



# Shiphay Learning Academy Newsletter

19th September 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Just over 2 weeks into the new school year and the term is in full swing. Our new pupils have settled in beautifully and all pupils have settled into the rhythm of their new classes and new learning environments.

Despite it only being 2 weeks in we have already had a number of enrichment opportunities:

- Y4 swimming lessons have begun using the pool at Oldway
- Y6 have been on a visit to Torre Abbey to flex their creative writing muscles as part of the Agatha Christie festival
- Y3-Y6 have had their first FOSS disco of the year.

As always, there are a lot more opportunities on their way this half term. You will be able to see your child's learning, trips etc on Seesaw but don't forget to check out our Facebook page for more information about things that are happening across the school.

<https://www.facebook.com/ShiphayLearningAcademy/>

### Playground gates - an update

As you are aware, the 2 playground gates are opened and supervised by a member of the leadership team at the beginning and end of every day. We do this as we love to be able to greet everyone as they arrive and also to make sure that everyone leaves the site safely at the end of the day. Most of the time, there are 2 members of staff available to do this. However, if we have a situation where only one member of staff is available for gate duty, we may have to prioritise and only open the main gate. I appreciate that this will mean a bigger volume of people through the one gate but we don't want to leave a gate unsupervised. Hopefully we won't need to do this very often but if you are waiting at the top gate and no one comes to open it, please come to the main gate.

Kate Lee (Head of School)

## Attendance this year

**96.2%**

Just above our 96% target. Well done! Let's keep it up.

If your child's attendance is less than 95%, their learning will be affected by their absence.

[Should I keep my child off school poster?](#)

## Attendance Matters



Every Day Counts....

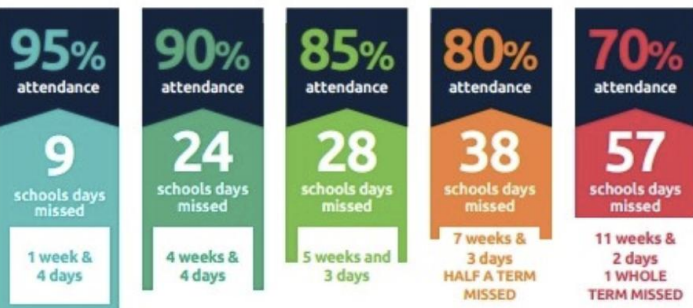


## Pre-Loved Uniform Shop

If your children have grown out of uniform items, we would be very grateful to receive them for the pre-loved shop. We need : logo polo shirts, logo sweatshirts/jackets, school trousers/shorts/skirts/skorts, Summer Dresses and PE tops and plain black shorts. Please bring donations to the office anytime. Thank you for your support.

If you need any items ready for the new term, please pop into school between 2pm and 4pm on Tuesday or Wednesday. The pre-loved uniform boxes are in the office area for you to take what you need. If you are able to give a donation, we would be grateful. Pupil Council spend your donations on improving our school environment.

## Every day in school counts...



Be ready, be respectful, be safe

OUR 3 GOLDEN RULES

# FOSS - Meet the committee



Tracy Osborne-Foulkes  
Vice Chair  
(Y3)



Hannah Dixon  
Secretary  
(R and Y3)



Clare Madge  
Chair  
(Y5)



Lisa Manley  
Treasurer  
(Y1 and Y4)



Charlotte Hunt  
Vice Secretary  
(Y3 and Y5)

Here are our fabulous FOSS (Friends of Shiphay School) committee who mastermind all the fantastic events that our children, families and community can enjoy throughout the year.

The committee work tirelessly to make sure the children have extra opportunities and also that much needed funds are raised to benefit the children. Over the last 2 years, they have donated £15000 to help restock and improve our libraries, This year they are embarking on ambitious projects to improve our outdoor spaces.

The committee are amazing but they can't do it on their own. We need more volunteers to join the FOSS team. Not to take on committee roles, but to be available to give a few hours a term to support at events. Please contact [foss@rivieraet.co.uk](mailto:foss@rivieraet.co.uk) if you can help.

