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CHARACTER VALUE OF THE WEEK: SELF-EVALUATION

"Without proper self-evaluation, failure is inevitable." - John Wooden

YEAR 6 SATs

Well done Year 6 for the hard work, SATs are finally over!
We are all very proud of you!



TREE ART COMPETITION

After receiving 150 entries across all of Leicester (SJS contributing a whopping 40!), Leicester City Council have announced the winners of their

Climate Ready – Tree Art Competition!
Congratulations to:

Evelina (Year 3) for coming in 2nd overall and Ariana (Year 3) as one of their runners up. Additionally, Chloe (Year 3) and Scarlett (Year 5) were shortlisted!

You can view all 40 of our entries on our website gallery now at <https://www.shaftesbury.leicester.sch.uk/art/>

We are incredibly proud of the response from our pupils and hope to continue to nurture their creativity in the future.

Well done to all!

Tree Art Competition!



With the upcoming Tree Strategy Launch, we ran a 'tree art' competition last term. We were blown away with the standard of the 150 entries we received! Councillor Dempster and Councillor Pantling had the hard job of selecting the Top 3 prize winners, and the runners up from a shortlist of 30 entries. A huge thank you to everyone who took the time to submit their artwork to the competition!



First Place – Dharmik Bridge Junior School



Second Place – Evelina Shaftesbury Junior School



Third Place – Lara Stokes Wood Primary School



Runner Up – Ariana Shaftesbury Junior School



Runner Up – Lexie Giebelands Primary School



Runner Up – Leandros Hazel Primary School



Runner Up – Giola St John The Baptist C Of E Primary School



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AFTER SCHOOL SPORTS CLUBS

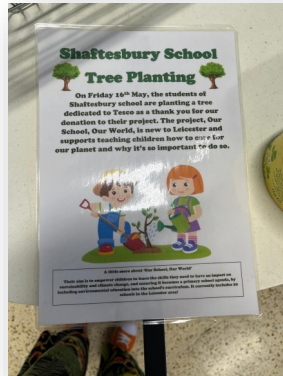
Kind request to parents/carers; If your child attends any sports clubs after school, please inform the staff or the office if they are not attending the club for any reason.

When taking the register, it is important that staff know the reason of your child's absence (due to safeguarding reasons).

Thank you.

DATA COLLECTION

Parents and carers; please inform the school office if there are any changes to your address, contact names /telephone numbers or email address. It is important that we have up-to-date details on your child's records. Please also note that it is essential to have more than one telephone number on record, in case of emergency.



Thank you to **Aiden from Lidl** and **Kerry from Tesco** for the generous amount of free goodies for Y6 SATS Breakfast Week. The children enjoyed the scrumptious breakfast which was provided as a treat for working hard .

Aiden is pictured receiving his card for loading the goodies and Kerry receiving her thank you card and accepting a new tree donated by SJS to Tesco. Kerry is also holding the sign she's made to go next to the tree which will be planted in their Car Park .

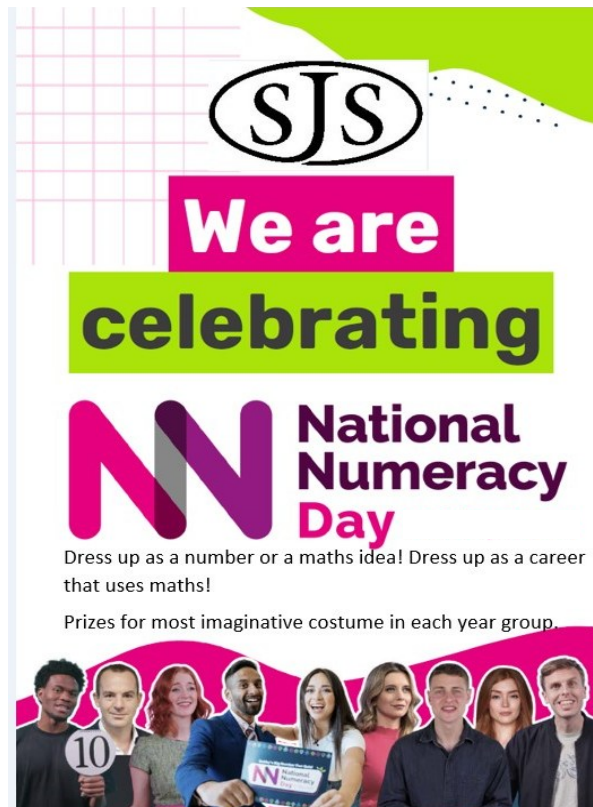
Well done to **Nikola, Nelson and Neha** for making the 'Thank You' cards for both for providing all the lovely items.

