

SHEEPY School Newsletter

Edition 17: 22nd May 2026



DIARY DATES

Mon 25th - Fri 29th May

HALF TERM

Mon 1st - Weds 3rd June

Swaledale to Whitemoor Lakes

Tues 2nd June

New intake 1st session

Year 5/6 Unity Swimming Gala

Weds 3rd June

Reception's Teddy Bear's Picnic

Thurs 4th June

Library Bus

Friday 5th June, 2.30pm

Swaledale Class Assembly

Monday 8th June

Life Education visitors in school

Tues 9th June

New intake 2nd session

Tues 16th June

New intake 3rd session

Weds 17th June

Whole school Colour Run, 2pm

Tues 23rd June

Woodlands Play (afternoon & eve)

Weds 24th June

Woodlands Play (eve)

Thurs 25th June

Library Bus

Fri 26th June

Achievements from home

Thurs 2nd July

TMBS Transition Day (Y6)

Thurs 2nd July, 2.40pm TBC

Swaledale Ukulele performance

Fri 3rd July

TMBS Transition Day (Y6)

Fun on the Field 6pm-7.30pm

Weds 8th July

End of year service at church pm
time tbc

LAST DAY OF TERM!

SATS WEEK

Well done to all of our Year 6 children for all of their hard work in preparing themselves for the SATS tests. They all took them in their stride and tried very hard.

They enjoyed a well earned McDonalds at the end of their SATS week.

Well done Year 6!



Y4 Maths Challenge

A group of talented Year 4 mathematicians visited Griffydham Primary School for a Maths Challenge. They were super enthusiastic and we are waiting to hear where we were placed! Well done Tilda, Connie, Daniel and Harlen!



NEWS FROM OUR CLASSROOMS!

PORTLAND



Portland Class have been learning about lots of things in nature. The highlight of this half term has most definitely been watching our caterpillars transform all the way to a butterfly. We now have 4 beautiful Painted Lady butterflies.



The children have also been growing lots of flowering plants, fruits and vegetables from seeds. They have been growing nasturtiums and making observations about different types of seeds.

COTSWOLD

There has been more growing in Cotswold's science lessons too, where the children have been growing peas and beans and investigating what a plant needs to survive.



SCIENCE

SWALEDALE



Swaledale have also been busy learning about how plants grow, including looking at the processes of germination, pollination and seed dispersal. The children had great fun dissecting a daffodil to learn all about the parts of a flowering plant.

In RE, the children have been learning all about Pentecost and the Holy Spirit. The children have compared many pieces of art work depicting how Christians may view the Holy Spirit and this is an example of one of their own pictures, carefully created by Mollie in Year 4.



WOODLANDS



With SATS and assessment week over for our older children, they were treated to a little trip to the park. It was lovely to see them all playing together so happily.

There has been a lot of creativity in Woodlands, where children have been working on making sculptures as part of their art and Design Technology lessons.

The children are now into rehearsing for their end of year performance. This year, they will be performing Mystery at Magpie Manor. We are looking forward to watching this on 23rd and 24th June 2026.



END OF TERM FUN DAY

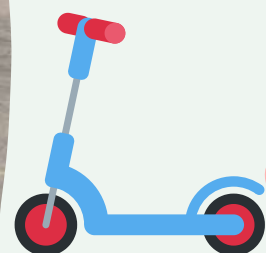
A fun filled day to end a busy term!

ZORBING AND SCOOTING FUN!

To end the half term, the children were treated to some fun in the sun activities. Key Stage 2 had a zorbing experience which was extremely good fun and caused lots of laughs. A perfect end to the half term for our older children.



Meanwhile our Key Stage 1 children had great fun on our new scooters, bombing around the playground around a marked out track. Seeing so many smiles and happy faces on the hottest day of the year was an absolute joy and a lovely end to the half term.



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WILL BE HOSTING A

SPONSORED COLOUR RUN

WITHIN THE SCHOOL DAY ON
WEDNESDAY 17TH JUNE 2026



CHILDREN WILL BE SENT HOME
WITH SPONSORSHIP FORMS
THIS WEEK FROM SCHOOL.



WE HOPE THAT YOU CAN
SUPPORT US
WITH THE EVENT BY
SPONSORING THE CHILDREN.



THE MONEY RAISED WILL BENEFIT
THE PUPILS WITHIN THE SCHOOL.



May Half Term

at Leicester Cathedral



Make a matchbox house!

Tuesday 26 May

10.30am-12.00pm and
2.00-4.00pm

Use your
imagination and
design your very
own mini home!

Suitable for ages 3+



Drop-in

No charge but donations
welcome.

All children must be
accompanied by an adult

Design your own peg doll!

Thursday 28 May

10.30am-12.00pm
and 2.00-4.00pm

Using paint pens,
decorate your
own peg doll to
take home.

Suitable for ages 3+



Where is home for you?

Visit our Living Together
Exhibition to
make your
mark!



Come and join us for our space themed day!

Fun activities and crafts!

Wednesday 27 May

from 10.30am - 4.00pm

See reverse for details.



PLANET
PARADE



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Wednesday 27 May

**Watch a science
show by Sublime
Science!**

11.00am-12.00pm

No charge but donations
welcome.



Suitable for all ages!

Wednesday 27 May

**Space themed play
sessions for 0-7 year olds**

Slots available to book via Eventbrite. Pay
what you can.



Wednesday 27 May

Kinetic Sand Tray

Come and play with space toys!



Suitable for all ages!

Wednesday 27 May

**Make a moveable
rocket craft activity**

**10.30am-12.00pm
and 2.00-4.00pm**

No charge but donations welcome



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