

Newsletter—7th February 2025

Hello everyone

Children in Years 3, 4 and 5 completed some assessments in reading and spelling this week. They performed very well and were a credit to their teachers and the school.

There are a few events to look forward to over the coming weeks; I'm sure you'll have heard all about the Valentine's disconext Friday the 14th. Key Stage 1 from 3.15 to 4.15 and key stage 2 from 4.30 to 5.30. After our half term holiday, we have a long term until Easter with some special events to look forward to, including World Book Day on March the 6th. We'll all be dressing up as our favourite book characters, so you might want to start thinking about those costumes now!

A number of children and staff have had time off with sickness recently. Please remind your children to wash hands regularly and catch coughs and colds with a sleeve or tissue. Hopefully as Spring approaches, winter germs will start to leave us alone.

Very best wishes,

Mr Shepherd

Today in school, we held the NSPCC Number Day. All classes took part in a variety of Maths activities to further develop their number skills for example, Year 4 were measuring their heart rates at rest and after exercise.

Thank you to our school parliament members who helped collect donations at drop off and pick up times today. Together, we have raised £94.23 - great work!





This week, the school parliament have been helping Mr Shepherd to think of some rules for our lunch hall, to help make sure that this time of day is a happy and enjoyable time for everyone. We'll be sharing some of our ideas with school in assembly on Monday.

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 12th February—Height and weight measurements for Reception and Year 6

Thursday 13th February—Dogs' Trust workshops

Friday 14th February—Non-uniform day and Valentine's Disco

Friday 14th February—last day of term

Monday 24th February—first day back at school

Thursday 6th March—World Book Day

Attendance

This week's attendance figures:

Reception-81%

Year 1—81.5%

Year 2-89.6%

Year 3-91.3%

Year 4—86.6%

Year 5-98%

Year 6-87.9%

Congratulations Year 5 — a fabulous week for you!

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SEND Help!

@ The Gap Community Centre, 10:00-12:00

Once a month on the following dates in 2025: 8th January, 12th February, 12th March, 9th April, 14th May, 11th June, 9th July, 13th Aug, 10th September, 8th October, 12th November and 10th December.

An adult led SEND support group for parent's/carers, whose child(ren) may or may not have a diagnosis.

Facilitated by Family Support Workers.

A chance to meet people who may be going through the same things as you.

Have open and honest conversations, in a safe space.

Signposting to helpful services & professionals.

Telephone the Family Supp<mark>ort Duty Line
on 01926 412412 to book</mark>