

# Shadsworth Infant School Newsletter

## Friday 13th October 2023





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***Education is not optional! There is an expectation that children are in school everyday!***

Message from Mrs Crompton



## Attendance

As you can see, our school attendance figure is dropping, and taking us further away from the National figure. Last week we had a gap of 2.2% but this week it is 3.2%. We all know the benefits of children coming to school every day, we know it is a legal requirement not a choice. We also know as the colder months arrive that children get winter bugs which can't be helped so we need to keep this figure high to compensate for that. Please bring your children to school every day, if they are a little bit sniffley and get worse, we will send them home. We have Attendance Passports in school that children tick off daily as they arrive, there are lots of rewards for coming every day. The main reward being that daily attendance at school increases children's success and ultimately life chances, which I know as parents we all want for our children. Any problems or questions, please ask - thank you for your support with this.

### ATTENDANCE TRACKER >



#### LATEST WEEK ▾

My School	Primary National	Difference
91.9% ↓ -0.7%	95.1%	-3.2%

Term	Week commencing	My School	National	Difference
	Oct 2, 2023	91.9%	95.1%	-3.2%
	Sep 25, 2023	92.6%	94.8%	-2.2%
Autumn 1	Sep 18, 2023	94.4%	95.3%	-0.9%
	Sep 11, 2023	94%	96%	-2%
	Sep 4, 2023	94.5%	95.2%	-0.7%

## Shadsworth Stars



Last week we said "Well Done" to.....

	GW	GB
RM	Lexi D	Logan F
RB	Aleksander S	Liberty F
1J	Freya S	Scarlett L

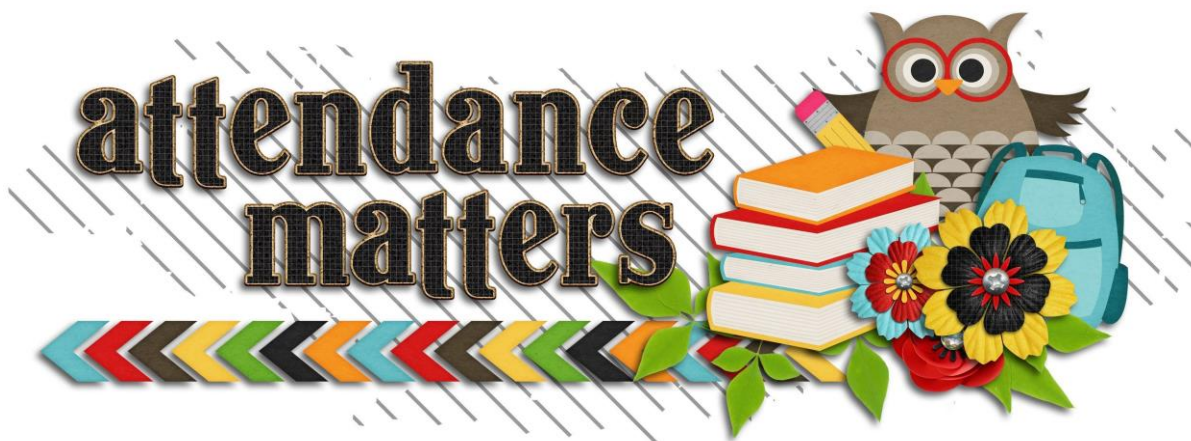
1W	Ava-Marie McD	Freya A
2H	Keeva H	Maya F
2HG	Haleema S	Eli D

Headteacher Award goes to: Finley P

Lunchtime Award goes to: Lillith H

## Weekly Attendance

Registers are taken at **8.50am** and children will be marked late after 9.00am. If you arrive to school **after 9.00am**, please make sure you report to the **School Office** with **your child** to ensure they receive their mark.



Class	%	Late
RM	92	3
RB	99	10
1J	91	11
1W	88	3
2H	83	4
2GH	93	6
Whole School	91	37

It is **essential children come to school every day and they are on time**. If you are unsure if your child is well enough, bring them and we will send them home if necessary. If your child is not well enough to come to school - **Please telephone the school office on tel: 01254 698002 to report your child's absence** - failing to do so may result in a **home visit** and an **unauthorised** absence.

## Weekly Dates

# Dates for your diary



### **Tuesday 17th October 2023**

3.30pm Parents Evening

### **Thursday 19th October 2023**

3.30pm Parents Evening

### **Friday 20th October 2023**

Non-Uniform Day - Children please bring £1

School closes @ 3.20pm for half-term!

**Monday 30th October 2023**

**School re-opens!**

8.00am Breakfast Club

8.40am Soft Start - Registers take at 9.00am

**Monday 30th October 2023**

9.00am-11.30am 5 Week Heat or Eat Course held at the Junior School

**Friday 10th November 2023**

**Non-Uniform Day** in exchange for a **full bottle** for our Christmas Fair Bottle Tombola Stall



**Friday 17th November 2023**

Children In Need - **please bring £1** and **children** to come to school **wearing Yellow** or **Spotty clothes**

Children also to bring **Chocolate** for our Christmas Fair Chocolate Tombola Stall

**Tuesday 28th November 2023**

3.00pm-4.30pm Christmas Fair

**Wednesday 6th December 2023**

9.00am EYFS Nativity

2.30pm EYFS Nativity

**Thursday 7th December 2023**

9.00am KS1 Nativity

2.30pm KS1 Nativity

**Friday 8th December 2023**

Christmas Jumper Day - Save the children

Children to wear their **Christmas Jumper, Sparkly or Favourite Top** - Please bring £1 and support this charity

**As you are aware we use ParentMail for our communication. Please check your ParentMail push notifications to enable you to keep up to date on school communications. Also please check out our school facebook page.**

We still have AM/PM Nursery places available for September 2023 - please collect a form from the school office

#### **SHADSWORTH INFANT SCHOOL FOOD BANK**

Shadsworth Infant Food bank.

Open every **Wednesday** and **Friday** morning **8:40am-9:00am**.

Non-perishable essential food items and toiletries available.

**£3 per bag- one bag per visit.**

Please note this is a booking service. If you do not book you may be turned away due to stock.

**Please text/ call Alana on 07754786480 or Fran on 07754786478 to confirm a reservation.**

No proof of income required.

Please enter the school building at the side entrance on Ayr Road.

Fran/Alana

Family Support Workers

## Breakfast Club



Please can we remind you that Breakfast Club needs to be paid for daily, it is £1 per day or £4 for the week to be paid in advance on the Monday - Thank you

## Come and Join us



HEAT OR EAT COURSE

5 Week Heat or Eat Course

**Monday 30th October 2023**

**Shadsworth Junior School**

**9.00am - 11.30 am**

*What will I learn?*

- How to save money on a food shop
- Ways to eat well and save money
- Cost effective ways to keep family warm during winter

**Contact Alana: 07754786480 Fran: 07754786478 to book.**