



# Sharples

## SCHOOL

# Newsletter

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### World Book Day

Last week, our school was transformed into a world of imagination as we celebrated World Book Week in true literary style!

Each department was given a different genre as their theme, and staff embraced the challenge with fantastic creativity. From thrilling mysteries and magical fantasies to gripping science fiction and classic fairy tales, classrooms were brought to life with themed costumes and genre-inspired lessons. Students were immersed in learning experiences that reflected the style, language and excitement of each genre, making lessons both engaging and memorable.

The library became the heart of the celebration, hosting a range of reading challenges throughout the week. Students eagerly took part in quizzes, scavenger hunts, codebreakers and The Case of the Missing Librarian, all designed to encourage them to explore new authors and genres.

One of the most special parts of the week was seeing reading shared beyond our school walls. Groups of students visited a local care home to read to elderly residents, bringing stories, conversation and companionship to the community. We also had students visit a primary school to read with younger pupils, acting as wonderful role models and inspiring a love of books in the next generation.

A huge thank you to all staff and students who made World Book Week such a success!





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#### Computing Celebrates STEM Week: Curiosity in Action

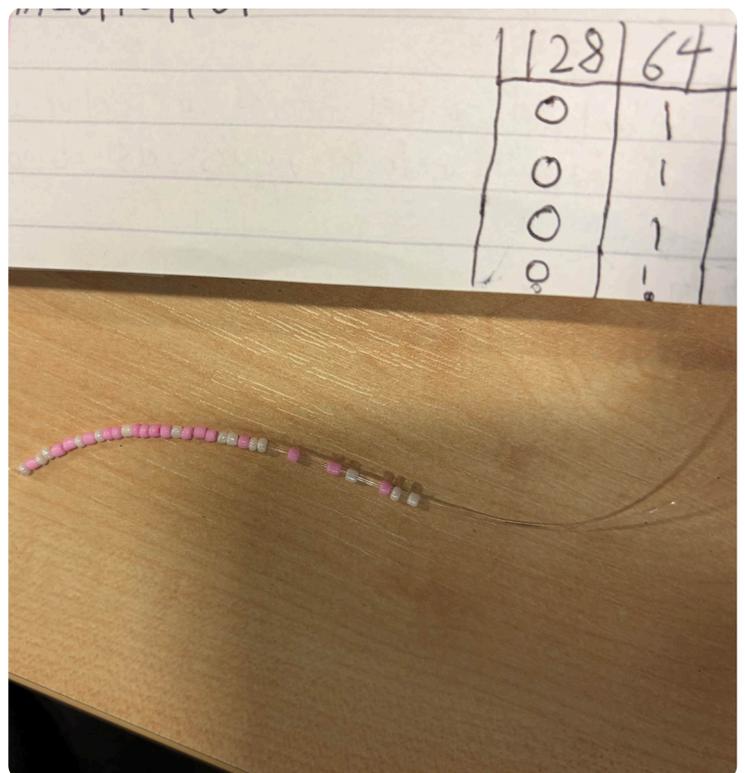
This year, our Computing Department proudly joined the school's celebration of STEM Week, embracing the theme "Curiosity." Throughout the week, students explored how asking questions and wondering "how things work" can lead to amazing technological discoveries.

#### Year 7: Coding Names with Binary Bracelets

Our Year 7 students have been putting their binary and ASCII knowledge into practice by creating their very own binary bracelets (as pictured below). Using what they have learned about how computers represent characters with numbers, students converted the letters of their names into ASCII, and then translated those numbers into binary code.

They then used coloured beads to represent the 0s and 1s, carefully threading them to encode their names into a wearable bracelet. This activity helped students see how the abstract ideas of binary and ASCII are actually used to represent text inside computers.

The result was a collection of colourful bracelets, each secretly containing the student's name written in the language of computers!

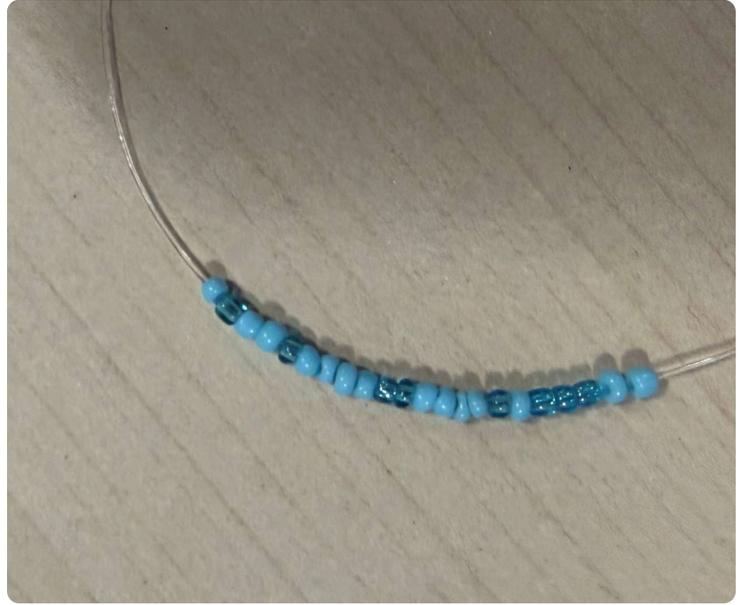




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#### Year 8: Imagining the Future Through Curiosity

Meanwhile, Year 8 students tackled the Big Question for STEM Week:

“What technology might exist in the future because someone was curious enough to invent it?”

