



Springwell Park News

9th October 2026

Diary Dates

20.10 Parents evening
26.10 - 23.10 Half term
2.11 School closed INSET day
3.11 Y6 Safe Skills
3.11 Flu vaccinations N-Y6
3-16.11 Y5 Bikeability
11.11 Y5 Remembrance assembly
@2.30pm
13.11.26 Children in Need day - wear

Year 5 WW1 Day

On Tuesday Year 5 stepped back in time for an exciting and immersive World War One day! The children had the opportunity to deepen their understanding of life during WW1 through a range of engaging activities and experiences. They explored what life was like for soldiers and people at home, learning about the challenges, sacrifices and experiences of those who lived through this important period in history.

The children thoroughly enjoyed bringing their learning to life and showed fantastic curiosity, enthusiasm and resilience throughout the day. It was a memorable experience that helped them develop a deeper understanding of the human stories behind the history they have been studying.

Back to the Stone Age!

Year 3 had a fantastic time stepping back thousands of years during their Stone Age workshop.

There were plenty of opportunities to investigate, handle objects and discover how people hunted, made tools and survived using the resources around them. The children were full of enthusiasm and curiosity throughout the day and loved getting hands-on with their history learning!

Year 1 Superhero Day!

Year 1 children looked absolutely amazing as they transformed into superheroes for the day! Their fantastic costumes helped bring the excitement to life as we launched our new book, Sweet Potato. The day was full of fun, imagination and superhero spirit, sparking the children's enthusiasm for their new learning. We can't wait to see where this exciting adventure takes us next!



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: 96%

The best class was 2LM with 100%

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	Jacob Wills & Sophie Lyons
Year 1	Mason O'Toole & Casper Clift
Year 2	Leighton Fitzpatrick & Isabella Grace
Year 3	Callie McMullen & Coby Andrews
Year 4	Cora McGuire & Ella Doolan
Year 5	Oliver Marsden & Holly Soong
Year 6	Daniel Threadgill & Florence Brennan

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	Jessie Brindle & Kaylee King
Year 2	Oliver Harris & Louie Jones
Year 3	Amelia Carless & Isabella Love Longley
Year 4	Taylor Brady & Wendy Wilson
Year 5	Freya Webster & ~Ben McCoy
Year 6	Daniel Threadgill & Tilly Tierney

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.**

