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- These children have been recognised by their teachers for exemplary attitude:
- Amelia Armstong is a helpful member of our class and has super behaviour.
- Evie Rose Hailes is a lovely friend to everyone in class and always tries hard.
- **Niamh Weatherburn** is a very conscientious worker who always produces neat work.
- Amber Crulley wrote some fantastic riddles about Peter Pan characters. Mr Rutherford found them very challenging! Well done, Amber.

- 💢 Caleigh Barras is making a fantastic effort in English and is a role model in class, sitting beautifully and listening
- Niamh Marchbanks has given 100% effort in her Maths work all term. She has been working really hard to remember all of her strategies. Keep it up, Niamh.
- James Routledge made an excellent effort in his accelerated reading test.
- Ryan Kent is making an excellent effort in Maths and showing increasing confidence with short multiplication.
- Grace Lisgo wrote an excellent, beautifully presented story about an issue. It is always such a pleasure to have ★ such a kind, caring girl in class.
- Alex Peet produced a great piece of descriptive writing about Charlie Bucket. Alex always makes a fantastic
- \Rightarrow Maya Atkinson wrote a fantastic non-fiction newspaper report. She is working in such a mature way and is using lots of ambitious vocabulary.
- Maddie Crawford has made a huge improvement in her writing. She wrote a fantastically detailed newspaper report and is really pushing herself.







Well done to all our Year 3,4, 5 and 6 Shanklea children who were absolute superstars at the Tag Rugby competitions this week.



Congratulations to our many very talented footballers who are achieving great things. Ellie Reid is shown here holding their most recent trophy.



Thank you to Bear and everyone from Cramlington Rockets who brought in the Rugby League cup to inspire the children this week.





Isabelle Mitchell has amazing

dance skills and is a real Hip Hop

champion. Well done. Isabelle.















Many congratulations to Mrs Ainsley and Mrs McConnell who completed a unique cycling challenge, the Wooler Wheel Borderlands, last weekend. Our intrepid cyclists powered through some very hilly climbs along the 60km route. taking in views of North Northumberland, the coast and the Cheviots. Well done, ladies!

Reception Class Assembly

Parents and carers are invited to attend a very special assembly by our Reception Classes on **Tuesday 23rd May at** 2.45pm. We look forward to seeing you there.





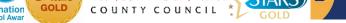














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Shanklea children don snazzy shoes to bring an extra big smile to Walk to School Week



This week, we encouraged children and their parents or carers to swap four wheels for two feet and give walking a go during Walk to School Week. As part of the challenge, the children were encouraged to wear the shoes that make them happiest – whether that is the brightest, jazziest or craziest shoes they own, to celebrate Living Streets" Happy Shoesday.

Walking to school is a brilliant way to get active and stay healthy. It's also a great opportunity for children to learn vital road safety skills and make sure they are alert and ready to learn at the start of a new day.

Walk to School Week is part of national charity, Living Streets', National Walking Month, a month dedicated to celebrating the benefits of walking – and the perfect time to give walking a go. This year Living Streets is urging everyone across the UK to #Try20 – that's walk for at least 20 minutes each day.



Reading and Homework Survey

The school team are interested in hearing your views regarding the re-launch of homework and the school reading system in Key Stage 2, in January 2017.



This week, we are sending out questionnaires to parents and children in Key Stage

2 to gather your opinions and establish how we can make things even better. We would be very grateful if you could return the forms to school as soon as you can. We appreciate your input.



Can you help?

Do you have skills to share? Do you have brilliant ideas? We will soon be sending out a questionnaire to see if anyone has skills that can help improve our school environment.

We have received some brilliant landscaping and art project ideas already and are aiming to implement some improvements soon. We are looking forward to hearing from you.

Shanklea Summer Fair Save the Date

We will send you lots more information soon about our Summer Fair which will be held on **Saturday 1**st **July 10am – 2pm**. We are looking forward to a very special, fun-filled fair.



General Election

The Electorate Team formally request to use the school premises when local or general elections occur. Historically, the school and governors have requested that the voting be held elsewhere due to the disruption to learning and the impact upon childcare. An alternative location was trialled but was found to restrict the number of people voting and access for the wider populace. As a result, we have been

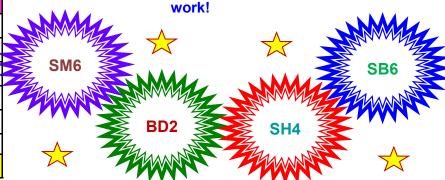
told that our school is needed for local and general elections.

When the school site is used, the children cannot attend school due to safeguarding and child protection concerns. Their safety and wellbeing must be our primary concern. We apologise for the impact on our children, families and staff but are unable to refuse use of the premises. Thank you for your continuing support.

Attendance Matters

Congratulations to the following classes who achieved 100% attendance last week. A particular well done to Year 6 who achieved 100% attendance. Keep up the good

Year Group	Average Attendance %
Reception	94.7
Year 1	95.6
Year 2	99.4
Year 3	95.8
Year 4	99.2
Year 5	97.2
★ Year 6	100 🛨





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Is my child too ill for school?

When your child is unwell, it can be hard deciding whether to keep them off school. These simple guidelines should help.

Not every illness needs to keep your child from school. If you keep your child away from school, be sure to inform us on the first day of their absence.

Use common sense when deciding whether or not your child is too ill to attend school. Ask yourself the following questions.

- Is my child well enough to do the activities of the school day? If not, keep your child at home.
- Does my child have a condition that could be passed on to other children or school staff? If so, keep your child at home.
- Would I take a day off work if I had this condition? If so, keep your child at home.

