



MK Sapphire Federation Newsletter



September 2026

Welcome Back

We would like to warmly welcome all the new families joining Pepper Hill and Stanton Schools, and welcome back to all our returning families. We hope you have had a relaxing and enjoyable summer. We are pleased to welcome everyone back to Pepper Hill School, which has had some building work completed over the summer, including new ceilings and flooring in the Key Stage 1 classrooms and a fresh new look for our EYFS area. We are also pleased to welcome three new members of staff: Mrs Miah to the teaching team at Stanton School, Mrs Bennett to the admin team as Business Assistant, and Mrs Sarfo to the cleaning team. We are very pleased to have them join our school community and look forward to the year ahead.

'The Power Of' Project

Next week, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, each Year 6 class will have a morning workshop to discover the power of our thoughts, words and actions to become our happiest, confident and empowered selves. This is designed to support mental, emotional and social well-being in an engaging, practical and age-appropriate way.



School Photographer

On **Friday 11th September**, the school photographers will visit both schools to take **individual photos** and **sibling photos**. A proof of each photo will be sent home, along with full details on how to place an order. Please ensure your child comes to school in full uniform and with a big smile!



Extra-Curricular Clubs

Both schools offer a wide range of **free after-school clubs**, starting the week of **14th September**. We do our best to make sure that every child who wants to join a club gets the chance to take part in at least one. This term our clubs will include:

Stanton School

Cross Country, Drama, Dodgeball, Dance, First Aid, Football, Gymnastic and Hockey

Pepper Hill School

Football and Gymnastics, Yoga



Curriculum Newsletters

Our **curriculum newsletters** have been sent out through **ParentMail**. These newsletters explain what your child will be learning this term. If you didn't get one, please ask at the school office for a copy. You can also find the information on the school website.



Summer Camp

Thank you to all the children who joined us at camp this year. We received plenty of positive feedback from both the children and parents who went to our summer camp, which was run and led by our own staff. We plan to run the camps again at Easter and Summer.



Parent's Evening

Our first parent's evening will take place, **on-line** on **Tuesday 13th October from 3:30pm - 7:00pm**. Parents will be able to book an appointment with their child's class teacher to discuss how they have settled in so far this year. Further details will follow shortly.