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## Primary Academy



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## Well-being Tip of the month June

### I CAN'T CONTROL...

SPENDING ALL YOUR ENERGY HERE  
LEAVES YOU FEELING... HELPLESS, ANXIOUS,  
DISEMPOWERED, FRUSTRATED & DOWN.

@journey-to-wellness\_



- OTHER PEOPLE'S THOUGHTS, ACTIONS, OPINIONS, WORDS OR FEELINGS.
- OTHER PEOPLE'S BELIEFS, WORK ETHIC, MOTIVATION
- ILLNESS, THE WEATHER, WORK, BILLS, THE PAST

### I CAN CONTROL...

SPENDING MOST OF YOUR ENERGY  
HERE LEAVES YOU FEELING... HOPEFUL,  
EMPOWERED, IN CONTROL & POSITIVE.



- YOUR BELIEFS, WORDS, ACTIONS, ATTITUDE & REACTIONS
- HOW KIND YOU ARE TO YOURSELF & OTHERS
- YOUR FRIENDS, HOW YOU SPEND YOUR TIME, YOUR EFFORT

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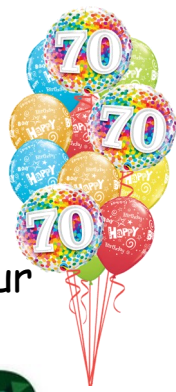
# SAM Award

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CLASS	20/5/2024	3/6/2024	10/6/2024	17/6/2024
THEME	MAKING MEMORIES	RESOURCEFULNESS	GOOD AT SOMETHING	HONOUR AND RESPECT
NURS	Maryam Hassan	Nia Blankson Clementino Rodrigues	Archie Snyder	All of nursery
RS	Bethel Ayahson	Ava Hisscott	Whole class RS	Ivo Badev
RD	Arif Otunyi	Shahrin Zahir	Olive Barlow	Konaelle Opoku-Mensah
IDL	Yanis Rosu	Evie-Rose Parmenter	Adam Dzafic	Amelia Wright
IT	Nedas Juodokas	Sofia Alli	Carter Hall	All 1T
2M	Adomas Urbanavicius	Andy Li	Remeil Akomeah	Oliver Hartgen
2MD	Macey Turner	Evelyn Kaleda	Klaudia Krzewicka	Gabriel Ivan
3C	Jack Fairman	Toni Juttner	Dennis Morosanu	Stephanie Slitpi-Mensah
3SO	Teddy Gould	Leja Juodokaite	Elijus Naujokaitis	Eve Oyesiku
4B	Montell Tetzlaff	Alvin Akomeah	Jude Kanai	Kitty-Rose Medne-Erneste
4AT	Morgan Cuthbert and Mia Tebbett	Riley Farrell	Amber Shufflebottom	Violetta Dodson Stadija
5J	Reuban Turner	Beatrice Parasuic	James McShane	Bogdan Melnic
5K	Ajana Sadiku	George Eastaugh	Karmen Mikševicz-Shea	Tiwadara Komolafe
6C	Logan Said	Bonnie Eaglen	Lacie Ward-Attwood	James Ardeleanu
6C	Nyameso Mahama	Deborah Titilola	Elizabeth Oyesiku	Nicholas Tran



# House Points



Below are the weekly standings for our weekly house point competition. Winning teams are highlighted in their team colour

	20/5/24	3/6/24	10/6/24	17/6/24	21/6/24
<i>Ruby</i>	695	882	923	636	636
<i>Sapphire</i>	869	884	952	743	714
<i>Emerald</i>	689	1012	873	708	704
<i>Topaz</i>	759	995	901	715	749



## Class Attendance

	Key Stage 1 Winner	%	Key Stage 2 Winner	%	Whole School Percentage
24/5/24	RD	98.7%	5K	97.3%	95.7%
7/6/24	2M	97.9%	3G	99%	99%
14/6/24	2M	98.6%	6C	97.9%	95%
21/6/24	2M	98.9%	6G	98%	97.3%



<b>KS1</b>	Amarah Rhule-Sawyer Lochlan Elson	Alexis Mae Dzah
<b>KS2</b>	Dilpreet Kaur Henley Cooper	Beatrice Parasiuc Montell Telzlaff



*Congratulations!*

# HOUSE ATTENDANCE OF THE WEEK

*The houses with the highest attendance for this month*

	24/5/24	7/6/24	14/6/24	21/6/24
<b>RUBY</b>	90.4%	87.2%	93.8%	88.7%
<b>SAPPHIRE</b>	90.9%	87.8%	92.5%	91.5%
<b>EMERALD</b>	95.4%	91.1%	91.6%	91.8%
<b>TOPAZ</b>	92.6%	91.7%	86.5%	87.9%



## SPORTSPERSON AWARD



	3/6/2024	24/6/2024
<b>EYFS - KS1</b>	<b>Megan Keating</b>	<b>Jake Thomas</b>
<b>KS2</b>	<b>Dylan Parmenter</b>	<b>Ivy Rae Brookman Gold</b>



*Well done!*





# 70 Book Reviews 70



## The Reader Teacher

Reads, Reviews & Recommendations!



