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HOUSEHOLD SUPPORT FUND

The Household Support Fund continues to be available to support those

households most in need.

Support can be accessed by:

[Application submitted directly by the family](#)

Families will only be able to make an application during the following days and times:

- 9am on Wednesday 29 October 2025

A Big Thank You to ASDA!

We're incredibly grateful to ASDA for generously donating toothbrushes and toothpaste to our school! These essential supplies will help us promote the importance of good oral hygiene and dental care among our pupils. Teaching children healthy habits early on, like brushing their teeth regularly, not only supports their overall well-being but also lays the foundation for lifelong dental health. A special thank you to our Year 3 children for proudly modelling the resources — great smiles all around!



SEASONAL FLU IMMUNISATION

The seasonal flu immunisation will take place at our school on **Wednesday 29th October**. The immunisation service is changing the way they ask for vaccination consents. **The SAIS team will now contact parents directly to request consent for vaccinations, instead of information being sent via school.**

This new approach will make it quicker and easier for parents to give or refuse consent for vaccinations. A letter with details has been emailed to all parents.

YEAR 6 SECONDARY SCHOOL APPLICATIONS

The online application process for secondary school places opened on Monday, 1st September. Please note that application letters for Year 6 parents have been delayed in the post but should be arriving shortly.

In the meantime, if you wish to apply without the letter, you can do so online by visiting the following link: [Apply for a school place - Self](#)

If any parents /carers would like assistance with applying for their child's secondary school, a member of staff from 'Choice Advice Services' will be in school to help with the applications on **Monday 6th October from 8.30am-9.30am**. You do **not** have to wait for this session if you know how to apply online.

Please note that the **closing date** for secondary school applications is **31st October 2025**.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Children will be having their individual school photos taken on **Wednesday 24th September**.



If any parents would like photos taken with siblings please come along between 8.30am-9am.



HEAD LICE ALERT!

Please check your child's hair tonight! To check for and treat head lice, use a fine-toothed comb on wet, conditioned hair. Combing in sections from scalp to ends allows you to find live lice, which confirms an infestation. Treat the infestation by wet combing every few days for about two weeks to catch newly hatched lice. Treat all affected family members. While lice are unlikely to spread from objects, you can wash bedding and clothing in hot water, or seal non-washable items in a bag for two weeks.

For further information and guidance, please visit the NHS website by following this link: <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/head-lice-and-nits/>

SJS AUTUMN DISCO

WEDNESDAY 29TH OCTOBER - 6.00PM TO 7.30PM

TICKETS: £4.00 EACH—ON SALE FROM 13TH OCTOBER 2025

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WEEKLY AWARDS AND ATTENDANCE

CLASS ATTENDANCE

3J: 100%

3T: 94.0%

4K: 98.7%

4W: 97.3%

5G: 99.0%

5P: 92.3%

6P: 97.3%

6S: 98.3%

Overall Attendance from
28.08.25 - 12.09.25:
96.6%

WOW AWARDS

3T: Krishna

3J: Isaac

4K: Blessed

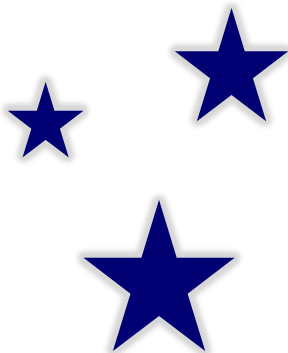
4W: Ivaniah

5G: Komail

5P: Ridhika

6P: Ezeldin

6S: Nana Akua



TOP ATTENDANCE: 3J 100%

PUNCTUALITY: 3T

LUNCHTIME: 6P

HOUSE POINTS

1st: Ridley 270

2nd: Latimer 253

3rd: Cranmer 251

3rd: Tyndale 243

WEEKLY HEADTEACHER AWARDS

Every week, two pupils from a year group are chosen for an outstanding piece of work. This is our celebration of their efforts. WELL DONE!



5P—Lena

For her calm presence, positive attitude and increasing confidence in the classroom.

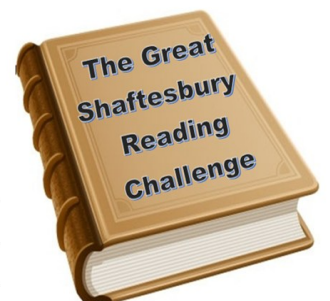


5G— Luca for improving his concentration and demonstrating great enthusiasm for learning.

WE ❤️ LUNCHTIMES

- Zion 5P: Respect
- Lindon 5G: Perseverance
- Jasmine 5P: Self-motivation
- Yusuf 3T: Care
- Tanay 4W: Curiosity
- Haifa 6P: Kindness
- Theo 6S: Self-regulation

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