Students explored how many of today’s technologies—such as smartphones, artificial intelligence, and space exploration—began with someone simply asking “What if?”

Working collaboratively, students brainstormed and designed their own ideas for future technologies. Their imaginative concepts included AI-powered medical robots, smart cities that automatically reduce pollution, wearable devices that translate any language instantly, and even technology that could help humans live on other planets.

Through discussion and creative thinking, students recognised that curiosity is often the starting point for innovation and discovery.

#### Curiosity: The Start of Every Invention

STEM Week reminded us that every piece of technology we use today exists because someone, somewhere, was curious enough to ask a question and explore the answer. Whether encoding their names in binary or imagining the technologies of tomorrow, our students demonstrated that curiosity is alive and well in our computing classrooms.

We look forward to seeing where their curiosity will take them next!



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#### STEM Week - Escape the Lab



On Monday, students attempted to "Escape the Lab", an exciting science challenge that tested their problem-solving skills under pressure. Working in teams, participants raced against the clock to crack a series of biology, chemistry and physics puzzles. Each correct answer unlocked the next stage, pushing students to think critically and collaborate effectively. From using microscopes to decode biological clues to using chemical reactions and physics experiments, the room was filled with energy and determination. The challenge encouraged teamwork, logical thinking and resilience. Congratulations to all who took part for their enthusiasm and impressive scientific reasoning while attempting to "escape" before time ran out.

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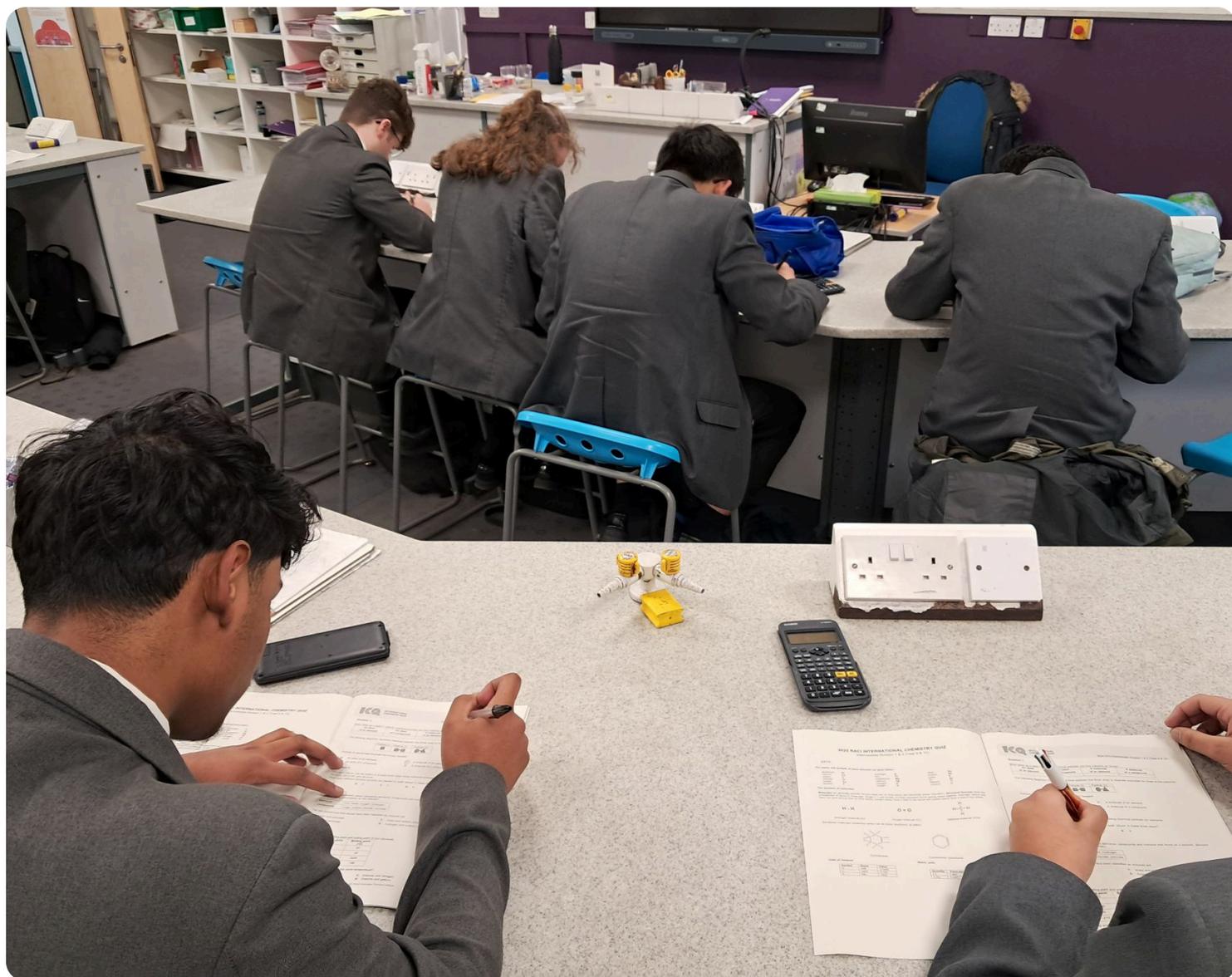


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#### STEM Week - International Chemistry Quiz



On Tuesday, Year 9 and 10 students took part in the International Chemistry Quiz, a competition designed to challenge and extend students' chemical knowledge. Participants tackled a wide range of questions covering topics from atomic structure and the periodic table to chemical reactions and real-world applications of chemistry. The quiz encouraged students to apply what they have learned in lessons while also thinking beyond the curriculum. It was fantastic to see so many enthusiastic chemists willing to test themselves against an international standard. Well done to everyone who participated for embracing the challenge and demonstrating curiosity, determination and a passion for chemistry.

