

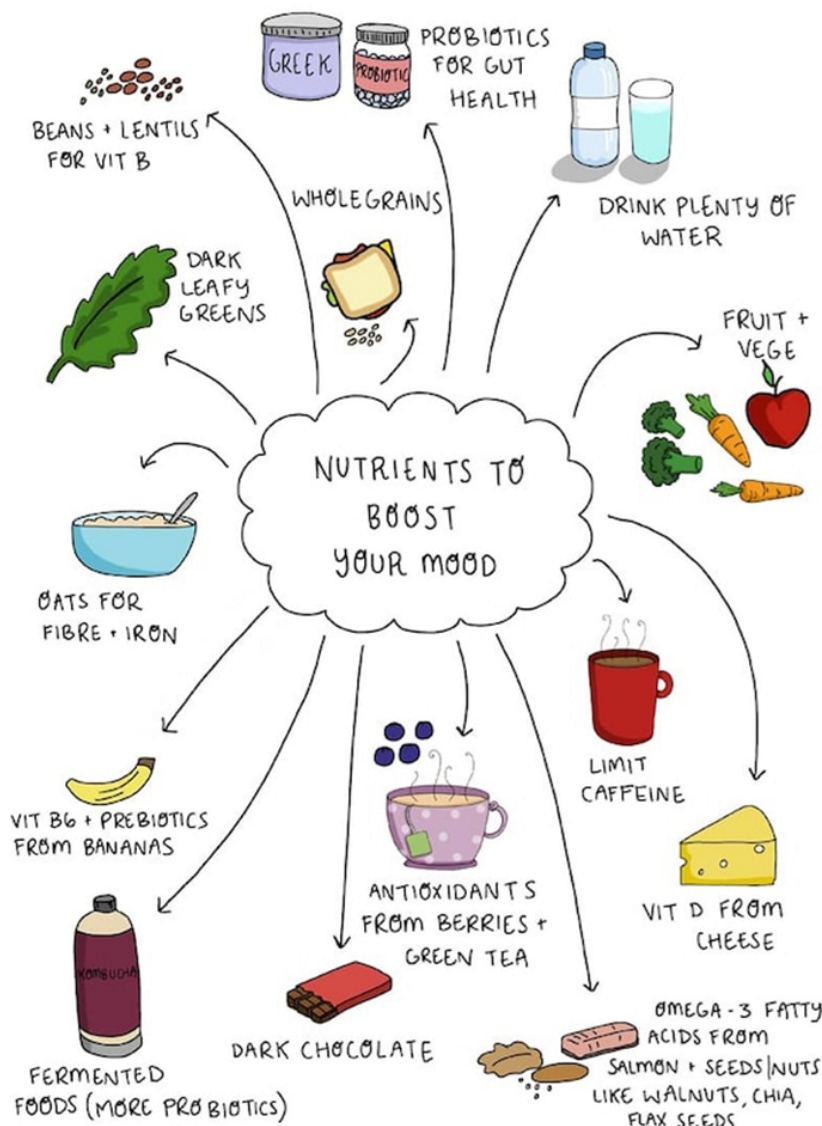


MAY 2025

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MAY

Well-being Tip of the month



Making sure you are eating the right food helps to make not only your body healthy but also your mind.

Good Food





Happy Mood

SAM Award

CLASS	24/4/2025	02/05/2025	09/05/2025	16/05/2025
THEME	PERSEVERANCE	POSITIVE PARTICIPATION	COMPASSION & COMMUNITY	MAKING MISTAKES
RS	<i>Ellie Holland</i>	<i>Daisy Thomas</i>	<i>Millie-Rose Jennings</i>	<i>Dennis Dzafic</i>
RD	<i>Luke Clements</i>	<i>Freya Mackness</i>	<i>Florence Jolly</i>	<i>Faaz Adeshina</i>
IDP	<i>Hudson Barry</i>	<i>Carter Tween</i>	<i>Sartaaj Singh</i>	<i>Maya Jex</i>
IM	<i>Oakley Pritchard</i>	<i>Arif Otunuyi</i>	<i>Freya Pluck</i>	<i>Murewa Osibajo</i>
2M	<i>Nyameate Mahama</i>	<i>Skye Mantis</i>	<i>Ava-Renee Dzah</i>	<i>David Gatman</i>
2T	<i>Evie-Rose Parmenter</i>	<i>Summer Whiter</i>	<i>Evelyn Eaglen</i>	<i>Tommy -Joe Mason</i>
3G	<i>Matei Grigore</i>	<i>Adomas Urbanavicius</i>	<i>Lola Barry</i>	<i>Kye Agnew</i>
3ST	<i>Garv Patel</i>	<i>Tillie-Ann Gold</i>	<i>Sukhmani Kaur</i>	<i>Aria Okochi</i>
4J	<i>Jezzleen Kaure</i>	<i>Daisy Nnjai</i>	<i>Leja Juodokaite</i>	<i>Archie Hillier</i>
4AO	<i>Enida Istufa</i>	<i>Kevin Stefan</i>	<i>Antonia Bejan</i>	<i>Sofiya Mahmood</i>
5B	<i>Lyndsey Njau</i>	<i>Tanisha Birajdar</i>	<i>Hayden White</i>	<i>Renne James</i>
5K	<i>Montell Tetzlaff</i>	<i>Ezra Aselaode</i>	<i>Jayci Trinh</i>	<i>Jack Martin</i>
6C	<i>Aneesa Ibham</i>	<i>Bella Venus</i>	<i>Rosie Raynham</i>	<i>Whole Class Well done</i>
6C	<i>George Eastaugh</i>	<i>Argen Hasrama</i>	<i>Precious Ige</i>	<i>Whole Class Well done</i>

