

A Message from Mrs Smith

Good afternoon

We have had a fantastic week this week at Watermead. We have seen Year 5 visit the Space Museum where they got to learn all about space travel and rockets, our Year 6 children represented the school at 'Santa Dash' and did themselves proud and we have started with our renovations to our Early Years classrooms. We also had a fantastic visit from the Health Eating team where we learned all about a balanced and healthy diet.

We have few hectic weeks coming up so please watch out for further communications and updates.

As always have a great weekend.
Mrs Smith

RSE Consultation

[Please click on the link to review our RSE Consultation for parents and key stakeholders.](#)

Parent Information - Key links

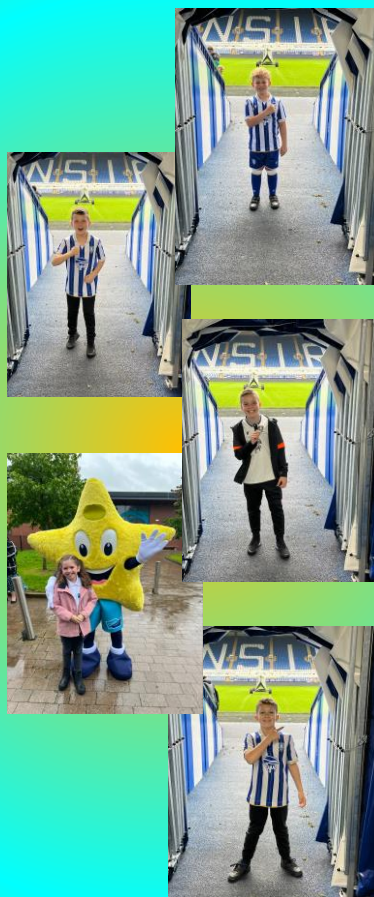
Any queries please contact

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Events calendar

You Said.....

That you thought that the Academy had a lot of litter floating about.

We did.....

We have started weekly litter and leaf picks to try and keep our Academy tidy.

End of term Behaviour Reward

At the end of this term for all children that earn 65+ positive behaviour rewards point we will be taking them to a local cinema - We will be leaving approximately around 9.30am and will be returning for the end of the school day. More information will be shared nearer the time as to what lunch the children would like as we will be providing lunch for all children to have whilst at the cinema. Should you have any questions please speak to our class teacher.

Unfortunately, due to supervision ratio's we will be unable to take our nursery children on this trip but will arrange a different reward for them in the Academy.

Weekly Safeguarding Update

Sheffield Parenting Hub Free Courses this Winter!!

Parents and carers can access a range of groups that offer practical advice and support with parenting. The parenting hub deliver programmes that are evidence based, tried and tested. The content is written by professional psychologists who have conducted years of research into what works to manage behaviours and difficulties that we can all face as parents. Everyone has busy lives and we are all different, so there are different types of groups you can access depending on your needs and at times to suit you.

Please use the link below to search and book any courses you may be interested in...

[Sheffield Parenting What's On Guide Autumn 2019](#)

Please speak to Miss Vickers or Mrs Singleton if you need any further information.

100% Attendance Winners

Well done to :

EYFS/KS1: Merida S 2YS

KS2: Olabamigbe O



We had children with 100% attendance this week - well done everyone!

School uniform

All children are required to be in school uniform daily, except for none school uniform days!

We now have a pre-loved uniform rail based in the school office; uniform will be available to take for any families on a Friday afternoon from 2:30pm and Monday's at 9am for families who are struggling with the cost of living crisis.

All uniform is available to purchase on-line through the pinders website

[Pinders Schoolwear](#)

Cooler weather

As the weather is getting cooler, can you please ensure that your child brings enough warm clothes for the day. Sweatshirts and coats are needed!

Shining a spotlight

Sparkle and Shine Winners

RCH	Theo
RJH	Jax
Y1CF	Rosie
Y1OR	Zainab
Y2YS	Freya
Y2MN	Oliver
Y3KHill	Hasnain
Y3KHi	Defne
Y4TB	Ravindu
Y4AP	Ayesha
Y5EW	Rachel
Y5SW	Faisolat
Y6JW	Summer
Y6LK	David

Class Attendance Winners!

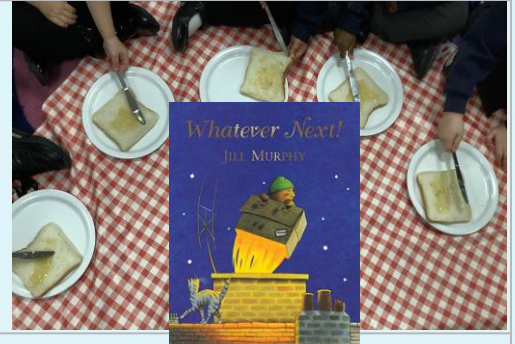
KS 1 - KS 1 - Merida S-B
KS 2 - Olabamigbe OI

Weekly attendance

RCH	88%
RHS	88%
Y1JM	88%
Y1OR	85%
Y2YS	91%
Y2MN	89%
Y3KHill	93%
Y3KHi	87%
Y4TB	86%
Y4AP	90%
Y5EW	94%
Y5SW	94%
Y6JW	86%
Y6LK	89%
Whole school total	89.3

Weekly learning update.....