On Friday 9th May 2025, as part of the **Linking school project**, Year 4 went to visit Market Harborough CE Academy. They worked collaboratively with each other and took part in orienteering, sports and art activities. The children thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Pupils from different social, ethnic, faith or geographical backgrounds enjoy meeting and learning together. The process helps pupils to explore identity, become comfortable with difference and build connections within their local communities.



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Wednesday 21st May

National Numeracy Day!

Come to school dressed as either

- A number
- A maths concept
- A profession that uses maths

There will be a prize for the most imaginative costume in each year group.

We will spend the day exploring maths, why maths is important and how we are all good mathematicians!

However you feel about maths, you are not alone! At SJS we have 3 numeracy champions who are here to help with support, advice and suggestions on how to improve your maths skills.

If you want to start improving your own number confidence, National Numeracy have a fantastic website where you can find the areas you are already good with numbers and how to improve your own skills.

[Getting on With Numbers | National Numeracy Challenge](#)

By accessing the National Numeracy Challenge you will also get access to *nudge*, a financial education platform where you get tailored advice and resources to your situation. It helps you better understand and manage your finances.

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May half-term family fun at Leicester Cathedral

FREE craft activity making a watercolour planet!
No need to book - just drop in!

Tuesday 27 May
1.30 - 3.30pm

Thursday 29 May
10.00am - 12.00pm

Suitable for ages 3+. All children must be accompanied by an adult and supervised at all times.

Soft Play under Mars!

FREE drop-in event for 0-8 year olds.

Saturday 24 May
10.00am - 2.00pm

All children must be accompanied by an adult and supervised at all times.

Family craft evenings
5.00 - 7.00pm

Monday 26 May and Wednesday 28 May

- Make a light up planet
- Paint a pebble with galaxy design
- Pastel planet art
- Sensory and den building area

Tickets available via Eventbrite

Leicester Cathedral

www.leicestercathedral.org

HALF TERM FOOTBALL & SAQ SESSIONS

10AM - 3PM

VENUE: FULLHURST COMMUNITY COLLEGE

MAY 27TH - 29TH

TUES, WED, & THURS

AGES: 6-14 (BOYS & GIRLS)

£17.50 PER DAY OR **£50 FOR 3 FULL DAYS**

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- Qualified male & female staff including first aid, safeguarding, & DBS checked.
- Daily activities include football training & matches, competitions, penalty shootouts, and SAQ (speed, agility & quickness).