House Points

Below are the weekly House point winners

24/04/25	02/05/25	09/05/25	16/05/25
EMERALD	TOPAZ	RUBY	SAPPHIRE

Class Attendance

	Key Stage 1 Winner	Key Stage 2 Winner	Year Group Of the Week
24/4/25	RD	5B	YEAR 1
02/5/25	2M	6C	YEAR 5
09/5/25	2M	4AO	YEAR 4
16/5/25	2T	6C	YEAR 6

House attendance of the week

The houses with the highest attendance for this month

24/04/25	02/05/25	09/05/25	16/05/25
RUBY	SAPPHIRE	EMERALD	TOPAZ





Polina Pavshi Zacharevskaja

Nisreen Ibrahim

Kitty-Rose Medne-Erneste

Neco Ollard

Elijah Samah

Book Reviews



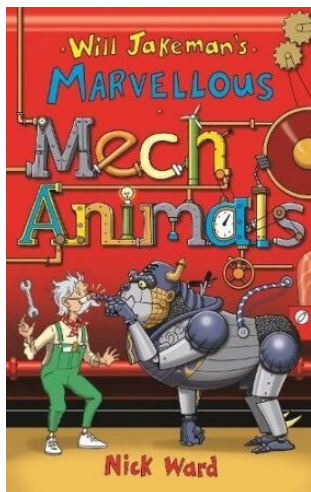
The Book With No Pictures

B.J. Novak

Author: B J Novak

This playful picture book will be certain to grab children's attention - but not for the reasons you might expect. US writer, actor and comedian B J Novak has created this hugely entertaining book, which has no pictures at all, but only cleverly-designed text, boldly presented against a white background.

It's in reading this book aloud that the sheer fun of this book becomes evident. Sharing the book with a child, the adult reader finds themselves suddenly compelled to say all sorts of silly things, and make all sorts of funny noises, all the while pleading with the child listener to allow them to stop. Children will unsurprisingly take huge delight in this simple yet ingenious picture book, which perfectly demonstrates the joy of reading together. Demanding to be shared, this is a fresh and enormously funny book that children will want to hear time and time again.



Author: Nick Ward

Sent away from his home planet as a baby by his inventor mother, Will Jakeman arrives on the planet Urf and is taken in by Eliza and Nat Jakeman, who, as luck would have it, are also inventors.

Growing up in an inventors' workshop means that Will soon starts to create his own gadgets and soon surpasses his mum and dad in terms of skill, creating Steel-Skull, his very own mechanical gorilla to protect him from bullies on the school run.

Please click on the link below to go to our School Book Blog
on our website



[Book Blog | Shaw Primary School](#)



CLASS ASSEMBLY



Year Group Pages | Shaw Primary School

4AO

Year 4 shared their fabulous Science learning from last term when we looked at electricity and circuits. We sang the Electricity song and Key stage 2 loved singing along too!

We also performed a poem about the 7 functions that all living things must do to survive- We used MRS NERG to help us remember- Movement, Reproduction, Sensitivity, Nutrition, Respiration and Growth.

We also demonstrated lots of exercises from our circuit training- particularly looking at our upper body. We did jumping jacks, up and down planks, mountain climbers and more! We were exhausted. But not too tired to sing our 9 times tables song to the tune of George Ezra's Budapest.

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Our website!

Our school website is packed with information – make sure you check it out!

