

Friday
19 May



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EYFS Scootfit P.E. WOW

On Thursday our EYFS children enjoyed a scooter P.E. WOW. Scooting uses the same large muscle groups as running but is much more fun. Our children certainly had lots of fun, they learnt to balance and how to use their coordination to avoid obstacles on the ground and each other!



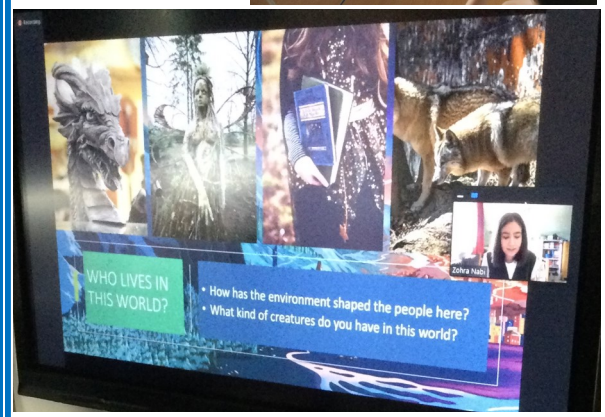
Year 6 Shakespeare Launch

Our year 6 Children enjoyed their Shakespeare launch on Monday. Over the next few weeks they will be learning and rehearsing Twelfth Night in preparation for their performance at Shakespeare Festival, on stage at The Lowry in July.



Author

Year 4 had a brilliant time listening to author Zohra Nabi on Zoom as she discussed her new book, The Kingdom Over the Sea. She even read some snippets of her masterpiece and explained where her passion for reading began. We were left inspired to create our own books and some children are even keen to buy her book!





'Bringing out the best in everyone'



Weekly Newsletter

Fri 19 May Clubs finish
W/C 22 May Y2 SATs week 2
Tues 23 May Y4 PE WOW Haigh Hall
Wed 24 May KS2 Games Day
Thur 25 May Y2 trip to RHS Bridgewater
Thur 25 May School closes for half term
Fri 26 May Staff training day
Mon 5 Jun School re-opens summer 2
[Click the icon to visit the Events Page :](#)



Year 3 Art Stay and Learn

Our Y3 parents & carers were in school earlier this week. The subject was Art. Emily S (Y3AB) said she enjoyed making some colouring rubbings and then making a flower on her card. Zara (Y3AB) said that she loved doing the rubbing and she did some outside. She liked that her mum came to help her.



Devonshire Road Choir

The Choir sang When I Grow Up from Matilda the musical in front of the whole school today, they sang beautifully, with confidence and even brought a couple of members of staff to tears.

Mia (Y4HB) felt a little bit stage shy standing in front of the whole school but she sang perfectly, at the end of the performance she felt happy and proud of herself. **Jake (Y3A)** wasn't sure whether he wanted to stand up and sing, but he overcame his worries about singing in front of the whole school and sang wonderfully. **Maryam (Y4W)** also felt a bit nervous when they sang at the start of assembly, but when they performed again at the end her nerves had vanished. She was confident because they had practiced a lot. **Abu-Bakr (Y3AB)** really enjoyed singing this morning for the whole school. He used to be shy but now he isn't. They loved Matilda's When I Grow Up. He is excited as Miss Storer is going to record them during lunchtime today. [You can see a short video of the choir singing on our Facebook.](#)

Well done to the whole Choir, your performance was wonderful.





Safeguarding Page

10 top tips for safely using SMARTWATCHES

Kids love gadgets and smart watches though smart watches can pose risks unless used safely. Click on the link above for more information.

The Icons on this page provide links to lots of useful information and resources relating to safeguarding, mental health and wellbeing and online safety.



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**Every child has the right
to be safe**

Find out how our Speak out Stay safe programme helps children at school and at home learn about their rights, what's OK and not OK, and what to do if they're ever worried or scared.

Activities for kids at home

Keep busy while learning about staying safe and speaking out with our at-home activities for primary school children.





Achievements



Be kind,



This week we welcomed Dila K (Y1G) and Darwen R (Y5D) to Devonshire Road. We hope you have settled in well.



What a wonderful final tournament for our Year 6 netballers (plus Sienna who we forgot to get in the photo before she was collected)! We won 2, drew 1 and lost 1 match and played so well! We wish the team lots of luck with future high school netball tournaments.



Congratulations to Imogen (Y4HB) who completed her swim England Stage 7 Award. She is extremely proud of herself and we're proud of you too! Well done.



