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SHAFTESBURY NEWS

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PARENTS' EVENINGS

Please save the dates in your diary. Further details to follow.

Tuesday 25th February

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Wednesday 26th February.

SHAFTESBURY SCHOOL WEBSITE:

<https://www.shaftesbury.leicester.sch.uk/>

If you've not had a chance to visit our website, it's worth taking some time to browse. We continue to add content on the Key Information, News and Events, Parents and Children section. Please feel free to give us your feedback and add comments. Updates are also regularly posted on the Shaftesbury **Facebook closed group**, which is only for parents and carers of children currently at the school. Parents need to send in a request to join.

SCHOOL MEALS

Parents and carers; Please kindly be reminded that school meals have to be ordered and paid for, one week in advance. The deadline to order the meals or make changes is on a Sunday each week. Chartwells would send a reminder email to all parents. Please book the meals before the deadline to avoid disappointment. Thank you for your co-operation.

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 very 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.



TERM DATES 2025

SPRING TERM

School Closes: Friday evening 14th February 2025
Mid-Term Break: Monday 17th February to Friday 21st February 2025
School Opens: Monday morning 24th February 2025

School Closes: Friday evening 11th April 2025
Easter Break: Monday 14th April to Friday 25th April 2025

SUMMER TERM

School Opens: Monday morning 28th April 2025

May Day Holiday: Monday 5th May 2025

School Closes: Friday evening 23rd May
Mid-Term Break: Monday 26th May to Friday 30th May 2025
School Opens: Monday morning 2nd June 2025

School Closes: Friday evening 11th July 2025

SPORTS CLUBS

Morning and after school sports clubs have started this week. Letters have been given out by Mr Hartopp for the various after school sports clubs. If you have sent the consent slip back, assume that a place has been allocated unless you hear otherwise.

The places are limited and will be given out on first come, first served basis. Please note that there is no charge for the sports clubs. However, if your child gets picked up late from the clubs, you may incur a charge for attending after school care.

Morning Club (8-8.40am)

Monday—By invitation only (Letters have been issued to selected children)

Tuesday to Friday - Open to all children (No need to book in advance)

Sports Clubs (3.05pm—4.15pm)

Monday – Basketball 5/6

Tuesday – Football 3/4

Wednesday – Gymnastics 3/4/5/6

Thursday – Football 5/6

Friday – Table Tennis – 3/4/5/6

PE and Swimming

Monday – Swimming (PM) – Year 4 & Year 5 Booster.

Tuesday – Year 6 (AM) - Year 5 (PM)

Wednesday – Year 3 (AM) - Year 6 (PM)

Thursday – Year 3 (PM)

Friday – Year 5 (AM) - Year 4 (PM)



Please make sure that your child brings to school their swimming kit and PE kit on the designated days.

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Household Support Fund

The Household Support Fund remains available to help those households who are most in need and considered to be financially vulnerable.

Families can apply directly at

leicester.gov.uk/householdsupportfund.

The public form will open from 9am—5pm on Wednesday 29 January 2025.

COFFEE MORNINGS AT
SHAFTESBURY WITH MRS ESLEY
EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM
9.00AM - 10.00AM.
ALL WELCOME TO COME ALONG!



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and Rutland



Tips for getting the right NHS care for you and your family

1

Use NHS 111 when it's urgent

If you need urgent care, you should seek help straight away.

Contact NHS 111 online, by phone or via the NHS App at any time, day or night

2

Check out the urgent care services

If you have an urgent health concern, there are many urgent care services you can access without an appointment.

Use NHS 111 to make sure it's the right place for you.

3

Use a pharmacy for minor illness

Pharmacies can support with common illnesses by providing advice and medication.

Many can also prescribe prescription medication for some conditions without you needing to see a GP first.

4

Visit a neighbourhood mental health cafe

If you need support with your mental health and wellbeing, visit one of the local neighbourhood mental health cafés.

There are cafés spread around Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland, run by trained and supportive staff.

5

Get in the know, before you need to know

Visit www.getintheknow.co.uk for lots of useful information on getting the right care at the right time over the winter months.



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WEEKLY AWARDS AND ATTENDANCE

CLASS ATTENDANCE

3J:	97.6%
3W:	99.2%
4K:	91.1%
4S:	94.0%
5G:	89.2%
5P:	92.1%
6P:	96.1%
6S:	98.3%

Overall Attendance from
29.08.24 - 17.01.25:
95.9%

WOW AWARDS

3W:	Tanay
3J:	River
4K:	Antonia
4S:	Andreea
5G:	Marshall
5P:	Lacole
6P:	Carina
6S:	Mohammed

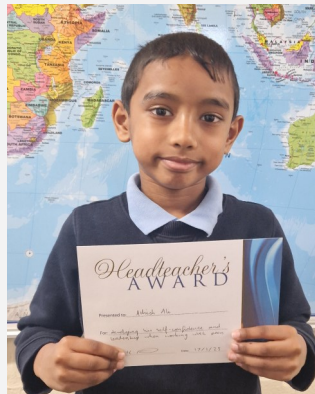
TOP ATTENDANCE: 3W 99.2%
PUNCTUALITY: 4K
LUNCHTIME: 5G
CLEANEST CLASS: 3J

HOUSE POINTS

1st: **LATIMER 423**
2nd: **CRANMER 419**
3rd: **TYNDALE 407**
4th: **RIDLEY 389**

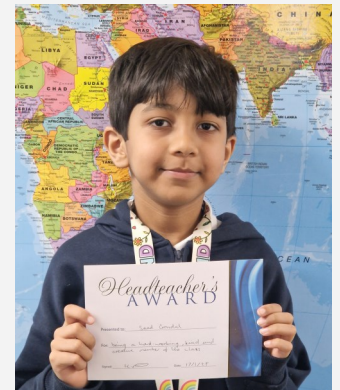
WEEKLY HEADTEACHER AWARDS

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!



3W—Athish

For developing his self-confidence and leadership when working with peers and groups.

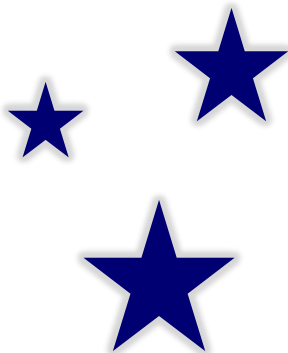


3J— Saad

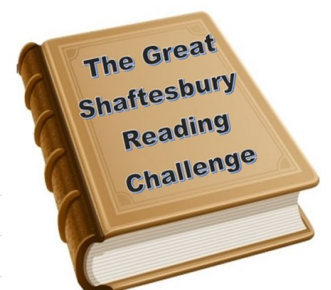
For being a hardworking, kind and creative member of the class who ALWAYS gives his learning 100% effort.

WE ❤️ LUNCHTIMES

Blessing 5P:	Honesty
Emmanuella 3W:	Self-motivation
Zara 3W:	Kindness
Nimah 5P:	Independence
Raha 4K:	Self-motivation
Dania 6S:	Self-regulation
Ahmed 5P:	Kindness
Freya 3J:	Independence
Godwin 3W:	Challenge
Annabelle 3W:	Helpful
Matthew 3W:	Kindness



READING MILES



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