Check out the Book Teacher.com for June book reviews below are just a few of the amazing books recommended

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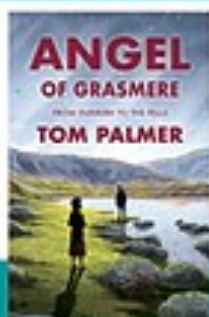
### #BOOKMATCH

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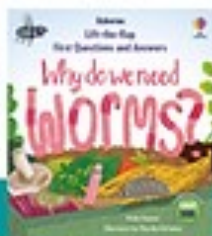


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Angel of Grasmere  
by Tom Palmer



First Questions & Answers: Why do we need worms?  
by Katie Daynes and Moesha Kellaway



Nush and the Stolen Emerald  
by Jasbinder Bilan



Our Wild Garden  
by Daniel Seton and Pieter Fannes



The Bravest Word  
by Kate Foster

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# Language of the Half-Term

As you know we have been celebrating Swahili over this term with a focus on it being an official language of Kenya, however did you know it is a widely spoken across Africa and beyond? With more than 14 other countries claiming it as an official or national language. For example it is spoken in **Tanzania, Uganda, The Democratic Republic of Congo and the Comoros Islands** etc. as well as **The Republic of Yemen and Oman** in Asia

First words in Swahili	
English	Swahili
Welcome	Karibu
Hello	Habari
Goodbye	Kwaheri
Good morning	Habari ya asubuhi
Good afternoon	Habari ya mchana
Thank you	Asante
Sorry	Pole
Please	Tafadhali
Yes	Ndio
No	Hapana
Come here	Njoo hapa
Well done	Vizuri sana

SWAHILI NUMBERS	
1 - Moja	6 - Sita
2 - Mbili	7- Saba
3-Tatu	8 - Nane
4 - Nne	9 - Tisa
5- Tano	10 - Kumi







## Shaw Primary 70<sup>th</sup> Birthday celebrations

As you are aware, this year marks the 70th birthday of our school. Throughout the week, children and staff participated in a number of activities and events to celebrate the occasion. Children decorated their classrooms, researched the music, fashion and life-style of the different decades from 1950 to 2030 and this was displayed in school outside the main office. On Wednesday, the school was turned into a brilliant show of fashion through the decades. We saw some fabulous outfits from flares to shell suits – resulting in a delightful display! On Thursday we took part in a whole school photograph – EVERYONE smiled and were fabulous, more details to follow on how to purchase a copy. Then on Friday we finished the week with Shaw's 70<sup>th</sup> Birthday Picnic Fun Fest; we enjoyed music, dancing and party games and were treated to a little snack. Of course, with all birthdays, presents were given to all children to mark this very special occasion. Your child will have come home with them today. Thank you to everyone for taking part. What an outstanding week we had!



# Some of the amazing things we 70 have done this month 70

On Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June, Jeff Rich, the drummer from Status Quo, joined us to teach the children about the history of drums and how they have changed over time. The children joined him to play a range of drums including a djembe drum and a talking drum. The children enjoyed learning how to change the pitch of the drum. At the end of the session, the children all got to play percussion instruments along side Jeff as he played his drum kit. A wonderful time was had by all.



Key stage two enjoyed an amazing day courtesy of Past Productions who visited our school to run Ancient Greek workshops. The day started with a fantastic play which took us on a whirlwind tour of Greek myths. We loved the audience participation, laughed lots and learned more. The rest of the day consisted of workshops focusing on a different aspect of Ancient Greeks. We created plate designs, wrote our own myths, created some short scenes in drama and took part in Olympic events.

On Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June we were visited by the Astronomy Roadshow. Over the course of the day, we all got to enter the giant dome which filled most of the KS1 hall. Inside we were treated to a show about space and our solar system. Year 5 were able to impress our visitor with their fantastic space knowledge thanks to their science topic on space this year. Some of us got to find out about nocturnal sounds/animals, the Greek constellations and what our solar system looks like. We were really impressed with the way the lights moved and made us feel like we were travelling through space.