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#### STEM Week - Paper Aeroplane Competition



Creativity and engineering skills were on full display during the school's paper aeroplane competition. Students carefully designed, folded and tested their planes, aiming to achieve the greatest distance across the sports hall. Different designs demonstrated how changes in shape and balance can affect flight performance. The highlight of the event came when one student launched a plane that travelled all the way to the back wall of the sports hall, an impressive feat that drew cheers from the crowd. The competition was a fun way to explore the principles of aerodynamics while encouraging experimentation, innovation and a little friendly rivalry.

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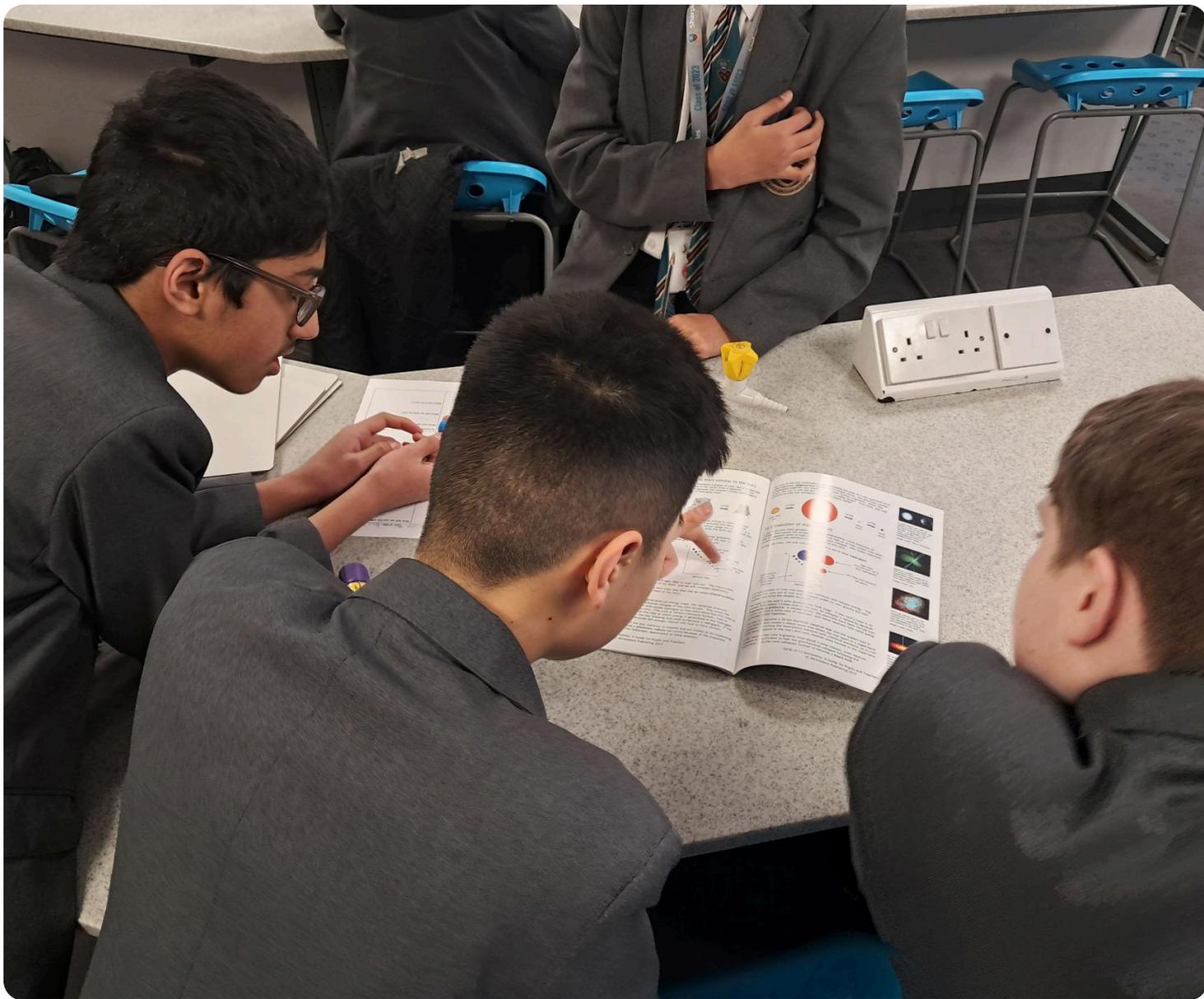


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#### STEM Week - Science Projects



Students across Years 7, 8 and 9 have been working hard on their science projects this term, exploring a range of fascinating topics. Year 7 students investigated human organ systems and how different parts of the body work together to keep us alive and healthy. Year 8 students researched elements of the periodic table, discovering their properties and uses in everyday life. Meanwhile, Year 9 students explored stellar evolution, learning how stars form, change and eventually reach the end of their life cycles. The projects showcased creativity, research skills and scientific curiosity... More updates on finished projects next week!

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#### Year 8 Maths Countdown Competition



To celebrate STEM Week, Year 8 students took part in an exciting Countdown competition. The winners from each class went head-to-head on Wednesday to compete for the title of overall Countdown Champion.

