



"A Local School with a Global Perspective"



Shaftesbury Park Primary School

Shaftesbury Park Primary School Shaftesbury Update

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Many thanks to everyone who supported our Red Nose Day fundraising efforts today by donating £1 to come to school with crazy hair or wearing a wacky wig/hat. Don't forget to support our Year 6 pupils as they seek to add to the total raised with their very own Cake Sale after school today. Why not pop along and bag yourself a tasty treat?

I look forward to informing you of the grand total raised in the next Shaftesbury Update.

Year 3 Visit to the Opera House

On Monday Starfish and Penguins went to see the opera Madam Butterfly at the Royal Opera House in South Kensington as part of their IPC topic 'Turn It Up'.

In this special schools performance, the children had the opportunity to see and hear a real orchestra and explore some of the things they have been learning about as part of their music lessons, things like rhythm, pitch and tone.

The children did very well to follow the surtitles and grasp the story, empathising with poor Butterfly and booing her husband. They even gave a standing ovation to eponymous Butterfly at the end.

Well done for your excellent behaviour everyone, we're glad you all enjoyed it!



UNESCO World Poetry Day - 21st March

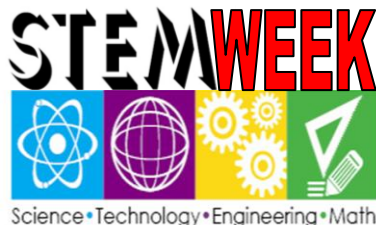
Why Poetry Matters

1. In olden days it used to be
That poems told us stories
Allowing those unable to read
To remember long-past glories
2. From Homer's *Odyssey* to *Beowulf*
These epic poems imparted
Knowledge of the rewards of bravery
And what from folly resulted
3. These days the art of poetry
Seems very much in decline.
People just don't seem to
Understand the importance of a rhyme.
4. Poetry can draw attention,
It captures, enthrals, delights.
It helps us convey the difficult things
Like war, love, heartbreak & fright.
5. Through poetry we can understand
That we are all the same.
Though many things differentiate us
Common ties still remain.
6. For no matter where poems come from
They all share common themes,
Revealing the questions, feelings that unite us,
Our ordinary hopes and dreams.
7. With our world in flux, new divisions looming,
Changes yet to come,
Poems seek to remind us of
The things that make us one.

POETRY ROCKS !

Article 29

Education must encourage the child's respect for human rights, as well as respect for their parents, their own and other cultures.



STEM Week Winners

Congratulations to the following children, winners of our STEM week competition:

Sabrina, Scarlett, Summaya, Nahom, Dylan J, James C, Justin, Kornelia & Genesis



Check out the Rights of the Month highlighted in blue



TESCO Bags of Help For the Shaftesbury Park School Garden

Bags of Help is Tesco's exciting local community grant scheme using money raised from the 5p bag charge to fund thousands of local projects in communities right across the UK.

We are excited to announce that Shaftesbury Park have been accepted onto the scheme with the aim of raising money for the new garden. So how can you help?

Simply, purchase your shopping from one of the Tesco stores listed below in order to receive a token, then simply pop it in column for our school in the Bags for Life ballot box in store!



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KENNINGTON VAUXHALL	SE11 5QU	BERMONDSEY PARK EXP	SE16 3RP
SOUTHWARK	SE1 5HG	BATTERSEA METRO	SW11 4NE
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<http://www.tesco.com/store-locator/uk/>

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Monday 27 th March	Easter competition entries due in Don't forget, all entries must feature eggs!	-
Tuesday 28 th March	Spring term Parents' evening 3 (KS1 & KS2)	Please book an appointment with your child's class teacher
Thursday 30 th March	Meeting for parents of children in Y6 about SATs 3.30pm and 5.30pm	Y6 parents & children
Thursday 30 th March	Parent-Teacher Quiz Night (please see the letter being sent home next week for more information)	Staff and parents
Friday 31 st March	Easter parade with announcement of our competition winners	-

Friday 31st March 2017

2pm Finish