KS1 had a very exciting trip to Chelmsford museum recently! After an introduction to the museum from the very helpful museum staff we were split into our classes to take part in some exciting activities. One of the activities, led by the museum staff, introduced us to a range of toys from the Victorian times. She demonstrated how they worked and got some volunteers up to have a go. We then got a chance to explore some replicas of the original Victorian toys. Our second activity was a museum trail. We got to explore all the different rooms of the museum on the hunt for some specific items that the original Victorian owners of the museum had lost. We had a great time and lots of children have said they want to take their parents back to the museum in the summer holidays! Well done KS1!



On 12<sup>th</sup> June, we had a visit from a company called "Niteowls". All the children had a wonderful experience meeting 7 different owls, finding out more about these incredible creatures and watching them fly over their heads! An excellent and informative presentation, which instilled the importance of looking after the environment. The display was thoroughly enjoyed by pupils and staff alike.





## Parental Survey Prize Draw

**winners are:**

KS1—Klaudia Krzewicka

KS2 Mitchell Callaghan



## SUMMER



### Attendance Challenge

Our Summer Attendance Challenge started when we came back from our Easter Break.

If your child is in school on time every day for the whole of the summer term they will be awarded a certificate and little prize for this amazing achievement!



"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.

# 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](http://www.shawprimaryacademy.co.uk)



School Start times:

**IN CLASS FOR 8.40AM**

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](mailto:fps0@shawprimary.thurrock.sch.uk)





# CLASS ASSEMBLY



## RECEPTION

In Reception we recently had our class assembly where we had the chance to share all of our amazing learning this term. We talked about how we are reading stories from all around the world. The children were even able to retell the story of The Three Little Pigs. We shared our knowledge of doubling and were able to recall our doubling facts. We have also been learning about life cycles and we showed pictures of our lifecycles of a butterfly along with some beautiful butterfly pictures. We did so well in our class assembly! We have learnt so much in Reception and we have had so much fun!

## YEAR 1

This week Year 1 got together to share some of their learning from this term! How we have built upon our reception learning and what we are excited for next year. We recited our numbers in 2's, 5's and 10's, sang our favourite song about the parts of the plants and shared some of the Victorian toys we have looked at throughout our topic, we also spoke in 8 different languages!!!

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In Y 3 in Math's we are currently learning about statistics and how to present our data.

In English we have been looking into non-chronological order instructions for video games using direct speech features.

In Science we are learning about plants and pollinators. Why are they important? What's inside the flower?

In DT we are going to bake our own bread.

History is about Ancient Greece, the lifestyle, habits, food and more.







# FRY'S PAGE



Fry has had lots of fun this week celebrating our 70th anniversary. He dressed up on Wednesday but due to the heat he couldn't wear his outfit for long. Remember it is very important to keep your pets cool when it is hot outside.





## HOT WEATHER SAFETY TIPS FOR PET OWNERS





### TIP 1: PROVIDE LOTS OF WATER

Give your pets plenty of fresh, clean water.



### TIP 3: BRING PETS INSIDE

Avoid extreme heat and heat related illnesses like heat stroke and heat exhaustion by bringing pets indoors.



### TIP 2: EXERCISE DURING COOLER TEMPERATURES

Don't exercise your pets in high temperatures or when the pavement is hot.



### TIP 4: NEVER LEAVE A PET IN A PARKED CAR

Never leave a pet in a parked car, even for a short time. On a mild 80-degree day, the temperature inside a car can reach 100 degrees in less than 10 minutes and can be fatal.



# Absence Line



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

We have a dedicated absence line which opens from 8am (**01708 852367 -Option 1**) If you call before this time, you can leave a message.



**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](https://Edsp.co/sm-login)**

You can now book your 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 £2.30



Breakfast club is open Monday to Friday from **7.45am** to **8.50am** in term time only.

Children should arrive no earlier than **7.45am** and no later than 8.20am as no breakfast will be served after this time.

Breakfast Club will be situated in the Junior Hall.

The club is open to children attending Shaw in Reception to Year 6.

A selection of activities and games, suitable for a range of ages and interests, will be offered after children have eaten.

Children will be escorted to their classes at 8.40 by a member of staff.

Breakfast club places need to be booked and paid for via the school money website. £2 per day.

Children may attend for the full week or on chosen days.





# UPCOMING CHANGES FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION REGARDING ATTENDANCE

## **PENALTY NOTICE** for not attending school

**MOMENTS  
MATTER,  
ATTENDANCE  
COUNTS.**

### **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**





SUMMER HOLIDAYS

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## Premier Camps Near You

### Summer Multi Activity Camps

25th July - 30th August 2024

Sacred Heart of Mary's - Upminster 9am - 4pm

St Mary's Primary School - Hornchurch 9am - 3pm



Our 5\* Holiday Camps are the perfect place to keep your children entertained over the Summer holidays.

Our camps are a fantastic place for children to meet new friends, have lots of fun, and create wonderful memories!

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Suitable clothing  
Loads of energy!

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