

### Shepton Beauchamp Church School News



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#### Head's Update...

Dear Parent and Carers,

Another very busy few weeks in Gryphon and Phoenix class! It has been wonderful seeing all the children's progress in their learning. I am very proud of how our Year 2s and Year 6s have matured and grown into their roles supporting the younger years and modelling being ready, safe and respectful amazing role models!

As I am working across both schools, there are times where I may not be at the gate or in school for the drop-in sessions. Please still contact the office if there is anything you wish to discuss, and I will make sure a meeting is arranged as soon as

Family Helpers - We would love to have more family members come in to school! If you are interested in coming in to read or support with our children, please let the office know.

#### European Languages Day

We have been celebrating European Languages Day today. Both Gryphon and Phoenix class have been busy exploring and finding out about different countries in Europe, learning key words and phrases in different languages and considering what is the same and what is different compared to our country and language.

Best wishes, Kirsy Luffman Head of School



Our school attendance target is 96%

We are at 97.42%

Phoenix Class current attendance

100%

Gryphon Class current attendance

96.33%

+ 3.47%

#### THIS WEEK'S GALLERY

Issue: 66









<u>Headteacher's Award</u> Mabel Amelia

Friday's Children

Dylan Sebastian

## This week Full time Attendance VIP Raffle Ticket Winners are...

Mabel Archie Martha D Dylan Stanley B Izzy Amelia Ruby Florence Freddie Millie Tilly Stirling Daisy Sebastian Stanley Jasmine Martha W Austin Head of school drop-in sessions every Thursday at 9am.

Mrs Luffman is available for any parent to drop in to see her without the need for an appointment. Please do feel free to use this session to answer any queries you may have.

Friday Family Assemblies

Come and join us every Friday at 2.45pm.

#### Breakfast and Read - 24th October

Throughout the year, we will be holding Breakfast sessions where families are invited in to join in with different learning. This is an opportunity to share ways to support your child at home and enjoy some time together in school.

The first session will be **Breakfast and Read** where you all are invited to share a
book with your child.

We will also be holding a Breakfast and Create which will explore creative and imaginative writing and Breakfast and number which will look at maths games focusing on times tables. Further dates to follow.

#### Phoenix Class News

Phoenix class have caught the reading bug! Whether they're curled up in the book corner or sharing a story with a friend, their interest in books is shining through. As part of their Movers and Shakers topic, Key Stage One children used a diamond ranking system to order significant people. This sparked fantastic discussions and debates! It was lovely to see them not only share their own ideas but also recognising the views of their peers.

#### Gryphon Class News

Gryphon class have been exploring their new book "How to live forever" and discussing the pros and cons to immortality. They have been very busy in maths rounding numbers and counting through zero.

The class have also been learning about the significance of primary sources linked to Sutton Hoo.

#### **Diary Dates**

- Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October FOSS AGM (see FOSS Newsletter for details)
- Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October Harvest Assembly 2.30pm in Church
- $\bullet$   $\,$  Friday  $10^{\text{th}}$  October Individual and sibling School Photos
- Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October KS2 Trip to Glastonbury Abbey
- Thursday 16th October FOSS Bag 2 School Deadline
- Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October FOSS Cake Sale
- Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> & Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October Parents Evening
- Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October Breakfast and read 8.30 9.15am
- Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October FOSS Non uniform day
- Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October Last day of Autumn Term 1
- Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November First day of Autumn Term 2

The school calendar for 2025/26 can be found under the Parents Tab, listed as Term Dates. Go to: www.sheptonbeauchamp.co.uk



FRIDAY 24TH OCTOBER

# Breakfast AND READ

Come and join us at Shepton Beauchamp Church School for a breakfast and read session with Gryphon and Phoenix Class Sit with a cup or tea or coffee and take part in some reading activities with your child.



8:30 - 9:15AM