## FOSS Events - Autumn 2025

Thursday 25th September	N-Y2 Scooter Party
Friday 2st November	Mufti for
Christmas Fair	
Friday 28th November	Mufti for
Christmas Fair	
	3:30pm Christmas Fair

## Events Spring / Summer 2026

Thursday 5th February	Y3-Y6 disco
Thursday 19th March	N-Y2 event (to be decided)
	Y3-Y6 Disco
Spring Term	Easter Trail
Thursday 14th May	Y3-Y6 Disco

# Important Information

**Can you support?** As part of their Civic Award, our Year 6 pupils will be getting involved with the sale of poppies as we approach Remembrance. We have been asked to share this information with our wider community.



**Poppy Appeal**



Do you have an hour or 2 to spare?  
Would you like to help with this years Poppy Appeal?  
Please come and join us for tea and cake.



Monday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2025

4pm

At The Precinct Centre, Church Road, St Marychurch



## Volunteering in School:

We love having parent, grandparent or other family volunteers in school! It is great to be able to benefit from the huge range of expertise that is in our community and the children really benefit from the support our volunteers give. You don't have to have any experience, just the desire to make a difference for our children. If you're interested, please register your interest by completing [this form](#) and we will be in touch. Thank you!

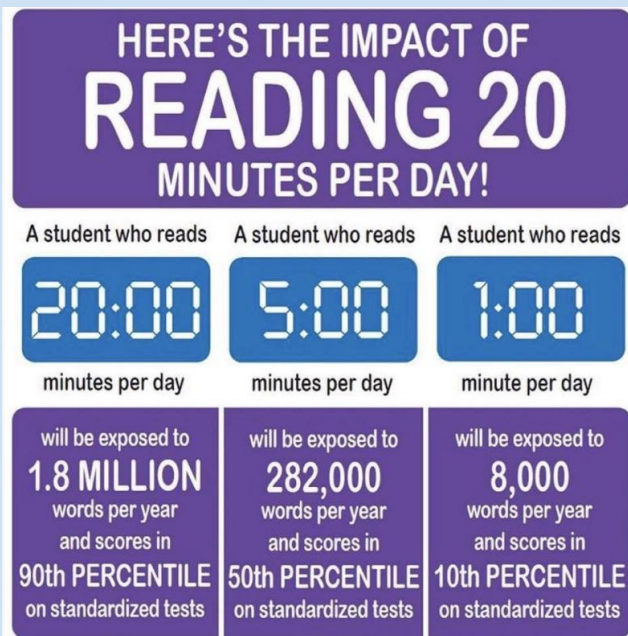


## Amazon Wishlist - can you help?

To continue to nurture a love of reading for all pupils, we would like to continue to build our library stock with the latest releases and collections of book series. To keep the school libraries filled with books the children feel inspired to read, we have compiled a list of books we would like to purchase into a wish list on Amazon. We would be extremely grateful if you are able to contribute to stocking our libraries with some of these amazing books.

To purchase one of the books, simply click on the link below or scan the QR Code:

[https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/lHM1R7ZA6TIF?ref=wl\\_share](https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/lHM1R7ZA6TIF?ref=wl_share)



# Important Information

## Menu Errors - Parent Pay


When you book meals on Parent Pay, you may have noticed that there is a small error on Wednesday Week 2 (see below). It should read:

Option 1 - roast turkey, stuffing, roast potatoes and gravy

Option 2 - vegetable soya roast, stuffing, roast potatoes and gravy

We can't change this until we get a new menu as any changes we make in Parent Pay will wipe everyone's pre orders so just wanted to make you aware.

**Please also note that the Greek macaroni pastitsio contains beef**

 Greek Macaroni Pastitsio  
with Greek Salad and  
Tzatziki

 Barbeque Chicken with Rice	 Pork Hot Dog with Wedges & Tomato Sauce	 Roast Turkey, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	 Spaghetti Bolognese	 Breaded Fish with Chips & Tomato Sauce
 Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Salads	 Vegan Hot Dog with Wedges & Tomato Sauce	 Roast Turkey, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes & Gravy Vegetable Soya Roast, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	 Chef's Special Chickpea Curry with Rice	 Cheese & Tomato Quiche with Chips

