



Spire Junior School Newsletter



Date: 06.02.2026

Mrs Vernon's Message:

Thank you to everybody who took part in NSPCC Number Day today! There have been some fabulous number-based outfits around school as well as our annual TTRS battle and creating maths-based posters.

Year 3 and 4 had a fantastic visit from Yorkshire Water on Wednesday. They learnt about the water cycle and where water comes from. In addition to this, they investigated what to flush, and not flush, down the toilet by carrying out an experiment.

The Year 5 children had a visit from the Armed Response Vehicle unit in Mini Police and got to learn about their role in the police force and how they deal with high-risk incidents within Derbyshire. The children got to look at the equipment that they use including a drone!

Menu:

Monday: Beef Bolognese

Tuesday: Crispy Chicken in a Bun

Wednesday: Pork Sausages Dinner

Thursday: Cheese Pizza

Friday: Fishy Friday!

Vegetarian options available daily

Jacket Potatoes and sandwiches

Dates for the Diary:

Tuesday 10th February - **Safer Internet Day**

Friday 13th February - Non-uniform day! Chocolate and sweet donations ahead of our Easter Raffle are warmly welcomed and received

Friday 13th February - Last day of term

Monday 23rd February - Return to school

Monday 9th March - Parent's Evening (telephone appointments)

Wednesday 11th March - Parent's Evening (in-person appointments)

Year 6 Basketball Competition

A group of children have competed today at a basketball competition in Sheffield. The Year 6 children represented Spire Junior School wonderfully. They worked well as a team, showed fantastic determination and won the first match 8-0! They came 5th out of 9 teams after 7 basketball matches. Mr J was very impressed with how the children presented themselves. Thank you to all the Year 6 children that attended the competition!

Attendance

Last week's winner is:

5 / 6 TB

98.6%