer the time.

