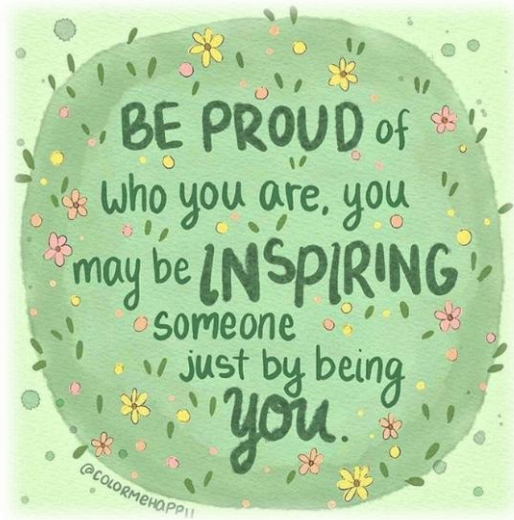




# Stocksbridge Junior School

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Today's assembly was filled with excitement and pride as we made the grand announcement of our new Year 6 prefects — delivered in style with special golden envelopes! Becoming a prefect is a role that has long been admired at our school, and this year's chosen pupils truly represent the very best of what it means to be part of our SJS community. From helping as monitors on the Reading Bus, caring for our furry friends, the guinea pigs, to delivering lunchboxes back to classrooms and so much more, prefects take on a wide range of responsibilities. Most importantly, they serve as aspirational role models for our younger pupils, who look up to them and learn from their example. Each new prefect has been selected for consistently demonstrating our REACH values — Respect, Endurance, Aspiration, Courage, and Honesty. We are incredibly proud of them and look forward to seeing the positive difference they will make throughout school this academic year!

## SJS STARS OF THE WEEK

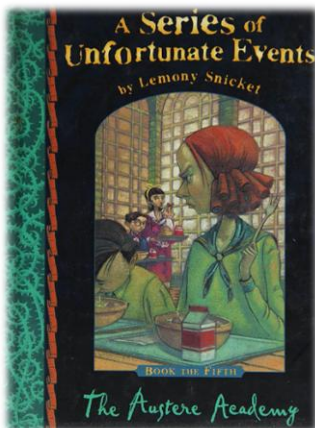
- Y3CB: Sebastian
- Y4GG: Luca
- Y5CS: Bronte
- Y6CH/LR: Marcie
- Y3JG: McKenna
- Y4LS: Alice
- Y5HK/CG: Matilda
- Y6RD: Mariella

PE Star: Viktor  
The Hub: Keegan

Y3/4 Yard: Alexia-Jo  
Y5/6 Yard: Daisy

Attendance & Punctuality: Katherine & Chloe  
Dining Hall: Molly

## BOOK OF THE WEEK



This week's book has been chosen by Mrs Shaw who has enjoyed reading A Series of Unfortunate Events by Lemony Snicket. Her personal favourite is book number five: The Austere Academy which is a great tale of three orphan children who seem destined for misery but also seem to break through barriers put in their way as a family unit.

## NEXT WEEK'S PE TIMETABLE

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Y5CS	Y3CB Y6RD	Y4GG Y5HK/CG	Y6CH/LR	Y3JG Y4LS

## Y6 PUPIL LEADERSHIP ROLES

We have been very impressed with the number of Year 6 children who have been keen to put themselves forward for various roles and responsibilities this year. Congratulations to the following children:

### Sports Leaders

Nova	Aroussia	Alfie	Bella
Alivia	Oliver	Sonny	Aether
Kian-Lee	Ryan	Max	Mia
Harris	Noah	Laila	Evie
			George

### Prefects

Marcie	Holly	Matilda	Emily
Sophie	Henry	Elodie	Sophia
Mariella	Violet	Martha	Georgia
Amelia	Sophie		Jake

### Lead Peer Mediators

Emily	Reece
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## NEXT WEEK'S MENU

Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Main Event</b>	Margherita Pizza with Potato Wedges & Cucumber Sticks or Sweetcorn	Chicken Katsu Curry served with Rice & Peas or Green Beans	Pork Sausage in Gravy with Mashed Potatoes & Carrots or Cauliflower	<b>Census Day Menu</b>  BBQ Burger or BBQ Quorn Burger with Smoky Wedges & Beans  Chocolate Brownie  (Jackets and sandwiches available too.)	Oven Baked Fish with Chips & Baked Beans or Peas
<b>Vegetarian Selection</b>	Quorn Chow Mein & Cucumber Sticks or Sweetcorn (V)	Macaroni Cheese with Garlic Bread & Peas or Green Beans (V)	Quorn Sausage in Gravy with Mashed Potatoes & Carrots or Cauliflower (VE)		Cheese & Tomato Panini with Chips & Baked Beans or Peas (V)
<b>Picnic</b>	Freshly Prepared Sandwich, Roll or Wrap served and the Dessert of the Day, Yoghurt or Fruit				
<b>Jacket Potatoes</b>	Crispy Baked Jacket Potato with a Choice of Baked Beans (VE), Toppings and the Dessert of the Day, Yoghurt or Fruit				Mixed Salad
<b>Desserts</b>	Rice Krispie Cake with Fresh Fruit (V)	Chocolate & Coconut Topped Sponge (V)	Flapjack (VE)		Very Berry Jelly (VE)

## 1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE CHAMPION!



We are absolutely thrilled to celebrate the incredible achievement of one of our Y4 pupils at the recent ice-skating championships, where she glided her way to 1<sup>st</sup> place! Her performance was nothing short of inspirational. Her journey to the top didn't happen overnight. It took countless hours of practice, focus, and dedication to perfect not only her jumps and spins but also the subtle techniques that bring a performance to life. We couldn't be more proud of her. Congratulations on this well-deserved victory!

## CREATIVE WRITING COMPETITION



4-18 October 2025  
**HOME GROWN**  
A FESTIVAL FOR THE ARTS  
Across Stocksbridge  
and Upper Don

The HomeGrown Team would like to invite children to enter a creative writing competition at this year's festival. Entries can include a short story, or a descriptive piece or poem to say what they love about our community.

These pieces will be displayed in Stocksbridge Library during the course of the Homegrown Festival.

Entries should be on a single side of A4 and should be left at the Voyager Art Space on Manchester Road by 3<sup>rd</sup> October. Prize winners will be announced at the all age finale event on the 18<sup>th</sup> October.



# Stocksbridge Under 9s Taster Sessions

**Stocksbridge Cricket Club**  
are running taster sessions for our U9s 2026 season team

Girls: Y2, Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6  
Boys: Y2, Y3 and Y4

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October  
Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October

6.15pm to 7.30pm

Contact: Andy- 07754186130



**Stocksbridge Cricket Club**  
U9s White team are  
Sheffield & District Jr  
League 2025 Champions

A friendly & fun way to enjoy the sport

**Location- Stocksbridge Leisure Centre (Bowls Hall)**