SHIRLEY JUNIOR SCHOOL

WEEKLY COMMUNICATIONS





We may have had a shorter week at SJS, but it's been packed full of energy, learning, and exciting new initiatives! On Monday, we were thrilled to welcome Miss Vincent and our wonderful Oracy Ambassadors as they introduced the whole school to our brandnew Speaking Wheel. This exciting tool is designed to help all our pupils develop a wide range of speaking

skills.

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Headbacher

Welcome to the SJS Family, Miss Hardie!

We are extremely pleased to welcome Miss Hardie, our new Family Support Worker, to the SJS school community!

. She will be working closely with families to offer guidance, encouragement, and practical support—helping to strengthen the vital partnership between home and school.

School Community Messages

Calling All Year 2 Parents – Come and Explore SJS!

We're excited to offer a wonderful opportunity for prospective Year 3 parents to come and visit our school, meet some of our team, and discover what makes SJS such a special place to learn and grow. These informal sessions will give you a chance to look around, ask questions, and find out more about our vibrant school community and the fantastic learning experiences we offer.

Visit Dates & Times:

- Thursday 13 November 09:15 to 10:15
- Tuesday 18 November 15:30 to 16:30
- Monday 24 November 09:15 to 10:15

We look forward to welcoming you and sharing all the things that make SJS a brilliant place for your child's next chapter! To book a space use the google form on the website.

Upcoming Events

10th October - Cross Country League - Race 2

13th October - Inset Day

14th October - Year 3 Mayflower Park trip

15th October - Share my learning 3:20

17th October - Democracy day/Cross Country League Race 3



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🎉 PTFA Autumn Events – Let's Come Together!

We're so lucky to have such an amazing PTFA here at SJS, and they've been busy planning some fantastic events for the Autumn term!

These events are a brilliant way for us to come together as a whole school community, have fun, and raise valuable funds that directly support our children's learning and experiences.

We can't wait to see you there and make some wonderful memories together! Let's make this Autumn one to remember!



Chat Bites

This week ChatBites have continued to spark lively and thoughtful conversations in the dining hall!



To keep the conversation going, why not ask your child one of this week's ChatBite questions over dinner? It's a great way to hear their ideas, share your own, and enjoy some quality family time through thoughtful dialogue.









