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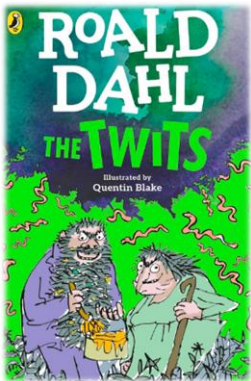
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PROUD
of You

As we reach the end of SATs week, we would like to say a huge well done to all of our Year 6 children. We are incredibly proud of the mature, calm attitude they have shown throughout the week, along with their grit, resilience and determination — especially when things have felt challenging. They have represented our school brilliantly and should be very proud of themselves. We would also like to thank the children across the rest of the school for their patience, understanding and flexibility with the changes to routines this week. Despite having all four seasons of weather thrown at us, everyone has worked together to support our oldest children during this important time. Before we know it, it will be their turn to showcase all of their learning too! In the meantime, let's celebrate our incredible Y6s – we are completely, totally proud of you!

SJS STARS OF THE WEEK

- Y3CB: Eira
 - Y4GG: Lucy
 - Y5CS: Summer
 - Y6CH/LR: Ellis
 - Y3JG: Seth
 - Y4MC: Harry
 - Y5HK/CG: Annie
 - Y6RD: Charlie
- The Hub: Pheobe
 PE Star: Ada
 Attendance & Punctuality: Molly
- Y3/4 Yard: Jack
 Y5/6 Yard: Henry
 Dining Hall: Busby

BOOK OF THE WEEK



This week's Book of the Week is *The Twits* by Roald Dahl and has been chosen by Mrs Shaw. It is a hilarious story about Mr and Mrs Twit, two very nasty people who love playing horrible tricks on each other and being mean to animals. With funny moments, clever tricks, and unforgettable characters, the book teaches us about kindness, teamwork, and treating others with respect. The imaginative illustrations by Quentin Blake make the story even more entertaining for young readers.

READING AROUND THE WORLD

Y3 - BERLIN

Lucas
Phoebe
Oliver

Y4 - PRETORIA

Holly
Emily

Y4 - RIYADH

Emily
Annie

Y4 - MOSCOW

Ada-Lily

Y5 - WELLINGTON

Zac

NEW WORD MILLIONAIRES

Congratulations to both Luca (Y4) and Olly (Y5) who have read now their way to become Word Millionaires and also to Elliott (Y5) who has become a MULTI-Millionaire!

NEXT WEEK'S PE TIMETABLE

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Y3CB Y3JG	Y4GG Y5CS	Y4MC Y5HK/CG Y6CH/LR	Y6RD

EVENTS COMING UP...

May 18 Mayor's Walk and Wheel Challenge Y5/6 Cricket Event	19 Y5/Y6 Athletics Swimming Gala (Cancelled)	20	21	22 Team Treat Non-Uniform Day (£1)
--- Half Term ---				

HOLIDAY HOME NEEDED

As we are approaching a school holiday, we are looking for some new temporary parents for our lovely guinea pigs, Oreo and Pickles.

- The boys would need to be housed indoors.
- Their temporary home must not have any cats or dogs.
- We will provide everything that is needed... although they would appreciate a few vegetable scraps every now and then. You would just need to provide a loving home and lots and lots of cuddles.



If you wish to be considered (first come first served), please get in touch with the school office.

If you are not lucky enough to take care of them on this occasion, we will add you to our possible guinea pig parent list for consideration for the next school holidays.

Y6 CRUCIAL CREW TRIP

On Thursday 11th June, our Year 6 pupils will visit Crucial Crew at the Lifewise Centre. Crucial Crew is a free, full-day visit to the Lifewise Centre where South Yorkshire Police, along with partner agencies, deliver key safety messages to Year 6 children in an interactive setting.

Letters have been sent home today (paper copy and via email) providing parents with further details.

Y5 LONDON RESIDENTIAL

After half term, our Y5 children will be visiting London. To ensure the children have all the information they need, we will meet with them next week to discuss our itinerary and answer any questions they may have. We will also provide them with a letter to bring home containing all the information parents will need about the trip including the itinerary, a suggested packing list and group information.



TEAM TREAT

We are delighted to announce that our winning house this term is **Wharncliffe**. The children have worked incredibly hard, showing our school values every day and earning tokens for their effort, kindness and fantastic attitude.

To celebrate their achievement, **Wharncliffe** children will enjoy a special **Fun Swimming Session at Stocksbridge Leisure Centre** on Friday 22nd May.

If your child is in **Wharncliffe**, please look out for an email with further details, and for you to give consent.

MAYOR'S WALK AND WHEEL CHALLENGE



We are excited to be taking part in the **Mayor of South Yorkshire's Walk and Wheel Challenge 2026** next week, in partnership with Living Streets. The challenge encourages children to travel to school actively each day by **walking, wheeling, scooting, or cycling** wherever possible. The aim is to help children become healthier, more active, and more aware of the benefits of active travel.

Throughout the week, children will take part in a range of fun daily activities linked to:

- Physical health and fitness
- Mental health and wellbeing
- Road safety awareness
- Positive environmental choices
- Developing healthy daily habits

Each classroom will also have a **daily wall chart** which will be updated throughout the week to celebrate and track participation. We would love to see as many children as possible joining in. If you are unable to walk the whole journey to school, we encourage families to:

- **Park a little further away**, such as at the bottom of the hill, and walk the final part of the journey to school
- Scoot or cycle where safe to do so
- Travel actively for even part of the journey

As part of the challenge, schools across South Yorkshire have the opportunity to win exciting prizes, including a cycling workshop with Olympic gold medallist and South Yorkshire's Active Lives Commissioner, Ed Clancy.

This initiative forms part of South Yorkshire Mayor Oliver Coppard's commitment to making South Yorkshire the best place in the country for children to walk, wheel, and cycle safely.

Thank you for your support — we look forward to a fun and active week!

NEXT WEEK'S MENU

MENU WEEK 3

SERVED W/C: 27th Apr, 18th May, 8th June, 29th June

Hutchison

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday



Veggie chilli with rice











































































































































































































































































































Sheffield Parent Hub

Chelsea Johnson from Sheffield Parent Hub will soon be joining us to offer support and advice to Parents and Carers of children with additional needs in the Early Years, Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2.

She will be happy to discuss how she can support you with parenting, behaviour, SEND, sleep, anxiety, or any other topic you would like to discuss.

Date - Monday 29th June at 2pm

Venue – Stocksbridge Infant School

Please contact us at office@stocksbridgejunior.chorustrust.org or on 0114 2882221 to book your place.



COULD YOU BE OUR NEXT GOALKEEPER?

Stocksbridge Park Steels Girls
Current U8s moving into U9s for 2026/27



Girls in School Year 3 or 4 from September 2026



No Experience Needed, Just a Real Interest in Becoming a Goalkeeper



Friendly and Ambitious Team



Additional Goalkeeper-Specific Training Sessions Available via the Club



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MUST NOT BE REGISTERED WITH ANY OTHER SHWGL TEAM



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