

Our PE days on a **Thursday**

Children will need to come in PE kit.

Please make sure your child has suitable school kit:

A reminder of Standens Barn PE uniform:

- Black shorts, leggings or tracksuit bottoms.
- Plain white or school logo t-shirt.
- Warm jumper or fleece for cold weather.
- Appropriate trainers.

We are due to be outside for some of our PE lessons so please dress accordingly.

Please also ensure earrings are removed on PE day.

Reading

Please read with your child at least 4 times a week at home.

Every time your child reads their reading book at home please write in their Reading Record Book (date, book title, comment) or draw a smiley face on their Read Write Inc record.

Your child can change their book daily first thing in the morning if they have read it at home once they have finished on Read, Write Inc. Read Write Inc books will be changed on a 3,4 or 5 day cycle depending on what colour they are on.

Each time your child reads at home they will get a red token to put in the class token pot. This is to help encourage them to read at home. Each term the classes aim to beat their previous term's number of reads.

Home support

As well as reading, your children will continue to bring home spellings to learn each week too. These are handed out each Friday in readiness for their quiz the following Friday. Your children's name will be written on the class poster if they get all of them correct. They will also receive 2 smiley faces for correct spellings. Year 2 children are also expected to complete weekly MyMaths homework.

For extra activities to complete at home, please use www.topmarks.co.uk and www.phonicsplay.co.uk

Thank you for your help and support this term.



Standens Barn Primary School

Year 1 & 2

Miss Souter & Miss Neff
Mrs Dobbin & Mrs Mitchell

6th January 2026 - 13th February 2026

Welcome back, we hope everyone has had a wonderful Christmas break! We can not wait to hear all about it!

Our new unit of work is called 'Ship Ahoy!'

We will be learning about pirates. This links to a range of different areas of the curriculum, our main focus this term is Design Technology, History and Science.

We would like to welcome you into school for our **Extravaganza** & to share your child's learning from this term on **Thursday 12th February from 2:15-3:15**. The child will present some of their work in the hall and then you can come back to the classroom for a book look too.