

SPRING TERM – EDITION #9



Shoreside
Primary
School

SPRING 1 NEWSLETTER



Each and Every Child

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I am writing this half-term's newsletter at the end of such a brilliant half term at Shoreside.

In Achievement Assembly on the final day, I asked pupils to share their highlights of the half term and a flurry of hands went up in the air.

Pupils talked about Chester Zoo, Rock Kidz, their residentials, the opportunity to go to London, trips out of school, a visit from the ambulance service and so many different amazing lessons in school.

It was such a privilege to listen to all of the excitement as they recalled the different activities they had completed over the past six weeks.

We are very lucky to have such a great staff team to provide so many exciting enrichment opportunities for pupils that go far beyond the classroom offer.

We are incredibly grateful for all of your support in ensuring that all of these activities run smoothly.

As we look ahead to next half term, we are looking forward to welcoming parents/carers into school for Progress Evening (a booking form will be sent out in the first week back) as well as lots of other exciting events.

We hope you have a lovely half term break.

School reopens on Monday 23rd February for all pupils.



WE WANT EVERYONE TO BE PROUD TO BE SHORESIDE.
THIS HALF TERM, WE INTRODUCED THE PROUD
FRAMEWORK TO PUPILS AND THIS IS WHAT IT MEANS...

P

Polite and Respectful

We use manners, speak kindly
and show respect to everyone.

R

Ready to Learn

We arrive prepared, with a
positive attitude and ready to
follow instructions.

O

Our Best Always

We aim high, try hard and never
give up.

U

Uniform and Presentation

We wear the correct uniform,
care for our work and keep
school tidy.

D

Do the Right Thing

We look after ourselves, each
other and our school.





Updates



Chester Zoo

After the success of our whole school trip to the panto at Christmas, we took it one step further in January with a trip for Reception to Year 6 to the zoo! What an incredible day we had!

One of the particular highlights was seeing some of our older children 'buddying up' with some of our youngest pupils. Friendships were created in front of our eyes!

Soaring Futures Creative Arts

As part of our Soaring Futures programme, we were delighted to be invited to dance at the inaugural Festival of Flourishing which took place in London.

Pupils from Y5/6 represented the Rainbow Education MAT and performed a dance titled 'Common Ground' to a packed audience!

We are so proud of how well they represented school.



RWI Handwriting Scheme

To align with our phonics offer, we have launched the newly-published RWI Handwriting Scheme. Pupils have already enjoyed their first lessons of the new scheme and further guidance will be provided to parents/carers next half term of how you can support your child at home.

Read Write Inc.



ROCK KIDZ





Diary Dates

Spring Term 2	
Monday 23rd February	Back to school
Tuesday 3rd March or Wednesday 4th March	Progress Evenings (Appointments for Parents/Carers) - Parents/carers to book one appointment across the two nights on offer
Thursday 5th March	World Book Day 2026 - Dress as a character from a book
Monday 9th - Wednesday 11th March	Y4/5 Residential to PGL Winmarleigh Hall
Tuesday 17th March	3:20pm - Multiplication Check Parent Info Session for Y4 parents
Saturday 21st March	10-12 - Messy Science Morning - All families welcome
Wednesday 25th March	After School Easter Bingo
Thursday 26th March	Nursery Children finish for Easter
Friday 27th March	Finish for Easter one hour early (ASC closes one hour early too)

Events in green are for parents to attend (specific year groups for some events as listed). Events in yellow are organised by the PTFA.

Children can come dressed as any character from any book on World Book Day – there is no set theme!

All children return to school on Monday 23rd February 2026.

**SEE YOU
*soon!**

FREE HALF TERM ACTIVITIES!

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16/2–20/2**

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