



Sherborne Abbey  
CE Primary School

## Mrs T's Weekly Round Up

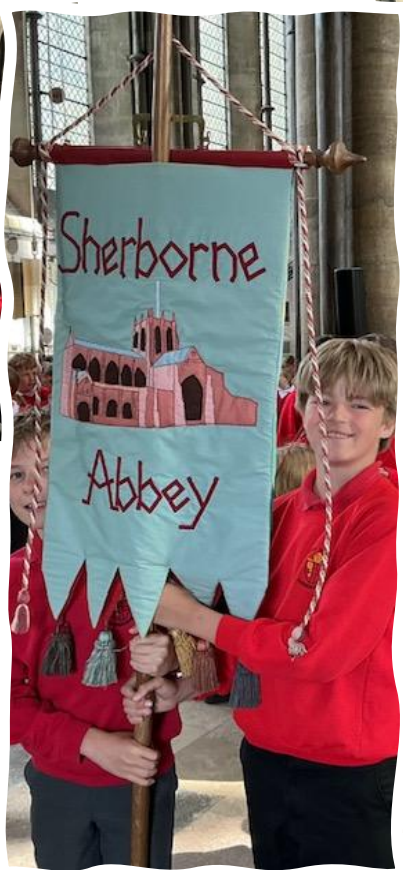
Well, I'm convinced that someone upstairs has got the months muddled up, and that we are still on the receiving end of February & March's weather! The children have been in and out like yo-yos this week, and I've travelled to school in sunshine every morning and yet still needed my umbrella for school drop off ☁️☔️👶😄. Here's hoping that the weather gurus are correct and that summer might arrive properly next week ready for lots of our summer events 🍷☀️.

Our fabulous Year 4s have completed their times tables tests this week (and you can still have a go here [MTC Test - URBrainy](#)), whilst our wonderful Year 1 children have been wowing us with their phonics knowledge.

**Highlights of my week have included:**

### **Year 6 Leavers Service @ Salisbury Cathedral**

On Wednesday our Year 6 children proudly represented Sherborne Abbey at the leavers service, along with hundreds of children from across the diocese. Thank you to Reverend Lesley & Reverend Jim for accompanying us.



## School Photos/Bike Ability/Class Trips . . .

Despite thinking it had been a fairly quiet week, when I reflected, I realised that as usual there has been masses going on in school again this week 😊. The class photos look lovely; Ben has been doing an amazing job with our cyclists and the consensus from Years 3 & 4 is that Ecco Gelato is simply the best 🍦 😊.

## Mobile Phone Policy Update

Please do make sure you've seen my letter about the changes that are coming in for mobile phones in school (strictly Year 6 only). The responses we have received have been fully supportive of this change, and despite allowing a transition period, we highly recommend 'brick-style' phones from this September where possible. Thank you for your support with this 🙏.

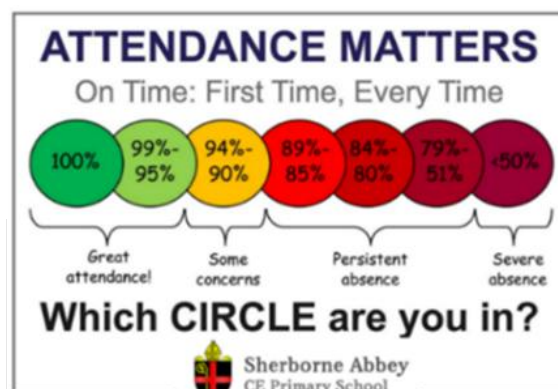
## School Attendance Target: 97%

## Whole School Weekly Attendance: 95%

Our winners this week are Caterpillar Class with a respectable 97% attendance this week 🙌 🌟



## Dates & Reminders for next week:



Please don't forget that Summer 2 Diary Dates have been shared on Dojo and are on our website.

|                           |                                                                                                |
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| Monday 15 <sup>th</sup>   | Year 5 – Portland Sailing Centre trip 🚤                                                        |
| Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup>  | Year 3 – Cat in the Hat theatre trip 🎭                                                         |
| Weds 17 <sup>th</sup>     | New Starters Welcome Morning 😊                                                                 |
| Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> | Year 6 Transition Workshops<br>Area Athletics @ The Gryphon                                    |
| Friday 19 <sup>th</sup>   | Teddy Bears Picnic 🧸 🧺<br>Full details shared on Class Dojo                                    |
| ADVANCE NOTICE:           | Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> – Sports Day<br>Reception & KS1 - from approx.9am<br>KS2 – from 1.15pm |

Warmest wishes,

**Mrs Lisa Thompson**

Head of School

Please note that Dorset Council are still hoping for more responses on their Childcare Survey – link below. I'm told that if you complete it, you are entered into a draw to win 5 x £50 Amazon vouchers!

[Childcare Survey for Dorset Parents and Carers - Dorset Council - Citizen Space](#)