The competition featured three rounds inspired by the popular TV gameshow: the Numbers Game, where students used their arithmetic skills to get as close as possible to a randomly generated three-digit number; a Word Round, where they created the longest word they could from nine random letters; and the Conundrum, where they had to solve a nine-letter anagram.

As expected, everyone competed brilliantly and the scores were incredibly close. The overall winner will be announced next week.

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#### Mathematician of the Month



Every month a student is nominated from each of the maths classes for Mathematician of the Month. These students are nominated based on their hard work, enthusiasm and efforts within the lesson.

Well done to February's nominees for fantastic work in maths lessons!

#### Year 7

Jack L  
Ibrahim P  
Cobey B  
Mason C  
Ashhad R  
Josh S  
Fatema G  
Ahmad R P  
Harry D

#### Year 8

Raiyaan N  
Lavina K  
Joshua M  
Bryan B  
Madeeha T  
Rayan Z  
Humera Y  
Abeera F

#### Year 9

Yusuf B  
Safaa H-K  
Alayna H  
Subhan K  
Isa A  
Ashwin K  
Eunice C  
Aman D  
Jaden B

#### Year 10

Haroon K  
Elise K  
Tia S  
Aoife C  
Leon L  
Luke T  
Musa D M  
Jacob M  
Joe W

#### Year 11

Amania K  
Khalid P  
Mohammed P  
Hamzah M  
Aimee W  
Mohtada A  
Mayran G  
Azeem A  
Summer S



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#### A Tasty Treat for Year 8 Winners



WELL DONE to 8Shar3 who won enough Welsh cakes for the whole class, and a lovely bunch of daffodils to brighten the classroom. The form, led by Miss Heaton, correctly entered all the names of the famous Welsh faces in the world of politics, showbusiness, sport, royalty and others. Here are students Ariana P and Zahraa C receiving their prizes, as part of St David's Day celebrations.

The names needed were: Dylan Thomas, Gareth Bale, Anthony Hopkins. Catherine Zeta Jones, Shirley Bassey, Prince William, Jonathon Davies, Christian Bale, Colin Jackson and Aneurin Bevan.

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### Tickets on Sale - Monday 16th March

'OMIGOD YOU GUYS!' We are only weeks away from the opening night of Legally Blonde. The cast and crew are working extremely hard to bring this fantastic show to the Sharples Theatre. Grab your tickets before they are all gone! Tickets will be available on ticketsource from Monday. [Here is the link to order your tickets and to pre-order your programme.](#)

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PRESENTS

**LEGALLY  
BLONDE**  
*The Musical - JR.*

**WEDNESDAY  
22<sup>ND</sup>  
THURSDAY  
23<sup>RD</sup> APRIL**      **7PM**

ADULT £6.50  
CHILD £4.50  
FAMILY £20  
(2X ADULTS AND 2X CHILDREN UNDER 14)

Music and Lyrics by  
Laurence O'Keefe and Nell Benjamin  
Book by  
Heather Hach

Legally Blonde JR. is presented through special  
arrangement with  
and all authorized materials are supplied by  
Music Theatre International, New York, NY  
(212) 541-4684 mtishows.com

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#### Year 8 Poetry Workshop



Yesterday, our Year 8 students took part in an exciting poetry workshop led by poet Jack Nicholls. During the session, students explored a range of poetic techniques and were encouraged to experiment with language, imagery and rhythm while writing their own original poems.

Jack shared his experience as a poet and guided students through a series of creative activities designed to spark ideas and build confidence in their writing. The workshop gave everyone the chance to express themselves and share their work with their classmates.

Students produced a variety of imaginative and thoughtful poems, and the session was a fantastic opportunity for Year 8 to develop their creativity and discover new ways to enjoy poetry. A big well done to all the students who took part and embraced the challenge with enthusiasm.

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#### English Department's Stars of the Week

##### Work of the Week

Year 7

Tanvir H for their excellent work on Beowulf. [Click here to view the work.](#)

Year 8

Marcie for her fantastic review on the most powerful person she knows. [Click here to view the work.](#)

Year 9

Alyssa E for their World Book Day monologue inspired by Pride and Prejudice. [Click here to view the work.](#)

Year 10

Zarah S for her brilliant first attempt at a Romeo and Juliet 15 mark response. [Click here to view the work.](#)

Year 11

Tilly E for her work on the theme of conflict in Romeo and Juliet. [Click here to view the work.](#)

##### Readers of the Week

Year 7

Aaminah Z for her clear reading voice.

Year 8

Fatima M for for reading with beautiful and clear intonation.

Year 9

Mason R for always volunteering to read.

Year 10

Fatima I for always volunteering to read.

Year 11

Lia S for reading out her quote analysis.



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#### Year 7 Maths Careers Activity



Last week, during National Careers Week, the Maths Department engaged in a variety of career-related activities. Year 7 participated in an Estate Agent challenge, applying their knowledge from the Area and Perimeter unit. They analysed different floor plans to help market properties and then presented their findings to the class. We had some fantastic presentations—well done, Year 7!





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#### MUFC Tournament



Following on from winning the KS4 Bolton football tournament a couple of weeks ago, the girls were invited to The Cliff, one of Manchester United's training grounds, to take part in a MUFC foundation tournament. They competed against schools from across Greater Manchester and represented the school brilliantly throughout the day. Out of 12 teams, the girls finished in a very respectable 5th place, competing strongly against a number of talented teams from across the region. Well done, girls! Please see the next page for further pictures.