PLACES WHERE KIDS EAT FREE (OR FOR £1) MAY HALF TERM 2025

<https://moneysavingcentral.co.uk/kids-eat-free>

<p>ANGUS STEAKHOUSE Kids under 8 eat FREE daily, 12pm to 5pm</p> <p>ASDA Kids eat for £1 daily, with no adult spend</p> <p>ASK ITALIAN Kids under 10 eat for £1 during school holidays</p> <p>BEEFEATER 2 kids under 16 eat for FREE with 1 adult breakfast</p> <p>BELLA ITALIA Children eat for £1 with any adult main</p> <p>BILLS Kids Eat Free, weekdays, Mon 26th - Fri 30th May</p> <p>BREWERS FAYRE 2 kids under 16 eat for FREE with 1 adult breakfast</p> <p>BREWDOG 2 Kids eat free with 1 adult, Mon 26th - Fri 30th May</p> <p>BURGER KING From 26th May - 1st June 2025. Kids Eat Free with every adult meal, via the app.</p> <p>COCONUT TREE Kids Eat Free from Sun 25th May to Sun 1st June.</p> <p>DOBBIES GARDEN CENTRES Kids eat for £1 with an adult breakfast or lunch</p> <p>FARMHOUSE INNS 2 kids eat FREE with one paying adult, Friday 23rd to Friday 30th of May. Sign Up Required</p> <p>FUTURE INNS Under 5s eat for free with any adult meal</p> <p>GORDON RAMSEY RESTAURANTS Kids under 10 eat FREE all day, every day</p>	<p>HUNGRY HORSE Kids eat for £1 on Mondays</p> <p>IKEA Kids get a meal from 95p daily from 11am</p> <p>LAS IGUANAS Kids under 12 eat FREE with 'My Las Iguanas' App</p> <p>MARCO PIERRE WHITE Kids under 12 Eat FREE daily with an adult spend</p> <p>MORRISONS Kids Eat FREE all day, every day with a £5 spend</p> <p>PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM Kids eat FREE with every £4 spend after 3pm</p> <p>PREMIER INN & TRAVELODGE 2 kids eat for FREE with 1 adult breakfast</p> <p>PRETO Kids up to age 10 eat free with 1 paying adult</p> <p>PUREZZA Kids under 10 get free pizza with every adult meal</p> <p>SA BRAINS PUBS Kids eat for £1 on Wednesdays</p> <p>SIZZLING PUBS Kids eat for £1, Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm</p> <p>TABLE TABLE 2 Kids Eat free breakfast daily with 1 paying adult</p> <p>TGI FRIDAYS Kids Eat Free with any adult meal (Via App)</p> <p>THE REAL GREEK Kids under 12 eat FREE Sundays with £10 spend</p> <p>WHITBREAD INNS 2 kids eat for FREE with 1 adult breakfast</p> <p>YO! SUSHI Kids eat free all day (weekdays) in school holidays</p>
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WEEKLY AWARDS AND ATTENDANCE

CLASS ATTENDANCE

3J: 98.8%
 3W: 97.1%
 4K: 98.3%
 4S: 99.6%
 5G: 95.8%
 5P: 98.8%
 6P: 92.9%
 6S: 95.4%

Overall Attendance from
 29.08.24 - 16.05.25:
 96.0%

WOW AWARDS

3W: Akshara
 3J: Mia
 4K: Keelan
 4S: Ritson
 5G: Ruby-Rose
 5P: Hatheem
 6P: Whole class
 6S: Whole class

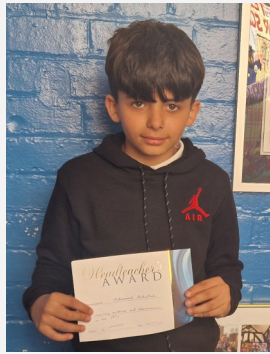
TOP ATTENDANCE: 4S 99.6%
 PUNCTUALITY: 3J
 LUNCHTIME: 3J

HOUSE POINTS

1st: Latimer 349
 2nd: Tyndale 336
 3rd: Ridley 304
 3rd: Cranmer 292

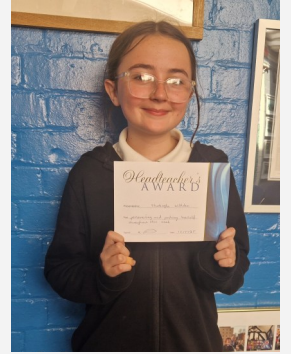
WEEKLY HEADTEACHER AWARDS

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!



6P-Mohammed

For showing incredible resilience and determination, persevering through his SATs even though he found them challenging.

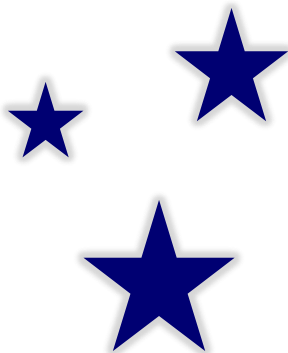


6S-Shakayla

For persevering and pushing herself throughout this week and not letting her nerves get the better of her.

WE ❤️ LUNCHTIMES

- Adam 4K: Resilience
- Ahmed 5G: Self-regulation
- River 3J: Leadership
- Lilia 4S: Appreciation and reflection
- Lilly 3J: Respect
- Joanna 4K: Enthusiasm
- Yusuf 5G: Challenge
- Srilakshmi 3J: Self-motivation
- Komail 4K: Self-awareness



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