



Shepton Beauchamp Church School News



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Head's Update...

Dear Parents and Carers,

The weather is getting warmer and it is wonderful being back on the field! As the weather continues to improve, please make sure your child has a hat and water bottle.

Year 6 SATS: Next week is Year 6 SATS which will take place Monday-Thursday. Our Year 6s have been working so hard and we are very proud of them! Please can we ask all children are in before 9am to ensure all staff involved can start SATS on time.

Eco Day

We are looking forward to our Eco Day next Friday. As a school, we will be spending the day exploring how we can be more eco friendly in school and at home. We look forward to welcoming our families at 2pm to learn about what we can do to help our environment and take part in a few activities.

We will be holding a swap shop for good quality uniform and books in the Learning Shed 8:30-9:00 and 2-3:30pm. If you have any good quality uniform or books you wanted to come in and swap, please do!

We have attached a May Half Term activities calendar for your information from the Inclusion Team.

Best wishes,

Kirsy Luffman
Head of School



THIS WEEK'S GALLERY



**Our school
attendance
target is
96%**

**We are at
96.31%**

**Phoenix
Class current
attendance**

**96.95%
-0.20%**

**Gryphon
Class current
attendance**

**96.06%
-0.01%**



Headteacher's Award
Martha D Florence

Friday's Child
Elli Martha W

100% Attendance this week
VIP Raffle Ticket
Winners are...

Mabel	Archie	Martha
Dylan	Stanley B	Amelia
Ruby	Florence	Stirling
Josh	Freddie	Millie
Austin	Martha	Stan P
Jasmine	Sebastian	Daisy

Head of school drop-in sessions every Thursday at 9am.

As I work between both schools, I am mindful that I am not always around for drop-in sessions. Please do contact the office if you would like to meet with me if I am not on site and I will get a meeting booked in as soon as possible.

Friday Family Assemblies

Come and join us every Friday at 2.45pm.

Phoenix Class

Phoenix Class have had a busy and exciting few weeks of learning. The children enjoyed experiencing a live orchestra as they watched the Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra, discovering a variety of interesting instruments. In Geography, we explored erosion and its effects on the coastline through a hands-on sand and water demonstration. In English we been enjoying the story Dinosaurs and All That Rubbish, which shares an important message about looking after our Earth. We have been building on our teamwork skills too, taking part in fun and challenging activities alongside our friends in Gryphon Class.

Gryphon Class

Gryphon class have been busy building their knowledge in Computing, where they have been learning about how the internet works. This week, they focused on the World Wide Web—how it works and the differences between a website and a web page—developing a clearer understanding of how we access information online. In French, the class has successfully completed their "All About Me" unit and have now begun learning about clothes and how to describe what they are wearing. It has been wonderful to see how well they are retaining their language knowledge, along with their curiosity as they explore the similarities and differences between French and English. Gryphon class have been looking at classifying and grouping the plant kingdom. We created a 'living' dichotomous sorting diagram, with yes / no questions to sort the plants. We have looked carefully at the plants and their features. We identified flowering ones, cone bearing ones and ones that produce spores.

Diary Dates

Monday 11th - Thursday 14th - Year 6 SATS week.
Friday 15th May - Eco day. Families are invited in from 2pm to join us. No family Assembly
Monday 18th May - Breakfast and Theme 8:30-9:15am
Monday 25th May - Friday 29th May - Half term
Monday 1st June - First day back
Monday 1st June - Wednesday 3rd June - Gryphon Class Bristol Residential
Monday 8th June - Swimming starts for Gryphon Class
Friday 12th June - INSET Day School closed to pupils
Wednesday 17th June - Year 6 moving up celebration in Taunton (AM)
Thursday 9th July - Sports Day PM
Friday 17th July - Year 6 Leavers assembly 2.30pm
Tuesday 21st July - Children's Picnic PM
Wednesday 22nd July - Last day of term

The school calendar for 25/26 and 26/27 can be found under the Parents Tab, listed as Term Dates. Go to www.sheptonbeauchamp.co.uk/termdates



ECO DAY

FRIDAY 15TH MAY

FAMILIES ARE WARMLY INVITED TO JOIN US
IN SCHOOL FROM 2PM FOR AN AFTERNOON
OF ECO-THEMED ACTIVITIES WITH THE
CHILDREN.



COME TO THE SWAP SHOP!



BRING ALONG ANY UNWANTED
CLOTHING OR BOOKS. THE SWAP
SHOP WILL BE OPEN 8.30AM-9AM
AND AGAIN FROM 2PM.
LOCATION TBC



Week of prayer for children and young people

Join us each day to pray for
children and young people across
our diocese in our churches,
schools and communities.
Download the prayer guide from
our website



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