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#### Year 7 Squad Game & 2-1 Win at BSCA



Year 7 have been training throughout the winter break and a game was arranged against BCSA to provide an opportunity for students to represent the school who haven't done so previously but have trained all winter. It was fantastic to see new faces representing the school for the first time and the team didn't disappoint recording a 2-1 win. Josh W scoring the first an then Haroon K took his chance well on his debut. Well done to all the boys, especially those that made their debut!

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#### Year 8 Friendly vs Thornleigh



Year 8 also had a friendly game arranged this week to allow some players who haven't represented school this season but have trained throughout the winter the opportunity to represent the school team. It was a game to remember for all the team, especially those making their debut for school. Praise took his goal well on his first game, Raess hit a lovely shot from the edge of the box into the far corner, Rehan slotted home his penalty and scored an amazing goal from outside the box, Josh scored his first of the season and Abdoulhi scored a hat trick firing all 3 of his goals with power into the roof of the net.

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#### Year 8 Netball Tournament



Well done to our Year 8 netball team who competed in the town tournament on Tuesday evening. The girls produced some fantastic netball throughout the competition and were consistent in their performances against strong opposition. Their efforts paid off as they finished in an impressive 3rd place overall. Congratulations to the team on a great achievement!

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#### Year 10 Football Cup Fixture



On Wednesday night, our Year 10 boys football team took on St Joseph's in the cup. It was a very cagey start to the game as both teams struggled to break each other down, unfortunately for us, St Joseph's broke the deadlock from the penalty spot. This spurred the Sharples boys on and kicked them into gear, outplaying St Joseph's for the rest of the match. Early in the second half Kledi scored and brought it back to 1-1. Rayyan was causing chaos for the opposition as he was creating plenty of chances and very unlucky not to score. With around 5 minutes left of the game Callum managed to find the net, giving us the lead. The game looked to be wrapped up at this stage but a lapse in concentration saw St Joseph's make it 2-2 in the final minute of the game, taking us to penalties. Unfortunately it wasn't our night and we lost on penalties.

Special mention to man of the match Rayyan with an excellent performance, whilst fasting.

Well played boys, onto the next one. #UpTheSharples



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#### Year 7 & Year 8 Netball vs Essa



Our Year 7 and Year 8 netball teams were back in action on Wednesday evening as they took on Essa. It was a fantastic night for the teams, with both sides securing impressive victories. There were standout performances from Elysia E (Y7), Martha B (Y7) and Teegan S (Y8), who all made a big impact during the matches. The Year 7 team will be back in action next Tuesday as they compete in the town tournament!

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#### Dates for your Diary

Monday 16th March:  
New World New Skills  
(Maths trip - all day)

Tuesday 17th March:  
William Hare Visit  
(10:00 – 11:30am)

Tuesday 17th March:  
Y8 football v  
Thornleigh (3:00 –  
5:30pm)

Wednesday 18th  
March: Y7 football v  
ESSA (3:00 – 5:30pm)

Friday 20th March:  
Staff training day  
(school is not open to  
pupils)

#### Attendance Information

Reporting an absence:

If your child is too ill to attend school, please contact the school before 9.30am with full details of your child's illness/symptoms. The attendance email is the easiest way to contact school as the phone line can get very busy.

The school attendance email is: [attendance@sharplesschool.co.uk](mailto:attendance@sharplesschool.co.uk)

If we are unable to make contact and you do not provide a reason for your child's absence, this absence will be recorded as unauthorised.

#### Attendance Data

Year Groups attendance this week:

7 = 95.76%  
8 = 96.66%  
9 = 94.30%  
10 = 94.88%  
11 = 93.53%

Best forms this week:

7Ples5 = 99.08%  
8Ples3 = 100%  
9Ples1 = 100%  
10Shar1 = 100%  
11Ples2 = 98.72%

205 pupils have achieved 100% this academic year

#### Career of the Week: Broadcast Journalist

*Broadcast journalists research and present the news on TV, radio and the internet..*

##### Qualifications:

- You can apply for this job through; a university course, an apprenticeship, working towards this role, applying directly or the graduate training scheme.
- 2 to 3 A levels, or equivalent, for a degree.
- A degree in any subject for a postgraduate course.
- 4 or 5 GCSEs at grades 9 to 4 (A\* to C) and A levels, or equivalent, for a higher or degree apprenticeship.

##### Skills required:

- Knowledge of media production and communication.
- Knowledge of English language.
- The ability to use your initiative.
- To be thorough and pay attention to detail.
- The ability to accept criticism and work well under pressure.
- Patience and the ability to remain calm in stressful situations.
- Excellent verbal communication skills.

##### Relevant Subjects:

- English, Humanities, Performing Arts.

