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SHERINGDALE SUMMER TERM NEWS

Headteacher's Message

Dear Families,

It has been wonderful to enjoy the seasonal celebrations together in the run up to the Christmas holiday. We have enjoyed the festivities with Christmas performances, Christmas lunch and House Christmas carolling amongst other things.

The Christmas Fair was a great community event as ever. An enormous amount of work goes into this festive event and as ever the PTA did an amazing job! Thanks to everyone involved for all the hard work and also for all the generous donations.

Children have been succeeding in learning and at the end of this term the teachers have been busy assessing how far they have come and planning for next steps. Thanks to all staff who have done so much to support the children in their learning. League tables have also been published and Sheringdale has come 4th in Wandsworth for the expected standard at KS2 and 2nd in Wandsworth for the higher standard.

Wishing you peace and good will over the festive period and look forward to welcoming you back in 2024.

Best wishes,

Sarah

Sarah Jones
Headteacher

Key Dates for your Diary

JANUARY 2024

Monday 8th	Start of Term Back to School
Friday 19th	Y5 to Battersea Athletics
Friday 19th	Y2 Mulberry Workshare Assembly
Friday 26th	Year 6 Chestnut Workshare Assembly

FEBRUARY 2024

Friday 2nd	Year 4 Holly Workshare Assembly
Monday 12th	HALF TERM
Monday 19th	Back to School
Friday 23rd	Year 5 Beech Workshare Assembly
Wednesday 28th	Year 4 Trip to Sealife

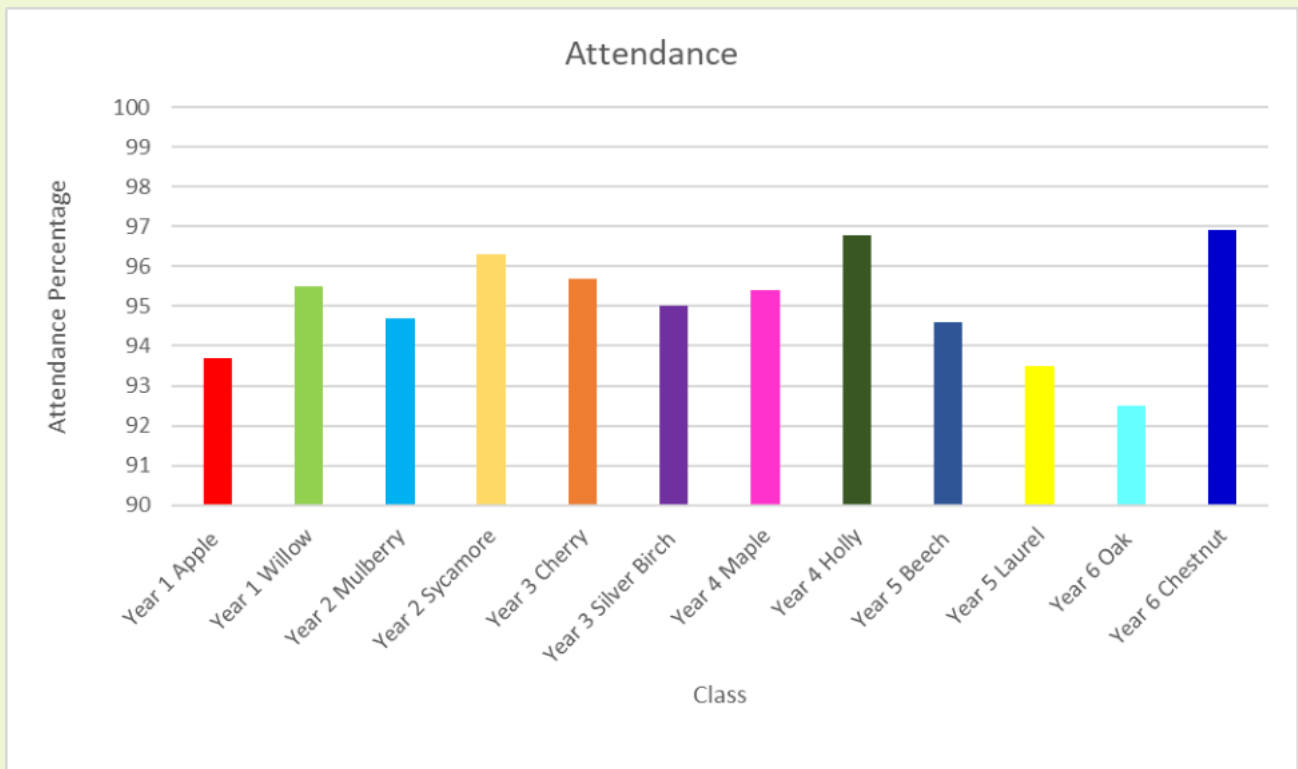
MARCH 2025

Friday 1st	Year 4 Maple Workshare Assembly
Friday 15th	RED NOSE DAY
Friday 22nd	Reception Butterflies Workshare Assembly
Thursday 28th	End of Spring Term



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School Attendance & Punctuality



Please see above our attendance for our Autumn Term which is 95.1% overall. The DFE expects 97% or above for good attendance.

Well done to Year 6 Chestnut & Year 4 Holly for the best attendance this term. We hope we can all work together to achieve the required 97% minimum attendance and punctuality next term.

A reminder children should be in by 08:55am in time for morning registration. If your child is ill please inform the office by no later than 08:30 am on the day.

We wish you a restful break and we will see you all in 2024.

The Office Team.