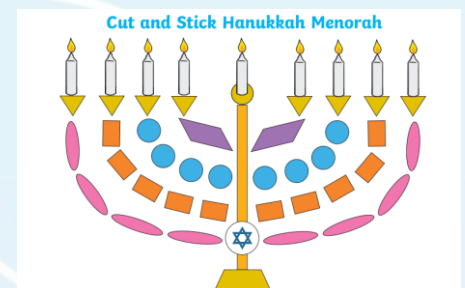
In Nursery this week we have been reading the story 'Whatever Next' We made some yummy honey sandwiches which we ate as we imagined we were having a picnic on the moon. We have enjoyed making telescopes and rockets out of recycled boxes and tubes and we have been singing the song '5 little men in a flying saucer.'



In Reception Crowder this week we have been reading Stickman and discussing different parts of the story. Our favourite part was when Stickman rescues Santa from the chimney. It was so exciting!



In RCH Herries, we have made our own Menorah for Hanukkah. We used our cutting and sticking skills.



In Y1 Piper class this week children have been busy rehearsing their Nativity performance. The children have been working super hard to remember all the songs and dance routines. When we haven't been practicing the Nativity, in English we have been reading 'Man on the Moon' by Simon Bartram. The children have been using adjectives to describe Alien's from the story in our writing – creating brilliant descriptions!



In Y1 Barrie this week, we have been discussing our real life hero's. It has been so lovely to hear all the wonderful things children had to say about their heroes which included their adults at home and in school. We have also started our new Writing topic, Man on the Moon which the children are really enjoying!

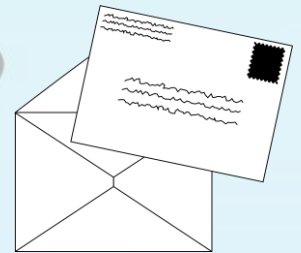


Weekly learning update.....

In Y2 Raisen this week we have been using our skills of inference in reading. We are now reading detectives and can look for clues in the text to answer comprehension questions! We have had an amazing week! Well done everyone!



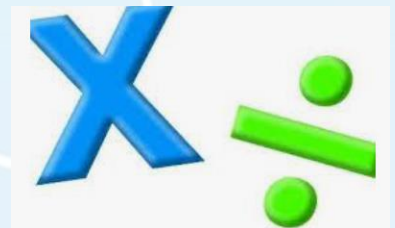
In Year 2 Symons we have been busy writing our letter linked to our key text, Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch. The children have really enjoyed this book, stay tuned to see our final pieces.



Y3 Musgrave have been writing instructions for our very own magic potion based on George's Magic Potion.

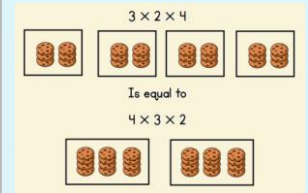


In Year 3 Emerson we have been working hard on multiplication and division. We have been multiplying and dividing by 4 and 8 and problem solving.

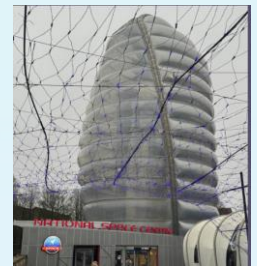


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In year 4 Wordsworth, this week we have been looking at multiplying 3 numbers in one calculation. Everyone has been working so hard and have demonstrated excellent understanding.



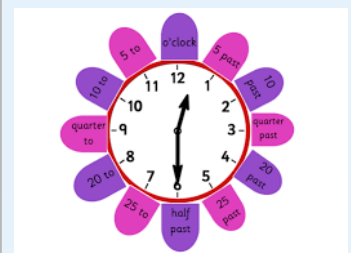
In Year 5EW this week, we had the opportunity to visit the National Space Centre! The children enjoyed exploring and asking lots of questions! We're very proud of them!



In year 5SW this week, we have been on the most amazing adventure to the National Space Centre in Leicester! The children were able to look at a real rocket and a piece of the moon! It was an amazing day and all the children were amazing!



In Y6JW this week we have been writing a persuasive letter to Raheem Sterling discussing the issues of Child Labour and how could help stop this. We have also been learning to tell the time on an analogue clock. Please continue to support with this learning at home.



In Y6LK we have conducted a debate about laws and rules within our society. This was amazing and all the children thoroughly enjoyed this! We have also enjoyed practicing our Christmas concert songs ready for our performance towards the end of the year.