The pupils here at Shaw have action-packed and fun-filled adventures in their learning everyday and we love to share that with their grown ups. You can see the overviews of everything they are learning on our [Curriculum pages](#), photos from their classrooms on the [Year Group pages](#), and information about our amazingly diverse school community on our [Diversity page](#). There is also information about how we promote healthy eating as part of the curriculum, how we as a school are tackling climate change, and a page where we share the talents of our children from home! Additionally, you can find our policies, admission details, and calendar dates. Almost everything you need to know about Shaw, our learning, and our teaching can be found on our website so please feel free to take a look!

Home | Shaw Primary School



FREE School Uniform

free for everyone,
no referral needed!

Events

Fridays 3 - 4.30pm	Saturdays 10 - 11.30am
17th January 21st February 21st March 25th April 23rd May 20th June	18th January 22nd February 22nd March 26th April 24th May 21st June

Community Church Chadwell St Mary
Defoe Parade (enter from Brentwood Road)
RM16 4QR

Save the planet 🌍 and your pennies 💰

Hundreds of items in stock:

- Polo shirts
- Shirts & blouses
- Skirts
- Trousers
- Socks
- Pinafore dresses
- Fancy dress costumes
- Jumpers & cardigans
- Blazers & ties
- PE kit
- Plimsolls
- Black shoes
- Coats
- Bags

Clean, good condition school uniform donations accepted when space allows. Please check our facebook page to see if we are currently collecting. Search facebook for "The 180 Project" or email nicola.lambert@mycommunitychurch.org.uk

An event run by The 180 Project, part of Community Church.
Registered charity no. 1062301.



Speech and language therapy

NELFT NHS
NHS Foundation Trust

Children's
Speech and Language
Therapy Advice Line

0300 300 1818
on Tuesdays and Thursdays 1-3pm

Please call us on Tuesdays and Thursdays 1-3pm if you have been previously known to Speech and Language Therapy and need some advice around speech, language, and communication

SEND/AP
Four Aspirations. One Priority

**ALL THINGS THURROCK SEND:
MONTHLY PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT**

WITH ASSISTANT DIRECTOR FOR EDUCATION AND CHILDREN'S COMMISSIONING
AND PORTFOLIO HOLDER FOR CHILDREN'S SERVICES & EDUCATION

We invite you to join us and share your thoughts on the following topics:

- Your experiences with the Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) service.
- Your insights on inclusion and offer of timely support within the school or educational setting your child / young person attends.
- Your experiences during phase transitions.
- Your experiences related to accessing the local community with your child / young person.

27 FEB, 2025 - 10AM
19 MAR, 2025 - 6PM
28 MAR, 2025 - 10AM
23 APR, 2025 - 6PM
25 APR, 2025 - 10AM
16 MAY, 2025 - 10AM
21 MAY, 2025 - 6PM
18 JUN, 2025 - 10AM
18 JUN, 2025 - 6PM
04 JUL, 2025 - 10AM
16 JUL, 2025, 6PM

RESERVE YOUR SPOT TODAY!

QASEND@thurrock.gov.uk
Thurrock SEND Local Offer

**PATT
ADHD SUPPORT**

For families living with ADHD and neurodiversity

First Wednesday of each month (term time only)
6.30pm—8.30pm

5th February	- Maple Park Community Centre, SS17 0FL
5th March	- Maple Park
2nd April	- PATT Office, RM17 5RZ
7th May	- Maple Park
4th June	- PATT Office
2nd July	- Maple Park
6th August	- Summer Social details to be confirmed

Daytime Sessions 10am—12pm

Friday 17th January	- Tilbury Family Hub
Tuesday 25th February	- Ockendon Family Hub
Wednesday 19th March	- Chadwell Family Hub
Wednesday 23rd April	- Aveley Family Hub
Friday 23rd May	- Tilbury Family Hub
Tuesday 24th June	- Ockendon Family Hub
Wednesday 16th July	- Chadwell Family Hub

For further details of sessions or to check out all things ADHD go to
www.pattadhdsupport.org.uk or
click on the QR code →→→→

[Special Educational Needs | Shaw Primary School](#)



Click on the link below to see the amazing things your child has been doing in class!

[Year Group Pages | Shaw Primary School](#)



We are building our language communities within our school by identifying those children who speak another language and giving them opportunities to spend time with the others who speak it too.

Please have a look at our Language Communities page for lots of fun

[Language Communities](#) | [Shaw Primary School](#)

MOMENTS MATTER, ATTENDANCE COUNTS.