Headteacher's Award



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| Leo L-H | YRL | For trying his best with his writing challenge during discovery time. Well done! |
| Ava D | YRH | For amazing independent sentence writing in our challenge area. |
| Mahnoor D | Y1S | For For a fantastic observational drawing of a leaf within our science lesson and for showing her brilliant sun safety knowledge in PSHE. |
| Maryam S | Y1G | For being a super curious scientist on our welly walk and having brilliant knowledge about the four seasons. |
| Dylan D | Y2F | For for putting 100% effort into his independent writing for our story Bee and Me. Amazing progress! |
| Owais A-M | Y2N | For excellent use of pictorial drawings to work our 3/4 of a number. |
| Malak A-S | Y3A | For working diligently in English to write amazing, creative sentences including all the objectives she has been taught. |
| Muhammad Armaan S | Y3AB | For always being an exemplary model pupil. You are resilient, kind, hardworking and full of strange and wonderful facts! |
| Lacey W | Y4W | For a fantastic detailed plan to continue her story, and being a super helpful member of our class. |
| Macey T | Y4HB | You were fantastic in P.E. this week! You developed your jumping technique and developed your skills considerably within one lesson. |
| Adam R | Y5D | For being a positive role model to others and for being responsible in his role of reading ambassador. |
| Abdul Rahman | Y5M | For his incredible character description based on 'The Promise'. He used a wide range of writing features and used a plethora of exciting vocabulary! Keep it up Abdul! |
| Inaaya Z | Y6B | For identifying clues within phishing emails within our computing lesson and showing a good understanding in her explanations. |
| Mansi P | Y6C | For working hard at improving her reading pace, managing to finish the SATs paper last week. |



Achievements



Be curious



Weekly Newsletter

Respect 	2nd	386
Ambition 	3rd	342
Resilience 	4th	331
Inspire 	1st	388

Happy Birthday to	
Ghafran A (Y5D)	
Harry C (Y6C)	
Iqra A (Y6C)	
Zara B (Y3AB)	
Isabelle L (Y6C)	
Musa M (Y4W)	
Adil A (Y4W)	
Dhairya K (Y1S)	

Superhero Readers	
Bronze	Sorena (Y1G)
Silver	Ayat (Y1G)
Gold	Houria (EYFS)
	Jack B (Y2N)
	Platinum
	Anum (Y1S)
	Diamond
	Anum (Y1S)
	Deborah and Safa (Y2N)
	Ruby
	Anum (Y1S)
	Emerald
	Ammarah (Y1G)
	Sapphire
	Khadija S and Furqan (Y1G)
	Topaz
	Moosa (EYFS)
	Alice (Y2F)
	Superhero
	Adam and Sian (EYFS)
Superhero Readers	

READING CHALLENGE	
Bronze	Musa M Y4W
Silver	Maham H (Y6B), Mohammad K (Y4HB) and Layla T (Y6C)
Gold	Aaliyah S (Y4HB)
READING CHALLENGE	



Headteacher's Award



Amirah A	YRL	For being super enthusiastic when practising her tricky words.
Arham K	YRH	For an amazing effort in learning his sounds in phonics.
Mohammad	Y1S	For making incredible progress with his letter sound recall and for being enthusiastic to read.
Akif R		
Dila K	Y1G	For settling in to Y1G so well and making lots of new friends..
Azaan A	Y2F	For showing bravery and resilience this week in our food technology unit in D & T. Azaan tried lots of different fruits exploring the different tastes and textures.
Jack B	Y2N	For showing a brilliant attitude during assessments and the huge effort he has made this week!
Autumn D	Y3A	For working hard to improve her fluency in reading and being such an enthusiastic reader. Keep up the hard work.
Zenub N	Y3AB	For always trying her best, showing resilience when tackling tricky problems and for being an exemplary role model to others.
Sufyan M	Y4W	For being a kind, helpful member of Y4W and not being afraid of answering lots of questions.
Lina R	Y4HB	For always being a wonderful role model to other children. You are kind, curious and the best you can be at all times. Well done!
Aaran P	Y5D	For your effort and enthusiasm when learning about translation of coordinates in maths. You have been working really hard and showing great progress.
Noor S	Y5M	For her incredible writing. She used exciting phrases like 'dissipating clouds' and used a variety of writing features independently! Keep it up Noor!
Grayson S-H	Y6B	For showing an amazing focus, confidence and attitude towards our Shakespeare project.
Harry C-Y	Y6C	For throwing himself into Shakespeare this week.



Class of the Week

Congratulations to Y6B and Y6C who jointly won
class of the week with an outstanding 100%.



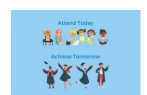
Congratulations to Y3A who won Class of the
Week last week with 96.9%.

Whole School Attendance
to 5 May 2023 was **95.3%**



A fabulous
357
children
had 100%
attendance
that week.

Read our
policy [here...](#)



If you need any support with your child's
attendance or if you have difficulties getting
them to school on time, speak to Mrs Hall.





Notices

Bringing out
the Best in
Everyone.



of
Devonshire Road
Primary School

In 2026
we will be celebrating the school's
centenary. The original outdoor school was
built 100 years ago.

Plans for how we mark this historic
occasion will begin in earnest in the months to
come. However for now, we are reaching out to
past pupils to ask for their memories of the
school and also their achievements since
leaving.

If you or anyone you know would be able to
share experiences, please email

office@devonshire.bolton.sch.uk or send a
message through Facebook.

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2022-2025

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