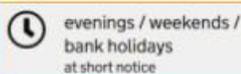
Average Salary:



Typical hours:  
(per week)



You could work:



Information sourced from: <https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/job-profiles/broadcast-journalist>



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#### PE Lunch Time Clubs - This Half Term

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Y7 Football (Big Astro) - AHM	Y8 Football (Big Astro) - PGR	Y7 Football (Big Astro) - AHM	Y8 Football (Big Astro) - AHM	Y9 Football (Big Astro) - AHM
Y11 Football (Small astro) JBA	Y10 Football (Small astro) JBA	Y11 Football (Small astro) JBA	Y11 Football (Small astro) JBA	Y11 Football (Small Astro) - JBA
Netball Yr 7/8 (SH) - LAL	KS3 Dodgeball (SH) - LAL/AHM	Just Dance- all years (SH) - LAL/PGR	Basketball (SH) - LAL	Y7 Girls Football (SH) - LAL
	Sports studies catch up/KS3 hmwk- AHM			



#### PE After School Clubs - This Half Term

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Y7 Football v Thornleigh (a)	Y7 netball tournament (a)	Y7 Football v ESSA (a)	KS4 Fitness Suite- SHAR	PE detentions
KS3 boys Swimming	Y8 Football v Thornleigh (a)	KS3 girls Swimming Club	Girls football-all years	
Netball - all years	KS4 Fitness Suite- SHAR	Y9/10 football practice		
	Running Club- all years	Girls fitness suite		
	Racquets- all years			

Week beginning 16th March

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# ENGLISH NEWSLETTER

FRIDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> MARCH

LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION

YEAR 10 LITERATURE SOCIETY

SCREEN:

U10



13:00

25/03/26



Year 10 Literature Society is underway!

The theme for their year group is  
Film and Literature.

**There's less than 2 weeks left now!**

Presentations will be at lunchtime on **Wednesday 25th**, in the library, where students and staff can come to celebrate your finished projects.

There'll be up to 100 reward points up for grabs and prizes with treats for the best. There'll even a rewards trip at the end of the year for the winners!



# MORE COMPETITIONS



## GRIM TALES

Write your own Grim story.  
500 word limit.  
See **Miss Hassan** for more details.  
Deadline: Friday 20th March



## ROTARY YOUNG WRITER'S COMPETITION

**CALLING ALL YEAR 7-9 WRITERS!** ✨  
READY TO TURN YOUR IMAGINATION WILD? ❤️  
**THE ROTARY YOUNG WRITER COMPETITION 2025-26** 🦋

**YOUR MISSION:** ✍️  
Choose ONE:  
📖 Short Story – up to 550 words  
OR  
🖋️ Poem – up to 40 lines.  
Submission deadline: Friday 20th March 2026

**THEME:** 🌞  
**HAPPINESS IN NATURE**

- 🌊 The ocean crashing?
- 🌸 Flowers blooming?
- 🐾 Wildlife adventures?
- ☁️ Rainy day reflections?
- 🌍 Protecting our planet?

**WHY ENTER?** 🏆

- ⭐ Show your creativity
- ⭐ Complete beyond school level
- ⭐ Win certificates
- ⭐ Boost your confidence
- ⭐ Impress real judges

**WHO CAN ENTER?**

Year 7-9  
(Ages 11-14)

LET YOUR WORDS BLOOM  
LET YOUR IDEAS ROAR  
FIND YOUR HAPPINESS IN NATURE  
ASK YOUR ENGLISH TEACHER HOW TO ENTER!

What you need to know:  
⭐ No pictures  
⭐ No AI  
⭐ Stick to the word/ line limit  
⭐ Enter the local heat  
⭐ See Miss Chikol for more information

**WORLD**

**BOOK**

**DAY**

## Published Author Event

Year 7 students enjoyed a special visit to Bolton Library as part of a 'meet the author' event.

The group of pupils were each issued with a book (bought by Sharples School), which was then signed by the published author and sports journalist Scott Allen.

They were given an amusing insight into how ideas are developed into creating a fictional story, and they enjoyed taking part in a question and answer session about the author and his career.

The invitation was part of World Book Day, and was one of a number of trips organised last week.



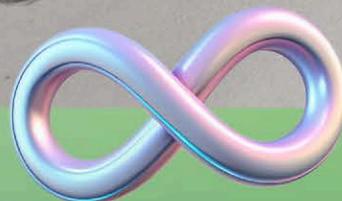
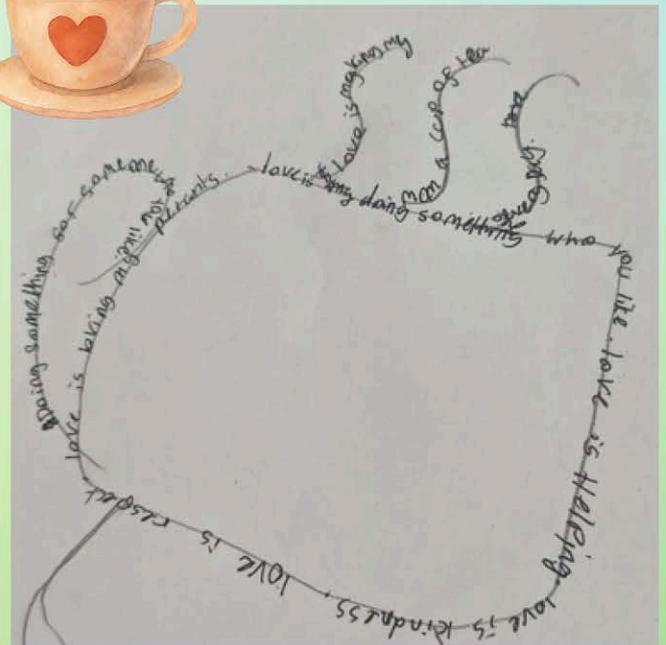
# WORLD BOOK DAY

## Shaping Up for Some Beautiful Poems

Well done to everyone that showed their creative side when they worked their magic with some shape poems.

Year 7 were asked to write a poem in the shape of their passion, or their love for someone, as part of **World Book Day**.