# Baton of Hope Information

## Join Us for the Torbay Baton of Hope – Tuesday 30th September 2025 (information sent from Torbay Council)

We're proud to support the Torbay Baton of Hope, a powerful community event promoting mental health awareness and suicide prevention across Torquay, Paignton, and Brixham. On Tuesday 30th September, over 100 Baton Bearers will take part in a symbolic relay walk, with a range of family-friendly wellbeing events happening throughout the day. Highlights include live entertainment, stalls, and activities at the Torquay Hope Hub in Princess Gardens, a children's takeover from 4–6pm, and the inspiring BIG Show of Hope at the Riviera International Centre in the evening. Families are warmly encouraged to come along, cheer on the Baton Bearers, and take part in this uplifting day of hope and connection. The baton will be visiting Torquay, Paignton and Brixham with wellbeing events along the route and The Big Show of Hope at the Riviera Centre in the evening – a show of comedy, magic and music!

Find out more at [torbaybatonofhope.com](http://torbaybatonofhope.com)

We hope to see you there!  
Many thanks

Vicky



**TORBAY** | BATON OF HOPE

30TH SEPTEMBER

**THE UK'S LARGEST SUICIDE PREVENTION INITIATIVE IS COMING TO TORBAY**

**WHAT?**  
We aim to promote better mental health across The Bay, raise awareness of the impact of suicide and spread a message of hope.

**WHY?**  
For many years Torbay has had one of the highest suicide rates in England (70% higher than the English average). An estimated 2,700 residents are impacted by suicide each year.

**HOW?**  
Around 100 baton bearers will take part in a relay walk across Torquay, Paignton and Brixham with events being held throughout the day along the route.

**WHO?**  
YOU can join us at the Event Village in Princess Gardens with a live tour screen, at one of the wellbeing events in each town or at the Finale Event at the Riviera International Centre

**TSP #BRINGHOPE2THEBAY**

FOLLOW US



**TORBAY** | BATON OF HOPE | 30TH SEPTEMBER | HOPE HUB

**TSP**  
TORBAY SUICIDE PREVENTION PARTNERSHIP

**NEXT GEN TAKE-OVER**

**TONIC CREATIVES**

FACE PAINTING  
CIRCUS SKILLS WORKSHOP  
ARTS AND CRAFTS  
GIANT GAMES  
(giants not included)

**SOUND COMMUNITIES**

DJ WORKSHOP  
GRAFFITI WORKSHOP  
LIVE MUSIC PERFORMANCE

Torquay Hope Hub, (Princess Gardens) 4pm – 6:30pm

**WWW.TORBAYBATONOFHOPE.COM**

# Online Safety - Phone Safety

According to Ofcom, 69% of under-18s use a smartphone as their main method of going online. Additionally, 49% of children use them for online gaming – putting smartphones only behind consoles (59%) as the device of choice for playing games on. Most people won't require such statistical evidence, however, to acknowledge the huge importance of phones to young people.

Given that Santa's recent visit is likely to have bestowed smartphones on an even greater number of young people, it's a particularly opportune moment to ensure that children are able to use their handsets responsibly – and, above all, safely. From passcodes to parental controls, and from screen time to scams, our #WakeUpWednesday guide has the essential advice.

## SMARTPHONE SAFETY TIPS

### for young people

- NEVER SHARE YOUR PASSCODE**

Alongside face or fingerprint recognition, your passcode is crucial to unlocking your phone and accessing your apps and personal information. You shouldn't give it out, even to close friends – after all, you wouldn't hand them a key to your house and let them go in for a nosy around! If a friend wants to use your phone, ask them why and make sure you can see what they're doing with it.
- RESPECT PARENTAL CONTROLS**

If you're allowed to have a smartphone, it's because your parents or carers feel that you're mature and responsible enough to use it safely. They might set controls and boundaries on your device – not to spoil your fun but to help you avoid hazards like too much screen time or costly in-app purchases. Following these rules means you can enjoy using your phone while respecting their wishes.
- TALK TO A TRUSTED ADULT**

Whether it's to listen to music, play games, create content or chat with friends, using a smartphone should be fun. If you're ever feeling anxious, worried or scared about going on your phone, then something isn't right. It's important not to ignore these feelings; instead, talk to a trusted adult about what's happening and how it's making you feel.
- STAY ALERT**

