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Uniform

SCHOOL

It has been a pleasure to see most children coming into school looking smart and ready for learning in their uniform. However, some children are coming into school not wearing our uniform or following other health and safety policies around uniform. We sent out a letter yesterday to remind you of our school uniform policy. If you missed the letter, please click on the link here to view the letter.

On Health and Safety grounds, we do not allow children to wear any jewellery to school. The exceptions to this are stud pierced earrings.

Early Reading

The youngest members of our school community are off to a wonderful start in the nursery. The new furniture and resources have been a real hit with all of the nursery children. They are also becoming avid readers. They have started their first core book of the year with the much-loved classic Owl Babies. You can see some photos from the nursery here.





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Dear Parent/Carer,

Art Update

The children in Year 2 have already produced some beautiful art. They researched the artist Alma Thomas and learnt that her main technique includes brushstroke effect and she uses bright colours, inspired by the nature around. The children created the background and then, using the brushstroke



effect, they added their leaves, as if they were lying on their backs, looking at the sky and the leaves above. They mixed colours to create new colours. You can see some of their artwork here.

Parent Workshops

Thank you to those who have already attended a workshop this year. There is one workshop left to take place soon:

Tuesday 7th October, 9:15 – 10:15 am

Reception RWI Workshop

Location: Infant Hall

Later in the term, we will hold our parent/teacher meetings. These meetings will allow you to discuss your child's progress in their learning. In the meantime, if you have any questions or concerns, you can request a meeting or phone discussion by emailing your child's teacher via the office (admin@shsharingey.co.uk)

Prospective Families

Today, we started the first of our tours for prospective reception class parents for the September 2026 intake. We have a lot of interest in the school, and it is always a pleasure to show interested parents/carers our lovely school. If you know of any parents looking to tour the school, please direct them to our office, and we can arrange a tour for them.

We have a few vacancies in year 2 at the moment, so if you have any local friends who want to explore a year 2 place at our school, we are happy to arrange a special tour for them.

Just ask them to contact the office.



SHS SPORTS



Cross Country Monday 22nd September

Our cross country team travelled to New River for the first tournament off the year to take part in a 2.5km race in a tricky course. Its a great achievement for all to finish the race and even more so in the times they did, with many new to cross country running. Our girls finished 6th and our boys 13th across all schools in Harringay. Well done to those who took part

Girls Football Thursday 25th September

The girls football team took part in the Haringey Girls Championships where the quality of girls football had been improving rapidly over the past few years along with our own our team. The SHS had a fantastic day and played some great football, although narrowly missed out on

qualifying for the quarter finals. Well done to our girls football team.





Our super readers for this week: Zayn (3W) - Jack (4P) - Hannah (5E) - Hannah (6M) Our super readers for last week: Shay (3A) - Milana (4C) - Zach (5E) - Tuppy (6A)

Quiz master class this week: 3 Acacia
Quiz master class last week: 3 Willow



Our mathletes for this week: Rafael (4 Poplar) 2591 points
Our mathletes for last week: Shay (3 Acacia) 3780 points
Our mathlete class for this week: 4 Poplar
Our mathlete class last week: 2 Chestnut

AFTER/BEFORE SCHOOL CLUBS

All of our clubs are now in full operation and are being enjoyed by the children participating. We know it can be disappointing when children miss out on the club they wanted. The vast majority of clubs are refreshed termly (exceptions being choir and chess), so children will get another chance after the Christmas break. The following clubs still have vacancies, so please contact the office if you are interested in your child joining:

Morning Clubs

- Monday— Y1&2 Football (Girls Only)
- Monday— Y3 to 6 Table Tennis
- Tuesday—Y3 to 6 Girls Only football
- Thursday—Y1 Striking & Fielding
- Thursday– Y3-6 Gymnastics
- Friday—Y3 to Y6 Athletics

Afterschool Clubs

- Monday Y1&2 Athletics
- Monday—Y3 to 6 Chess
- Tuesday—Y2 Football
- Wednesday—Y1 Football
- Wednesday—Y4 to 6 Tag Rugby
- Friday— Y2 Sports & Games
- Friday—Y3 to 6 Athletics



FRIENDS OF SOUTH HARRINGAY NEWS

We'd like to welcome our new nursery and reception children, parents and carers to South Harringay School.

For the benefit of those who don't know us our Parents and Staff Association (PSA) is known as The Friends of South Harringay (FOSH). We are a registered charity consisting of a friendly group of volunteer parents and carers.

What does the PSA do?

FOSH regularly organise school events such as discos, bake sales, quiz nights, winter merriment, scoot-a-thons, the summer fair and other fun activities!

Why?

To raise funds for the school and enable them to undertake projects that they wouldn't normally be able to fund or prioritise. Over recent years we've raised over £20,000 per school year. Amongst other things this has funded: the new playground in the infants, the bike and scooter park, greenery and the gazebo structure in the junior playground.

Come and join the FOSH

We are very keen to have more people join us and get involved - whether as part of our standing team, or just for a specific event. If you have a brilliant idea, want to be part of a committee or have a transferable skill or contact that might help us, then please don't hesitate to get in touch! psa@friendsofsouthharringay.org

Upcoming events

 Wed 22nd October SHS Halloween Disco , 5.30pm-7.30pm at the Langham Club, Green Lanes



Costumes and dressing up is strongly encouraged - so dust off that witch hat and cape!

There will be terrifyingly good tunes, creepy crafts and hocus pocus fun.

Tickets cost £3.50 per person or a family ticket is £12 and are available to buy on classlist.

The event is open to all year groups from nursery to year 6 and their parents/ carers.

Please note your children will need to be supervised at all times. THIS IS NOT A DROP OFF DISCO.

- Fri 25 October - Halloween Bake Sale in Infant and Junior playgrounds after school

Please drop donations to the school office on the day. No nuts, sesame or meat products please

Remember to label any containers with your child's name and class.