Students blended art with language, with poems about music, pets, and even cups of tea!



# WHAT ELSE IS ON?

## Books and Biscuits



Tuesday  
Lunchtime  
in the library



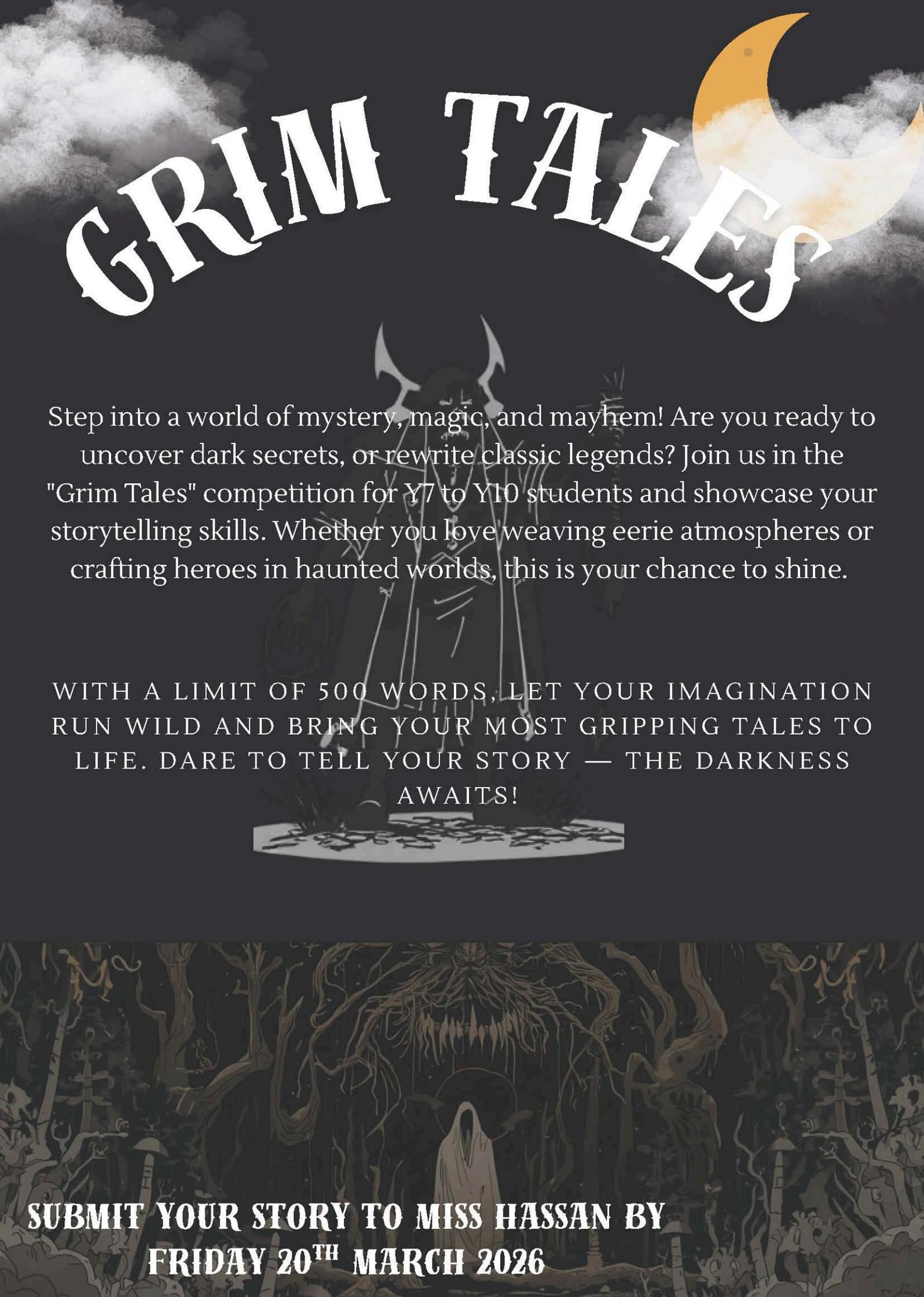
Anime Club  
1:05 in U15  
every Wednesday

## SHARPLES RADIO

The Sharples Radio team have been busy making monthly podcasts. All podcasts can be found on the Student Voice page of the school website.

<https://www.sharplesschool.co.uk/student-voice/>





# GRIM TALES

Step into a world of mystery, magic, and mayhem! Are you ready to uncover dark secrets, or rewrite classic legends? Join us in the "Grim Tales" competition for Y7 to Y10 students and showcase your storytelling skills. Whether you love weaving eerie atmospheres or crafting heroes in haunted worlds, this is your chance to shine.

WITH A LIMIT OF 500 WORDS, LET YOUR IMAGINATION RUN WILD AND BRING YOUR MOST GRIPPING TALES TO LIFE. DARE TO TELL YOUR STORY — THE DARKNESS AWAITS!