PENALTY NOTICE
for not attending school

A PENALTY NOTICE IS A TYPE OF FINANCIAL PENALTY YOU MUST PAY

From 19 August 2024 you will be issued a Penalty Notice if your child has a total of 10 sessions of unauthorised absence in any period of 10 weeks.

Penalty Notices are issued to each parent, for each child.

This means if Penalty Notices were issued for 3 siblings, they would be issued to both parents – 6 Penalty Notices in total.

Legal proceedings will be taken against you if payment of a Penalty Notice is not made within 28 days.

First offence

First Penalty Notice per parent, per child, you must pay:

- £80 if you pay within 21 days
- £160 if you pay after 21 days but within 28 days

Second offence within 3 years

Second Penalty Notice within 3 years per parent, per child, you must pay:

- £160 within 28 days

Any other offence within 3 years

Legal proceedings will be taken against you if:

- your child has any further unauthorised absences within 3 years

LEGAL PROCEEDINGS COULD LEAD TO A HIGHER FINANCIAL PENALTY AND WILL RESULT IN A CRIMINAL RECORD

thurrock.gov.uk



Our Summer Attendance Challenge begun on Wednesday 23rd April. This will run until the end of term. All children with 100% attendance and in school on time will be awarded with a certificate.



In to Win is our new attendance reward. At the end of each week all the children who have been in school on time for that week will have their names added to the In to Win wheel. During KS2 and KS1 attendance assemblies the wheel will pick a weekly winner who will receive a certificate and have their name added our newsletter.

SHAW VS BENYON

LAST WEEK, WE HOSTED A NETBALL MATCH AGAINST BENYON WHICH WE PLAYED VERY WELL. DESPITE OUR BEST EFFORTS AND 4 GOALS IN THE FINAL QUARTER, THE GAME ENDED 10-8 TO BENYON. WE DISPLAYED GREAT LEVELS OF RESILIENCE, DETERMINATION AND MOST IMPORTANTLY, TEAMWORK. WE WERE INCREDIBLY PROUD OF THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS AND HOW WELL THEY REPRESENTED THEIR SCHOOL.



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SPORTS PERSON AWARD



DATE	KS1	KS2
20.1.25	Faaz Adeshina	Eve Oyesiku
27.1.25	Kian Okochi	Kwasi Agyemang
3.2.25	Evita Naujokaityte	Ajay Johnson
10.2.25	Evelyn Eaglen	Alexander Asani
24.2.25	Freddie Cornish	Megan Murphy
10.3.25	Tillie Stearn	Suzie-Jay Maughan Jones
17.3.25	Flamer Sadriu	Alvin Akomeah
24.3.25	Riley White	Garv Patel
31.3.25	Faith Wilkins	Toby Ireson

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SCHOOL WEBSITE



Our school website is packed full of amazing things:

- SCHOOL DATES
- CONTACT INFORMATION
- CLASS PAGES
- HELP AND SUPPORT SERVICES
- NEWSLETTERS
- SCHOOL LETTERS

And much more...

Why not take a **LOOK!**

www.shawprimaryacademy.co.uk
Home | Shaw Primary School



School Start times:

8.45am

We have had lots of children arriving late for school.

This causes disruption to the class when children arrive late, also needing adults to come away from working with children to collect!!!



Please can we ask parents and carers to help us by ensuring all belongings are labelled clearly with their child's name. When children leave their belongings around the school they can then be returned.

We have lots of unnamed uniform which if not claimed is disposed of.



We currently have some lovely pieces of uniform so before you spend lots of pennies on new uniform we could help you save money.

If there are any items you require please email:

fps0@shawprimary.thurrock.sch.uk





Do you have spare time? Would you like to help out at events at school? Do you want to make a difference? Then why not become a member of Friends of Shaw!!! We run events and raise money for lots of amazing things at Shaw.

Due to low members we are currently unable to arrange any events for our school!!



Why not pop along to our next meeting?

TUESDAY 3RD JUNE

At 2.45pm



FRY'S PAGE



FRY'S WOW WORK WINNERS OF THE MONTH

Lewis Wright

Vienna Morrison

Daisy Thomas

Toby Ireson

Carter Mulraney

Lyndsey 5

Louis Brown



Fry loves a boiled egg (Ms Kimpton brings him them as a treat!) be careful what you feed your dogs though , see below a list of foods that are not dog friendly

Fruit And Veg For Dogs



UNSAFE



Grapes



Raisins & Sultanas



Leeks



Onions



Garlic

SAFE



Broccoli



Carrots



Brussel sprouts



Peas



Sweetcorn*



Celery



Green Beans



Pears*



Apples*



Cranberries



Bananas



Blueberries



Pineapple*



Nectarine*



Orange*



Watermelon*



Strawberries



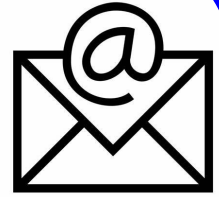
Mango*

*stones, pips, cores, cobs, and/or skin may need removal

For more information visit our Pet Health Hub: www.pdsa.org.uk/phh



Reporting an Absence



If your child is absent from school for any reason you must notify the school, by phone, email (fpso@shawprimary.thurrock.sch.uk) or in person on the first day of absence.