Preventing Infection

It is important that everyone practices good hygiene at all times. Please encourage your children to wash their hands, particularly after going to the toilet. Thank you.



Year 6 SATs Treat

Our Year 6 children received a very sweet treat this week as a reward for their hard work and excellent attitude during their SATs.

Thank you to Vision for Education who very kindly arranged for an ice cream van to come to school.

Cough and cold: A child with a minor cough or cold may attend school. If the cold is accompanied by a raised temperature, shivers or drowsiness, the child should stay off school, visit the GP and return to school 24 hours after they start to feel better. If your child has a more severe and long-lasting cough, consult your GP. They can give guidance on whether your child should stay off school.

Raised temperature: If your child has a raised temperature, they shouldn't attend school. They can return 24 hours after they start to feel better.

Rash: Skin rashes can be the first sign of many infectious illnesses, such as chickenpox and measles. Children with these conditions shouldn't attend school. If your child has a rash, check with your GP or practice nurse before sending them to school.

Headache: A child with a minor headache doesn't usually need to be kept off school. If the headache is more severe or is accompanied by other symptoms, such as raised temperature or drowsiness, then keep the child off school and consult your GP. Read more about what to do about headaches in children.

Vomiting and diarrhoea: Children with diarrhoea and/or vomiting should definitely be kept off school until at least **48 hours** after their symptoms have gone. Most cases of diarrhoea and vomiting in children get better without treatment, but if symptoms persist, consult your GP.

Sore throat: A sore throat alone doesn't have to keep a child from school. But if it's accompanied by a raised temperature, your child should stay at home.

Chicken pox: If your child has chickenpox, keep them off school until all their spots have crusted over.

Children's Cancer Run 2017

Sunday 21 May 2017, 9.30am to 1pm; Newcastle Racecourse, Gosforth Park

Good luck to all the Shanklea children, parents and staff taking part in the 35th Children's Cancer Run this weekend. Everyone who has signed should have received their packs. We will park in Car Park B and meet from 10.30am by the Shanklea banner. Our run start time is 11am.

What's on at OOSC

Our theme for the week is "Home Grown" Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday A day in the life of a Layered Pasta pot How many types of tomatoes Let's get growing Iceberg vs strawberry are there? Baby Gem Plants we eat Seed planting Let's take a bite! What am I? I-Spy Plants and animals' needs

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Cereals Containing Gluten	Milk	Sesame Seeds
	Molluscs	🌌 Soya
€ Eggs	Mustard	👀 Sulphur Dioxide

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Course Choices	Salmon Fillet Tuna or Cheese Wrap Acket Potato with a Choice of Fillings	☑ ☑ ☐ Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings	Roast of the Day with Yorkshire Pudding Cold Roast of the Day or Cheese Salad Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings	Chicken Curry Chicken Fajitas Chicken Fajitas Chicken Fajitas Chicken Fajitas	Pulled Chicken / Pork Sandwich with BBQ Sauce Homemade Cheese & Tomato Pizza Slice Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings
Potatoes Pasta/Rice	Jacket Potato Wedges	✓ Warm Garlic Bread	Roast Potatoes Crusty Bread	Wholemeal Rice Couscous New Potatoes	Chips
Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables
Salad Bowl	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad 🚰 🎅 Plated Salads 🛮 🗀 🔝	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad
Starters or Sweets	Fruit Muffin with a Glass of Milk	Homemade Fruit Sponge with Custard	Shortbread Biscuit with Slice of Fruit and	Fruit Crumble with Ice Cream	Flapjack with a Glass of Milk
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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Course Ghoices	Sweet Chilli Chicken & Sweetcorn Enchiladas Fish cake Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings	Savoury Mince Pie Spanish Omelette Spanish Omelette Choice of Fillings	Roast of the Day with Yorkshire Pudding Cold Roast of the Day or Cheese Salad Cheese Salad Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings	Chicken Curry Chicken Casserole Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings	Fish Fingers Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Potatoes Pasta / Rice	Jacket Potato Wedges Crusty Bread	Creamed Potatoes	Roast Potatoes	Basmati Rice	Chips
Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables
Salad Bar	Seasonal Salad Plated Salads	Seasonal Salad Plated Salads	Seasonal Salad Plated Salads	Seasonal Salad Plated Salads	Seasonal Salad Plated Salads
Starters or Sweets	Chocolate Brownie with a Glass of Milk	Peach Crumble with Custard	Fruit and Jelly or Jelly and Ice Cream	Fruit Mousse Slice or Cheese and Biscuits	Homemade Biscuit with
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Gourse	Chicken Fajitas / Wrap	Savoury Mince & Dumplings Macaroni Cheese	_	Chicken Pie	Oven Baked Sausage 유교국의
Choices	Bacon Pasta Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings	of Fillings	Greese Salad Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings	Tomato & Basil Sauce Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings	Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings
Potatoes Pasta / Rice	Jacket Potato Wedges	Creamed Potatoes	Roast Potatoes	Creamed Potato Crusty Bread	Chips
Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables
Salad Bar 🤅	Seasonal Salads Market Plated Salads	Seasonal Salads Plated Salads	Seasonal Salads 🚻	Seasonal Salads Plated Salads	Seasonal Salads Plated Salads
Starters or Sweets	Syrup Sponge with	Fruit Whip	Fruit Cheesecake or Fruit Salad	Carrot Cake with a Glass of Milk	Homemade Biscuit with Glass of Juice

