



Springwell Park News

2nd October 2026

Diary Dates

5.10 PSHE Healthy mind day in school
6.10.26 Parent/Carer Coffee Morning -
Meet the Pastoral Team, SENCOS and
our Education Mental Health Worker
6.10 Y5 - WW1 workshop
7.10.26 - Y3 Stone Age Workshop
9.10.26 Y1 Superhero Day
19.10 Y6 Safe skills workshops
20.10 Parents eve
2.11 School closed INSET day
3.11 Flu vaccinations N-Y6
3-16.11 Y5 Bikeability

Our new school council

Our school was buzzing with excitement on Voting Day as children took part in our annual School Council elections. It was wonderful to see so many children demonstrating confidence, courage and a real desire to make a difference to our school.

We are delighted to introduce our School Council of 2026! Congratulations to all of our elected representatives. We look forward to hearing your ideas.

Y1 -Jack Pierce, Aurora Radcliffe

Y1 -David Zydorkiewicz, Jasmine Vaughan

Y2- Teddy Connick, Lyla Hughes

Y2- Jessica Edwards, Dominic Edwards

Y3-Callie McMullen, Oscar Smith

Y3-Kaiden Wilson, Mia Darbyshire

Y4-Hallie Deaves, Shea Hodgson

Y4-Rupert Donoghue, Bonnie Flannery

Y5-Harry McLoughlin, Rosie Dunn

Y5-Woody White, Bobbi Alexander

Y6- Jude Jones, Zea Harris

Y6- Jacob Cronin, Patrycja Stachniuk

BBC 500 words competition

Children aged 5–11 are invited to write an original story of 500 words or fewer for the UK's largest children's story writing competition.

There are two age categories, 5–7 and 8–11. Spelling, punctuation and grammar are not marked—it's all about imagination and creativity!

Stories must be submitted online by 9pm on Friday 6 November.

We have lots of talented writers in our school so it would be amazing to have them take part. Click the link to find out more and submit your child's story.

We could win 500 books for our school library!

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/500-words/articles/zctk7v4#zbx4jfr>

Could you help our PTA?

We're looking for more parents/carers to get involved.

The PTA raises a significant amount of money for our children. It helps subsidise school trips, buy books for class libraries and fund Christmas events, among many other activities. Without this support, we would be unable to offer as much.

If you can help, please speak to a member of the pastoral team or complete the form sent by text. Thank you!

Attendance

Regular attendance is so important to your child's learning, friendships and wellbeing. Every day in school is an opportunity to learn, achieve and be part of our school community, and even small amounts.

Make sure your child is in school every day

Ready to Shine.

This week:

Whole school attendance was: 95%

The best class was 5W with 98.33%

Writer of the Week

Each week, teachers choose one child from their class to be our 'Writer of the Week'. This celebrates pupils who have shown excellent effort, creativity, progress, or pride in their writing. At Springwell, we believe every child can become a confident and successful writer, and this award recognises those who are developing their skills and showing a real love for writing across the curriculum. Well done to all of our fantastic writers!



Reception	Tommy Brislen
Year 1	Monika Kenton & Savannah Corrin- Evans
Year 2	Harry Byers
Year 3	Flynn Scholes & Oscar Smith
Year 4	Erin Hemmings & Poppy Fitzsimmons
Year 5	Harry McLoughlin & Jayden Zeng
Year 6	Ava Bradley & Joseph Summerfield-Jalal

Success Criteria

- Takes pride in presentation (Neat handwriting, taking care with work)
- Responds well to feedback and attempts improvements
- Shows a positive attitude towards writing
- Adds extra detail beyond expectations
- Shows noticeable improvement from previous work
- Understands the purpose of the writing and adapts their writing accordingly
- Has met all the given success criteria for a piece of writing
- Takes great care in proof reading and editing

Star of the Week

Each week, teachers choose one child from their class to be our Star of the Week for behaviour.' This celebrates pupils who have made excellent behaviour choices and have reached Inspirational on our Springwell Stars Board.

This recognises children who have consistently demonstrated exemplary behaviour, kindness, resilience or have made significant positive choices throughout the week.

They are also invited to a reward with the Headteacher in recognition of their achievement.



Reception	
Year 1	Ayra Siddiqu & Lottie O'Brien
Year 2	Leia Gibson & Penelope White
Year 3	Hallie Kewn & Kaspian Subotjalo
Year 4	Jacob Rooney & Evie May Barlow
Year 5	Hallie Mai Curran
Year 6	Annie Carter & Shabisana Pakeathera

Code of Conduct

At Springwell Park we:

- **Treat everyone with respect**
- **Show kindness to all**
- **Always try our best at everything we do.**
- **Walk calmly and safely around our school.**
- **Take pride in ourselves and our school.**