We have a dedicated absence line this has a 24hr answer machine

(01708 852367 -Option 1).

Please click the link below for guidance on



Is my child too ill for school?



It can be tricky deciding whether or not to keep your child off school, nursery or play-group when they're unwell.

There are government guidelines for schools and nurseries about [managing specific infectious diseases at GOV.UK](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/managing-specific-infectious-diseases). These say when children should be kept off school and when they shouldn't. If you do keep your child at home, it's important to phone the school or nursery on the first day. Let them know that your child won't be in and give them the reason. If your child is well enough to go to school but has an infection that could be passed on, such as a cold sore or head lice, let their teacher know.

[Is my child too ill for school? | Shaw Primary School](#)

**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

REMINDER

If you need a message to be passed on to your child's teacher or to inform the school of anything else. Please remember to complete an orange slip and post in the message box this will then be actioned.

Oranges slips are in the school office

Shaw Primary Academy - Message/Request		
To.....	Date.....	Time.....
Contact name & number.....		
Parent of.....	Class.....	
Message: 		

Essex Fire Museum Open Days

2025



Sunday 25th & Tuesday 27th May
10:30AM To 4:00PM
Fire Station, Hogg Lane, Grays
RM17 5QS

Book Now



Museum@essex-fire.gov.uk

MAY CAMP

2025

Camp Sites & Dates

Basildon: Lincwood Primary School (29.05-30.05)
Canvey: CSC Centre (27.05-30.05)
Thurrock: Woodside Primary School (27.05-30.05)

Activities

Looking for something epic for the kids this May half term? We've got you covered!

Join us for high-energy action at either of our 3 camps! Each day is packed full with sports including Soccer School and Gymnastics Workshop PLUS the biggest selection of arts & crafts!

Details

9am-4pm
*8am early drop off available
Year groups 1-6
*We do not allow Reception children
Lunch included!

Book Here!

THURROCK

May Half-Term

27.05.25

Sports

Soccer School
Multisports
Group Games

Arts & Crafts

Rock Painting
Water Bottle Rockets
Mask Making
Key Ring Making

28.05.25

Sports

Soccer School
Group Games

Arts & Crafts

Blow Painting
Galaxy Art
Tissue Paper Flowers
Playdough Making

Book Here!

THURROCK

May Half-Term

29.05.25

Sports

Pool Party
Group Games

Arts & Crafts

Paper Plate Jellyfish
Making Pom Poms
Potato Printing
Pasta Necklace

30.05.25

Sports

Wet N Wild
Hockey
Dodgeball

Arts & Crafts

Water Bottle Lava Lamps
Pool Noodle Monster
Pancakes!
Sponge Painting

Book Here!



7:30am to 8:40am (By evidence-based written request ONLY – Places to be agreed by Headteacher)

Cost: £3.00 per pupil

Food options: Toast, cereal and yoghurt.

Booking: by midnight on the evening before attendance.

7:45am to 8:40am

Cost: £2.50 per pupil

Food options: Toast, cereal and yoghurt.

Booking: by midnight on the evening before attendance.

8:10am to 8:40am

Cost: FREE

Food options: Cereal and yoghurt.

Booking: by midnight **1 school week** before attendance.

All menus include a drink of milk or water and children may choose two food items for their breakfast. We are currently looking into adding fruit to all menus and will update you once we have found an appropriate provider.



schoolmoney

Please REMEMBER to book your child's lunch.

You must pay, if applicable, when ordering.

We will not be taking cash/cheques in school except in exceptional circumstances.

The link you need to go online, set up and use your account is:

Edsp.co/sm-login



You can now book you child's school dinner online up to midnight the night before.

Packed lunches **do not** need to be booked online.



Breakfast Club must also be booked and paid for online.

If you are having any problems with your account, please contact the school office.

School dinners are £2.40

**HAVE A GREAT
HALF TERM!**



**SEE YOU BACK AT
SCHOOL**

**Monday 2nd June
2025**