



## End of Year Message

This year has brought many challenges, with Pepper Hill being based at Stanton School since January. Despite this, there have been many positives, including new friendships, shared events and both school communities coming together. We hope Pepper Hill will return to its own building in September and will update you as soon as arrangements are confirmed. We also say goodbye to Miss Echcharki, who is moving on, and Linda, who is retiring after more than 20 years of dedicated service. We thank them both and wish them all the very best. Thank you for your continued support this year. Have a happy, safe and relaxing summer!



## Buckinghamshire County Athletics Championship Finals



We are incredibly proud to share that Stanton School won **1st place** at the **Buckinghamshire County Athletics Finals**, becoming county champions! This is a fantastic achievement, and every child showed outstanding determination, teamwork and sportsmanship throughout the day. Congratulations to **Team Stanton** on this amazing success!

## School Discos

The end of year discos will take place on **Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> July** for Reception and KS1 disco will run **from 4:15pm to 5:30pm. Tickets cost £3.00** and are available from the cage playground; the price includes a drink and a packet of crisps. At **Stanton**, the disco will be held on **Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July from 4:30pm to 6:30pm. Tickets cost £2.00** and will be on sale during break times. Children will be able to buy a wide range of refreshments including a BBQ offering hotdogs and beef burgers, with a vegetarian option, and drinks.



## Year 2 and Year 6 Leavers



We will be holding special celebrations for our leavers as they prepare to move to their next school. On **Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July**, Year 6 pupils will take part in a Graduation to celebrate the end of their primary school journey. The event will include an awards ceremony, a disco, a picnic on the school field, and the announcement of the **iPad Challenge** winner. On **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July**, Year 2 pupils will enjoy a Carnival-themed festival and parade.

## School Reports

Children's end-of-year reports will be sent home on **Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July**. We hope you'll take the opportunity to celebrate your child's fantastic achievements this year.

## Sports Day

Thank you to everyone who joined us for Sports Day. It was wonderful to see so many families cheering on the children. We raised **over £450** to buy new books for our school library.

## End of Term

School closes for the summer holidays on **Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July**. We look forward to welcoming everyone back on **Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September**.

## MK Sapphire Summer Camp

Don't forget Summer Camp will be running from **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> August to Friday 15<sup>th</sup> August**. Activities take place from 10am to 2pm each day and will include sports, arts and crafts, food technology, and forest school sessions, all led by members of our Federation team. Thanks to funding from our Sports and PE Premium, the cost is **just £5 per child, per day**. Please complete the booking form on ParentMail as soon as possible to secure a place.



# MK Sapphire Federation

SCHOOL TERM AND HOLIDAY DATES 2025/2026		
TERM	OPEN	CLOSE
<b>AUTUMN 2025</b>	Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> October
	Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> November	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> December
	<i>Staff Development Day</i>	<i>Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September</i>
	<i>Staff Development Day</i>	<i>Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November</i>
<b>SPRING 2026</b>	Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> January	Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> February
	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> March
	<i>Bank Holiday New Year's Day</i>	<i>Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> January</i>
	<i>Staff Development Day</i>	<i>Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January</i>
<b>SUMMER 2026</b>	Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> April	Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May
	Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July
	<i>Easter Monday</i>	<i>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> April</i>
	<i>Early May Bank Holiday</i>	<i>Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May</i>
	<i>Staff Development Day</i>	<i>Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June</i>
	<i>Staff Development Day</i>	<i>Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July*</i>

\* 3 twilight sessions

SCHOOL TERM AND HOLIDAY DATES 2026/2027		
<b>AUTUMN 2026</b>	Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October
	Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December
	<i>Staff Development Day</i>	<i>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September</i>
	<i>Staff Development Day</i>	<i>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November</i>
<b>SPRING 2027</b>	Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> January	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> February
	Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> February	Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> March
	<i>Bank Holiday New Year's Day</i>	<i>Friday 1<sup>st</sup> January</i>
	<i>Staff Development Day</i>	<i>Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January</i>
<b>SUMMER 2027</b>	Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> April	Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> May
	Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> June	Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July
	<i>Easter Monday</i>	<i>Monday 29<sup>th</sup> March</i>
	<i>Early May Bank Holiday</i>	<i>Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> May</i>
	<i>Staff Development Day</i>	<i>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June</i>
	<i>Staff Development Day</i>	<i>Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July*</i>

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