

Friday 19th December 2025

Autumn term 2: issue 7

What an incredible first term it has been - I can hardly believe we've already reached the Christmas break! I feel truly fortunate to be part of such a warm and welcoming school family. Thank you for your support and kindness.

As we head into the festive season, I wish each of you a holiday filled with happiness.

May the new year bring health, joy and wonderful adventures for you and your families.

Here's to an exciting year ahead together!

Festive Fun

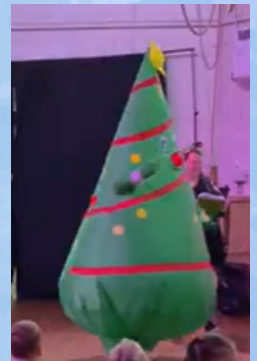
What a week it's been!

On Wednesday, festive cheer filled the school as we celebrated Christmas Jumper Day in style. Bright jumpers, sparkles and plenty of laughter set the tone,

topped off with a delicious Christmas lunch that everyone enjoyed together.

But the highlight of the autumn term had to be the Masked Teacher 2025! The crowd was electric as mystery characters took to the stage, dancing their hearts out to some of our favourite tunes. From a funky chicken to a dazzling Christmas tree (and yes, even me as a Minion!), the performances had us all cheering, clapping and dancing along.

As always, our incredible team went above and beyond to make sure the day was packed with joy, surprises and unforgettable memories. It was the perfect way to wrap up the term with fun and festive spirit.





Key Stage 2 Carol Concert

On Tuesday, our talented Key Stage 2 children filled the air with festive joy at the Christmas Carol Concert. Their singing was beautiful, and their speaking was confident and clear.

A huge thank you goes to every child who took part and to our wonderful families who came along to support.

Your presence made the evening even more special.

We're also grateful to the dedicated KS2 team for their hard work in preparing the event, staff who helped along the way, and to Rev Sarah and our friends at St Martin's Church for their support.



Celebrating Success

This incredible gymnast won Gymnast of the Year at her club for her hard work, determination and always giving 110%! Congratulations - we are so proud of you!



This superstar had her first Muay Thai fight last weekend and won! Well done for your brilliant achievement - we are so proud of you!



Noah's Ark Children's Hospice Assembly

We were very fortunate as Faye from Noah's Ark led an assembly on Monday.

We learnt about the incredible work that Noah's Ark Children's Hospice does. Faye was incredibly grateful for the paper snowflakes and paper chains that our Shenley children made, which she took to decorate Noah's Ark.



Reading Challenge and Books

We have been incredibly lucky this year to have received a very generous donation of books from Gratitude Charity which Mrs Dulna, a Shenley parent, organised for us.

As a result, every pupil at Shenley has been given a book.

We would like to say a very big thank you to Mrs Dulna and Gratitude Charity for their fantastic gifts. We really hope that you all enjoy reading your books together over the holiday.

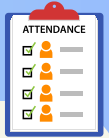


Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal

We raised £116.14 for the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal this term. Well done and thank you for your support.

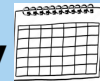


Class	Star of the Week
	Presley
	Arabella
	Teddy
	Whole class
	Max
	Ruby



The class with the best attendance (**99.3%**) this week was **Otter Class** - well done for winning the attendance trophy!

Dates for your diary



Please keep checking this section of the newsletter as dates may be added or amended.

Christmas Holiday: Monday 22nd December - Friday 2nd January.

Return to school on 5th January 2026 at 8.45am.

Merry
Christmas
and
HAPPY NEW YEAR