

Essex County Council

Sheering Church of England
Primary School

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Attendance: 95.45%

Friday 25th April 2025

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to the summer term. I hope you had a lovely Easter break and was able to enjoy the good weather. We have some exciting events planned for this term which, once confirmed, we will begin to add to the diary dates below.

Our Christian value for this half term is Wisdom which we will begin to explore more next week.

Summer Menus

Our new menus are now on our website; next week will be the first week (Week 1) of the new lunches.

VE Day Celebrations

We are planning an afternoon of celebrations on Thursday 8th May and have invited grandparents and great-grandparents to join us. We would really love it if they would be able to spend a few minutes talking to groups of children about their school days. Our grandparents will be given a tour of the school by our prefects and will enjoy some afternoon tea with us. Parents are able to accompany grandparents should they need assistance. The class teachers will send you more information about the afternoon including the small donations of party food which we will ask for.

My Happy Mind

The module which the whole school will be engaged in this half term is **Celebrate**. The children will be learning;

- What character strengths are and why they matter
- How to recognise character strengths in themselves
- Understanding how character strengths make us feel.

Please download the My Happy Mind app for ways in which you can support your child at home.

Fundraising Through Tesco Stronger Starts Grant

Sheering School is in the customer vote for a Tesco Stronger Starts grant. It's a scheme which gives projects grants of up to £1,500. Three groups in every community have been shortlisted to receive grant awards and Tesco customers can vote for the group they think should take away the top award in their local Tesco store.

You can now place your votes for Sheering School in the following Tesco stores:

- Harlow Edinburgh Way Superstore, CM20 2TG
- Harlow Church Langley Superstore, CM17 9TE
- Harlow Harvey Centre Express, CM20 1XW

Voting is open in Tesco stores from April to the end of June 2025. Customers will cast their vote using a blue token given to them at the checkout each time they shop.

Your votes are really important, as they help to decide how much funding we get, so please support us next time you shop at Tesco! Spread the word to your friends and family too.

Happy Book

In the Happy Book this week: I thanked Poppy, Archie, Harry and Frank for looking after the younger children when they needed help.

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Achievement from Home and School

Home: We celebrated the achievements of Amalie who took part in a gymnastics competition and was awarded two bronze medals.

School: Spelling Shed Superstar is Fitzwalter class with 5,468,154 points and our **Top 12 Super Spellers** are Elsie-Mae, Max, Jude, Avery, Sienna, Olivia, Sylvia, Alfie, Mya, Owen, Isabelle and Isaac. Our **Maths Shed Superstar** is Fitzwalter class with 6,438,381 points and our **Top 5 Mathematicians** are Jude, Isabelle, Avery, Isaac and Mya.

Roll of Honour

Children who have enjoyed sharing their wisdom with others.

Copeland: Esme has been sharing her wisdom about cooking at home and she showed everyone to cut up potatoes when they class made chips.

Durrington: Louie and Leo have both shared their wisdom after doing research at home for their history topic about toys.

Fitzwalter: Mike did a really good job demonstrating and helping others understand how to tell the time.

Quickbury: All of the children have collaborated together to share their wisdom with each other as they prepare for the SATs.

Birthdays: This morning, we sang the birthday song to Frank who will be 10 years old next week.

Stars of the Week: My Star of the week is Belle for the wisdom she has gained through her hard work and perseverance.

Letters/Parentmail Home:

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Dates

Please note these dates are subject to change if necessary.

Tuesday 22nd April: Summer Term begins

Monday May 5th: Non-pupil day (May bank holiday)

Thursday 8th May: VE celebration garden party with grandparents.

Monday 12th May: SATs week (Year 6)

Friday 23rd May: Last day of half term

Monday May 26th-Friday May 30th half term holiday

Monday 2nd June: Non-pupil day

Have a good weekend,

Mrs Lorna Brittain

Headteacher