



Message from the Headteacher

It has been a busy and rewarding week at school, where the children have shown their hard work, resilience, and enthusiasm in so many ways.

On Monday, we held our Celebration Assembly, where we recognised all the wonderful achievements across the school. We also spoke about the importance of good attendance and how it links strongly to future success. Being in school every day helps children develop important skills such as confidence, resilience, and social skills, as well as supporting their learning. Of course, we understand that sometimes absence can't be helped, but we always encourage children to be in school whenever possible so they can make the most of everything on offer and don't miss important parts of the learning. We also highlighted how times tables are essential for fluency in maths, giving children the confidence to tackle more complex problems with ease.

Throughout the week, we enjoyed phase singing assemblies. Today, Mrs Thorlby led a special assembly to celebrate National Storytelling Week. She introduced the children to Nigerian author Tola Okogwu, whose stories are inspired by her British-Nigerian heritage and explore themes of identity, culture, and belonging. She then read the much-loved classic "Where the Wild Things Are" by Maurice Sendak, linking beautifully to this year's theme: Reimagine Your World.

A real highlight of the week was the Year 3 performance of "Supers" on Wednesday. This year, it was a little different - the children played a bigger role in shaping the play's script, plot, and main characters, allowing their creativity to really come through. It was wonderful to see their ideas come to life on stage, delivering powerful messages and demonstrating a real sense of togetherness. The children loved performing in front of an audience, and we were so proud of them! A huge thank you to our Year 3 teaching team for their dedication and to all parents and carers for your support - your presence made the experience even more special for the children.

For those attending the Ceilidh this evening, we hope you have a fantastic time! A huge thank you on behalf of the school for all your contributions to the event - your support makes such a difference. A special thank you goes to Amy and the PTA for all their hard work in organising what promises to be a brilliant evening.

Key Dates

11th February	Parents'/Carers' Evenings 3.50pm - 6pm
12th February	Parents'/Carers' Evenings 3.50pm - 7.00pm
13th February	Y5 Bake Sale
13th February	Panathlon Event Concord Leisure Centre
14th February	Pupils break up at 3.35pm for half term holiday
24th February	School re-opens to pupils
24th February	Swimming lessons begin for IR pupils
24th and 25th February	Y5 SEND Reviews
25th February	Y6 SATs Workshop 5:30pm
25th February	Y4 Aqua Fest
25th February - 4th March	Book Fair in School
26th February	Orchestra visit - Chitty Chitty Bang Bang
27th/28th February	Y4 SEND Reviews
1st March	Cross Country Race 8 Graves Park
6th March	World Book Day
7th March	Y3 Halle Orchestra visit
11th March	Y3PW/Y3MC visit to Weston Park Museum
	Future Dates are available on the school calendar

This Week's Awards



TIMES TABLES
ROCK STARS

Y3PW	Alfie
Y4TH	Ethan
Y4NH	Ben
Y4JH	Noah
Y5JE	Bob
Y5KB	Teddy
Y5KL	Jacob

House Points	
Steel	193
Cutlers	189
Originals	197
Peaks	210



Special Mentions

Y3BB - Victoria	Y5JE - Eva
Y5KB - Alice	Y5KL - Joe
Y3PW - Morayo	Y6OS - Charlotte/Maxi
y4TH - Ethan	Y6JC - Belle
Y4NH - Matilda/Timotei	
Y4JH - Freya	

Focus Value - Respect

Our pupils will be encouraged to:

- Be polite and well-mannered
- Value yourself and others
- Be respectful, tolerant and caring
- Respect our school and its environment
- Have mutual respect and tolerance for all, including those with different faiths and beliefs.

Attendance

Please ensure that your child is on time for school. Children can be brought into the yard from 8:40 am. Learning in school starts at 8:50 am.

Our attendance this week was 96.6%



RESPECT

Attendance Winners

Congratulations to:

Y4TH and Y5KB

Every week, we will highlight the class in each key phase with the highest attendance.

Lunch Menu - w/b 10th February

Nether Green Juniors

Autumn / Winter 2024/2025 - Week Two

Dates: 16th Sep, 7th Oct, 28th Oct, 18th Nov, 9th Dec, 30th Dec, 20th Jan, 10th Feb, 3rd Mar, 24th Mar, 14th Apr