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Early Years



In Reception, the kids have been very busy rehearsing for their Nativity play. They have also been finding number bonds up to 5 using the part-whole model. The kids were Hammering pumpkins to practise our fine motor skills in Autumn! The Nursery Caterpillars have enjoyed learning about a range of celebrations this term including Halloween, Bonfire Night, Remembrance Day, Diwali and Christmas.



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YEAR 1



This Term Year 1 had a busy time.

Children had a visit from 'zoolab' and had the opportunity to hold interesting animals AS PART OF THEIR Science lesson for DT they made their own delicious fruit salads.

They have done digital paintings on the ipads this term in the style of different artists. They also celebrated the King's coronation and re-inacted it.



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YEAR 2



In year 2 we have been very busy, in Science we have been learning all about habitats and the animals that live there. We were very lucky to have Zoo Lab come and show us some animals such as; snakes, lizards, scorpions, the list goes on. We even got to touch some!

For our computing, we have been doing lots about Bee Bots. We even got to design our own festive boards for us to instruct the Bee Bot to land on. What a fun term we have had!



In DT this term we made sandwiches. We learned about the five food groups and sampled many different ingredients before selecting what we wanted and then making a healthy sandwich. Delicious!



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YEAR 3



On Tuesday 5th December, Y3 had a trip to Fulham Palace to support our understanding of History.

The first part of the trip was given by an archaeologist. We looked at what had been discovered in the grounds, going back in time to get to the Stone Age. We then got to handle artefacts from the Stone Age and think about what they were used for. This included tools and weapons.

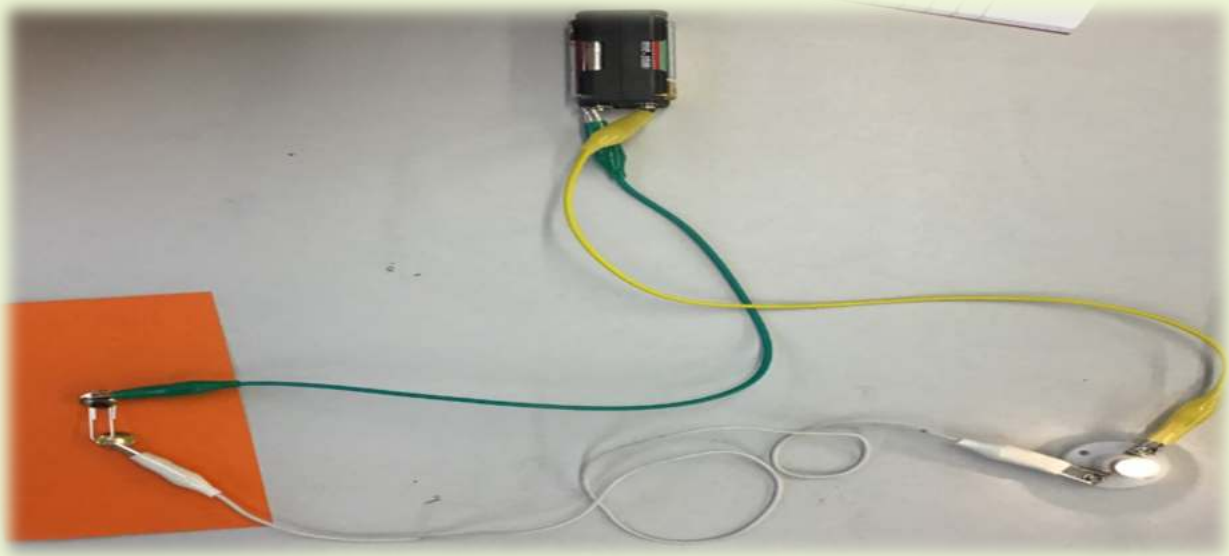
After that we got to take part in Stone Age activities in the grounds of the palace. This included making traps for animals, making shelters and foraging for food.

Finally we had a tour of the Palace, learning that it was a Bishop's residence from the time of Henry VIII. The children felt that the paintings in the great hall were watching them carefully!



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YEAR 4



Year 4 created simple circuits and made their own switches to learn about what switches do.
For DT they made their own pizzas.



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YEAR 5



Year 5 had an Anglo-Saxon day



They use the VR headsets to explore the life cycle of a frog in Science



We read the London Eye Mystery in Autumn 1, which is all about a boy, Salim, who goes up on the London Eye but doesn't come down... we had a visit from a local policeman who was helping us to solve the case!



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YEAR 6



It has been an incredibly busy Autumn for Year 6 as we adjust to life at the top of the school. The children have worked so hard all term and have really stepped up to the demands and expectations of Year 6. In English we have read *Holes* and linking it to our writing, creating diary entries and setting descriptions. In Science we have been looking at Evolution and Heritance, learning about how genes and traits are passed on from parents to offspring. We have created our own websites in Computing, learning about how to design it and create webpages. In RE we have compared different religions to decide where religion helps people to be good, focusing on what the Bible and Quran teaches Christians and Muslims, and comparing these with the Humanist perspective. We were treated to a fantastic 6O workshare, with 6C's next term to look forward to. And finally, Year 6 were exception in their Music Performance with Year 5. Well done to all of the children for all of their hard work and effort this term - a break will be well-deserved.



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GENERAL INFORMATION

NEW BE.DANCE SATURDAY CLASSES
ARE COMING TO SHERINGDALE
PRIMARY SCHOOL IN 2024!

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NEW FOR 2024! SHERINGDALE PRIMARY SCHOOL

- 9.30-10.15 AM STREET DANCE LEVEL 1 AGES 5-7 YEARS
- 10.30-11.30 AM STREET DANCE LEVEL 2 AGES 8-11 YEARS

Watch this space, more Saturday classes to follow in the future!

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