**SUBMIT YOUR STORY TO MISS HASSAN BY  
FRIDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2026**



# BATTLE OF THE BANDS

KS3 REWARDS CONCERT

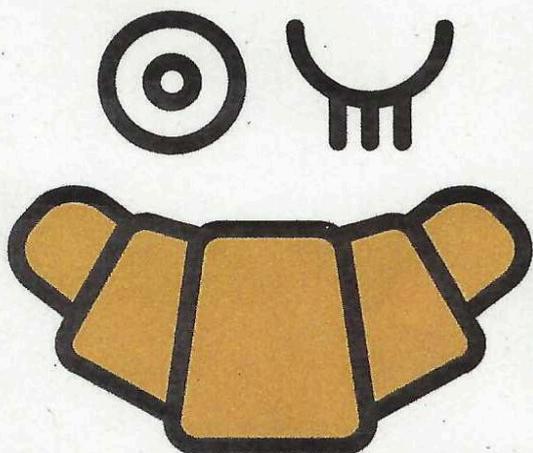
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MARCH  
2026

TICKETS  
£1  
\*INC.  
SWEET BAG



TO QUALIFY FOR A TICKET YOU MUST HAVE AT LEAST 95% ATTENDANCE AND ZERO NEGATIVE POINTS SINCE JANUARY 2026

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM MRS BROOK IN G29 TO QUALIFYING PUPILS FROM MONDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> MARCH



Start your day with a smile

## Mellors breakfasts

Toast 32p

Potato Cake 45p

Crumpet 41p

Waffle £1.10

Pancake 45p

Cheese on Toast 70p

Pain Au Chocolate 70p

Cinamon Swirl £1.18

Toasted Teacake 50p

Bacon or Sausage Barm £1.40

Egg & Bacon Barm £1.55

Croissant 70p

Hash Brown 45p

Look out for our daily  
Specials

*Mellors*  
**FOOD**  
**HAPPY**



# SPUDSTAR MENU

*Mellors*  
**FOOD**  
**HAPPY**

## The Classics

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	Per spud
Tuna Mayo	£1.85
Cheese	£1.85
Cheesy Beans	£2.10
Homemade Coleslaw	£1.85

## Next level Spudness

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	Per spud
Veg Chilli	£2.10
Veg Curry	£2.10
Filling of the Day	£2.10
Garlic Butter & Cheese	£2.10

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## Feeling extra?

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	Per extra
Cheese	£0.40p
Beans	£0.42p
Dried Onions	£0.30p
Side Salad	£0.45p

# BE A HIGH-FLYER... A HEALTHY SCHOOL LUNCH SUPPORTS YOUR LEARNING!

Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Dish	 SAUSAGE & MASH £1.85	 CHINESE CURRY OF THE DAY £2.10	 CRISPY BATTERED FISH & CHIPS £2.10	HOMEMADE MACARONI CHEESE £1.80	SALSA POTATO £1.80
Vegetarian Main Dish	HOMEMADE CHICKPEA & LENTIL CURRY £1.80	 CHINESE VEG NOODLES £1.85	CHEESE PASTIE & CHIPS £2.10	PAV BHAJI IN A BUN WITH SALAD £1.80 	 PIZZA OF THE DAY £1.50 
And there is more.....	SANDWICH SELECTION £1.45-£1.85 JACKET POTATO & FILLING £1.85 SALAD BOX £1.90	SAME AS MONDAY	SAME AS MONDAY	SAME AS MONDAY	SAME AS MONDAY
Street Food	Love Joes Curry Pot £1.90 Panini £1.95	Love Joes Curry Pot £1.90 Panini £1.95	Love Joes Curry Pot £1.90 Panini £1.95	Love Joes Curry Pot £1.90 Panini £1.95	Love Joes Curry Pot £1.90 Panini £1.95
Italian Daily Special	Pasta King Sauce of the Day £1.90	Pasta King Sauce of the Day £1.90	Pasta King Sauce of the Day £1.90	Pasta King Sauce of the Day £1.90	Pasta King Sauce of the Day £1.90
Dessert	Fruit Pots 55p-£1.30 Traybake 72p Biscuit 50p Cheese & Crackers 85p	Fruit Pots 55p-£1.30 Traybake 72p Biscuit 50p Cheese & Crackers 85p	Fruit Pots 55p-£1.30 Traybake 72p Biscuit 50p Cheese & Crackers 85p	Fruit Pots 55p-£1.30 Traybake 72p Biscuit 50p Cheese & Crackers 85p	Fruit Pots 55p-£1.30 Traybake 72p Biscuit 50p Cheese & Crackers 85p



# MENU

**KEY**

-  - 1 OF YOUR 5 A DAY
-  - CHEF'S CHOICE
-  - MEAT-FREE MONDAY
-  - PLANT-BASED (VEGAN)



## What support can we offer?

- Support and guidance for parents who are not feeling confident following a breakdown in relationship.
- Tips for managing your own and your children's feelings.
- Rebuilding relationships with your children following family conflict.



# Empower Parents

## Positives we aim to achieve:

- Parents to feel equipped to manage difficult situations.
- Parents to understand their children's perspectives and have new strategies to support them.
- Building a parent peer support community.

## We are here



25<sup>th</sup> February  
4<sup>th</sup> March  
11<sup>th</sup> March  
18<sup>th</sup> March  
25<sup>th</sup> March  
1<sup>st</sup> April



10am - 12pm

## At

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Shaw Street,  
BL3 6HU



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**NEW**

# WOODBIDGE SEND SERVICE

## PARENT WORKSHOP

### SUPPORTING YOUR CHILD'S SELF-REGULATION

Learn about effective practical strategies to help your child manage their emotions, reduce ineffective behaviour and develop some self-regulation skills. This workshop focuses on developing a calmer supportive home environment.

Cost: £15 per family  
maximum 2 to attend  
Date: 8th May 2026  
9.30-10.30

Woodbridge Training Hub  
Waggon Road, Bolton  
[www.woodbridgesend.co.uk](http://www.woodbridgesend.co.uk)

