



# SHADSWORTH INFANT SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER

### 21st March 2025

#### MRS CROMPTON'S MESSAGE

##### WEEKLY MESSAGE

Thankyou to everyone who supported our Parents Evenings this week. There were lots of smiley faces leaving school - I think Parents enjoyed celebrating their children's hard work and success. I had lots of lovely comments about work in books and Parents not realising how much work was completed by Infant children! Well done to our children for working so hard! It isn't too late - if you didn't see your child's teacher last week, please catch them on the playground at home time and arrange a good time to catch up - it will definitely make you smile!

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

##### TITLE

##### **Wednesday 26th March 2025**

Year 1 J Blackburn Museum Visit

##### **Thursday 27th March 2025**

Year 1 H Blackburn Museum Visit

Completed Consent Letter & £5 to your child's class teachers by Monday 24th March 2025

##### **Friday 28th March 2025**

Non-Uniform Day in exchange for Chocolate or Eggs for our Easter Bingo - Thank you for your continued support.

##### **Friday 4th April 2025**

**1.30pm** School closes for Easter

##### **Tuesday 22nd April 2025**

School Re-Opens

#### REMINDERS

We are now taking names for Nursery in September 2025. If your child will be 3yrs old by 1st September please get their name down at the office asap!

# ATTENDANCE



## ATTENDANCE MATTERS

"Attendance is not optional"

There is an expectation that children are in school every day

### Overall School Attendance Target

**96%**

**Actual School Attendance 17/03/2025–21/03/2025**

**93%**

Class	Attendance %	Lates
RM	100	3
RB	93	9
1J	95	10
1H	86	6
2H	98	13
2K	88	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>48</b>

# CELEBRATE



**This week we said  
“Well Done” to .....**



Class	Good Work	Good Behaviour
RM	Alex R	Ryan M
RB	Oliver	Amelia
1J	Rome	Logan F
1H	Umar	Hiba
2H	Martin	Hussain
2K	Amelia	Wiktorja

Lunchtime Award
Thomas J



Headteacher's Award
Destiny D



Kindness Cup
Eva F



# OUR LEARNING

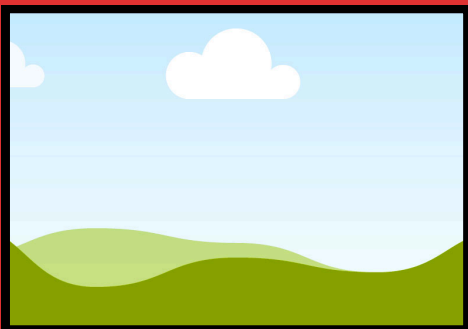


## NURSERY

This week in Nursery we have been learning about 'height and length' in Maths. We have been using new vocabulary such as tall, long and short to compare different heights and lengths. We also went back to Smithills Farm with group 2 on Wednesday. The children had an amazing time looking, petting and feeding the animals. As well as going on a donkey ride, tractor ride and watching the process of the cows being milked. We finished off the day with some ice-cream in the sun!



## RECEPTION



Reception children have had a lovely week continuing their learning all about New Life. We now have some new visitors (caterpillars) and they have already got so big! We are excited to watch them transform into butterflies. The children went on a minibeast hunt and used magnifying glasses to spot different types of insects. In Maths they have recapped on prior learning of odd and even numbers and they have done amazingly well at re-writing our literacy story, Hattie Peck, The Journey Home.

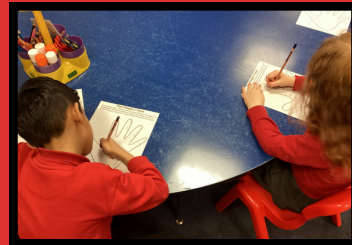
# OUR LEARNING



## YEAR 1

In Year 1. this week we have been creating diary entries in our English work. We have been counting in tens and ones and learning to represent it.

In art we have been practising making different shades of secondary colours. We talked about trust and completed some activities on our values afternoon.



## YEAR 2



In Year 2 this week we have created 3D maps based on our 2D designs. We used a range of materials and worked as a team.

We have started thinking about Easter and the symbols associated with different parts of the story.



# OUR LEARNING



## BRIDGE CENTRE

In The Bridge this week, we have been mostly concentrating on pushing through our comfort zones and doing things to increase our resilience. This was tested when we attempted the portable climbing wall at NRG! It was a scary test, but we all achieved!



## RAINBOW ROOM

We have had a fun week in the Rainbow Room this week. We spent a lot of time outdoors enjoying the lovely sunshine. We found teddy bears in water play and explored forest school pretending to be bears! We have carried out our daily interventions PECS, workstations, individual speech and language programmes, Phonics and Attention for Learning.





## **Shadsworth Infant School Easter Raffle 2025**

Easter Raffle tickets on sale daily, £1 a turn.

Please send money in with your child.

The School Council team will provide tickets.

**Raffle will be drawn week commencing  
31st March 2025.**

Many thanks for your continued support!







# Happyasaurus

★ Activities in this colour are explained in the supplementary activity sheets on your portal.

These activities originate from the Oliiki app.

**Oliiki**

**EYFS**

WED		THU		FRI		SAT		SUN		MON		TUE	
5 Ash Wednesday		6 Read 'Happyasaurus learns to bake'		7 Loud and soft shakers		8 Say an affirmation "I am Happy"		9 Relaxation Day		10 Make your friends laugh		11 Bake an apple crumble	
12 Share three moments that made you smile today		13 Create some Happyasaurus biscuits		14 Draw a picture of someone who makes you happy		15 Spread happiness in the local community		16 Have a tea party		17 Explore the colour green		18 Breathing techniques	
19 Create a playdough happy face		20 First Day of Spring		21 Create a happiness jar		22 Do some dancing		23 What makes you happy?		24 Visit your local Greenhalghs		25 Sing your favourite song	
26 Massage session		27 Decorate Happyasaurus		28 Musical Instruments		29 Take bird seed with you on a walk		30 Create a mother's day card		31 Watch your favourite film			