Fresh Bread, Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt

WEEK TWO	GREEN EARTH MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Main Option	Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Tomato Pasta Salad	Red Tractor Pork Sausage with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	Gammon with Yorkshire Pudding & Roast Potatoes	Garlic & Tomato Chicken Pasta Spirals	MSC Fish Fingers & Chips
Vegetarian Option	Potato, Spinach & Cheese Toasted Wrap	Plant Based Sausage with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	Mediterranean Vegetable Tart Served with Roast Potatoes	Garlic & Tomato Vegetable Pasta Bake	Vegie Sausage & Chips
Street Food		Turkish Lamb Grill 50/50 Rice & Skin on Wedges		Beany Vegetable Wrap With a side of Sunny Vegetable Rice	
Vegetables	Baked Beans or British Red Tractor Garden Peas	Broccoli/Cauliflower & Carrots	Country Mixed Veg & Sweetcorn	Broccoli/Cauliflower & Carrots	Baked Beans, British Red Tractor Garden Peas
Baked Jacket Potatoes	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise or Cheese or Beans
Homemade Dessert	Apple & Sultana Crumble Bar with Custard	Iced Carrot Cake & Orange Slices	Chocolate Shortbread/Pina wheels with Chocolate Sauce	Toffee Cream Tart	Chocolate Oaty Slice

Portion sizes are based on a child's weight. Our desserts meet Public Health England's target for 'free sugar' intake for your child. Recommended fruit and vegetable portion sizes are calculated using School Food Standards. On average our desserts do not exceed a third of a child's recommended 'free sugar' intake.

Community Notices

WE'RE HIRING!

Nether Green Junior Breakfast & After School Club

Deputy Manager, 16.5 hours
Term Time Only

- Mon-Fri 3pm-6pm, + 1.5hours admin.
- Qualification in childcare or equivalent (Level 3)
- Subject to Enhanced DBS check.
- Permanent post.

Job Purpose: To lead the day to day running and organisation of the club in line with our policies and procedures -full training will be given.

For more information call:
07944253118 or to Apply:
Email your CV and Cover
Letter to ngjasc@gmail.com

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King Edward VII School



Headteacher's Drop-In Meeting

Tuesday 25 February 2025

8.50am - 9.30am

The Pod, Westways Primary School, Mona Avenue, Sheffield, S10 1NE

All students and their families are welcome

Come along to meet our Headteacher, Linda Gooden. Ask a question, share information, raise an issue, offer your support or just pop in to say, 'Hello.' Linda is looking forward to meeting as many people as possible.

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Extra curricular clubs —Spring term 2

Here are the extra curricular clubs happening after the half term holiday (Spring term 2). Further information will be sent out early next week.

SECOND HALF TERM – FEB/MARCH	LUNCH	Boys Football Y3 – 4	ORCHESTRA (Instrumentalists only)	Tennis Club (fully booked) AJW Coaching Y3 – 4	Handball Y5	Badminton Club (fully booked) AJW Coaching Y5 – 6
		CHOIR	Dance Club Y3 – 6			Guitar Band
AFTER SCHOOL		Gymnastics Club Sheffield Gymnastics Club Y3 – 6 (3.45 – 4.35pm)	Flag Football (invite only) Y6 (3.40 – 4.30pm) Forest School Y5 – 6 Fit Kids (3.35 – 5.05pm)	Karate Club Elite Karate Y3 – 6 (3.45 – 4.45pm)	Knitting Club Y6 (3.40 – 4.30pm) Y3MC Classroom	Art Club Y5 – 6 (3.40 – 4.30pm) Y3MC Classroom
		Girls Football Y5 – 6 (3.40 – 4.30pm)	SoccerEds Y3 – 6 (3.45 – 4.45pm)		Netball Y3/4 (3.40 – 4.30pm)	
			French Club Y3 – 6 Le Club Français (3.45 – 4.45pm)	Forest School Fit Kids Y3 – 4 (3.35 – 5.05pm)		

The clubs highlighted in red are run by teaching staff free of charge. All other clubs are run by external providers for which there is a charge – details below.

Art Club Y5/6	This club will go LIVE for booking on ParentPay at 8.00pm on Thursday 13th February. (There is no charge for this club)
Badminton Club (AJW Coaching)	This club is now fully booked for this term.
Football (Y5 Girls)	This club will go LIVE for booking on ParentPay at 8.00pm on Thursday 13th February. (There is no charge for this club)
Forest School (FitKids)	Please contact Forest Skills for further details: fitkidssheffield@gmail.com
French Club (Le Club Français)	Please contact Le Club Français for further details: vessex.lcf@gmail.com
Gymnastics Club (Sheffield Gymnastics School)	Please contact Sheffield Gymnastics School for further details: sheffgym@hotmail.co.uk
Karate Club (Elite Karate)	Please contact Elite Karate for further details: steve@elite-karate.co.uk
Knitting Club Y6	This club will go LIVE for booking on ParentPay at 8.00pm on Thursday 13th February. (There is no charge for this club)
Netball Y3/4	This club will go LIVE for booking on ParentPay at 8.00pm on Thursday 13th February. (There is no charge for this club)
SoccerEds	Please visit https://www.theevoway.co.uk/soccereds for further details
Tennis (AJW Coaching)	This club is now fully booked for this term.

Lunchtime Clubs (run by teaching staff):

Further Information will be handed out in Assembly at the beginning of next half term (February 2025).