Two words: look up. It might sound obvious, but it's so easy to get immersed in what we're looking at or listening to on our phones that we can become unaware of our surroundings – or who might be around us. People often walk with their head down, focusing on their phone, and forget to check for obstacles in their path, cars or other pedestrians coming towards them, which is clearly dangerous.
- DEVELOP HEALTHY HABITS**

Phones offer a vast amount of content and the chance to chat with friends whenever we feel like it, which can make it difficult to take time away from the screen. If that's something you struggle with, you could try setting time limits on certain apps. Putting our phones down for a while gives us more time to interact with others or do something physical that helps keep us fit and healthy.
- IGNORE UNKNOWN NUMBERS**

There are some scammers who might call or text asking you to share personal data or to click on a link and provide your details. Some may claim to be from a genuine company, but trustworthy businesses don't spontaneously call or message to ask for your information. It's safest to ignore calls or texts from unknown numbers, and never give your personal details out over the phone.
- SWITCH OFF GEOLOCATION**

In your phone's settings, you'll be able to disable geolocation for individual apps and photos; this means that people online (including strangers) can't see information about where you are when you share or post a pic. On the subject of images, it's also important to ask permission before taking or sharing a photo of someone – and don't share embarrassing images of your friends with others.
- REMOVE TEMPTATION**

A good night's sleep is so important for concentration, mood and overall health. Unwinding properly before going to bed – which means not staring at a screen late at night – can often improve sleep quality. Put your phone on charge overnight, but not in your room. This means you'll have a lot less temptation to check any notifications, reply to messages or get caught up scrolling on social media.
- ONLY USE AGE-APPROPRIATE APPS**

Before downloading a new app or game, check what age rating it has. Don't feel pressured into getting a particular game or app just because your friends are using it. If it's intended for older people, there's a definite risk that it could include content (which is violent or frightening, for instance) or language which isn't suitable and may leave you feeling upset or disturbed.
- THINK ABOUT OTHERS**

Watching videos, listening to music or calling someone can all help to pass the time while we're on the bus, waiting in a queue or walking down the street. It's important to remain mindful of other people, though: they might not want to hear your tunes or your conversation. Likewise, if you're calling from a public place then don't forget that anyone could overhear something personal about you.

<https://nationalcollege.com/library/?sortBy=newest&phase=2&categories%5B0%5D=258&amount=24&selectedView=grid>

# Term Dates

Please note - May half term 2026  
There are 2 non-pupil days  
Monday 1st and Tuesday 2nd June  
(no hub available)



<b>Summer Term 2025</b>	First day	Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April 2025
	Bank Holiday	Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> May 2025
	Half term	Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> May - Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2025 inclusive
	Non-Pupil Day	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2025
	Last day	Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> July 2025
	Non-Pupil Day	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> July 2025
	Summer holidays	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> July 2025 - Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September 2025 inclusive

## 2025-26

<b>Autumn Term 2025</b>	Non-Pupil Day	Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2025
	Non-Pupil Day	Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September 2025
	First day	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> September 2025
	Half Term	Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> October - Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November 2025 inclusive
	Non-Pupil Day	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November 2025
	Last day	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> December 2025
	Christmas holidays	Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> December 2025 – Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> January 2026 inclusive

<b>Spring Term 2026</b>	First Day	Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> January 2026
	Half Term	Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> - Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> February 2026
	Last day	Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April 2026
	Easter holidays	Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> – Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> April 2026

<b>Summer Term 2026</b>	First day	Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> April 2026
	Bank Holiday	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> May 2026
	Half term	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> May - Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June 2026 inclusive
	Non-Pupil Day	Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June 2026
	Non-Pupil Day	Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2026
	Last day	Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2026
	Non-Pupil Day	Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2026
	Summer holidays	Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July 2026 - TBC

# Important Dates

As you will notice, some of the dates are still (tbc). We will be able to bring you an update later this term and also give you the dates for the Spring and Summer Terms. Please note, new / changed dates are in red.

## Autumn 2025

Wednesday 24th September  
Thursday 25th September  
and Year 2  
Mon 29th Sept-Fri 3rd Oct  
Mills

Tuesday 7th October  
Mon 6th-8th October  
Wednesday 8th October  
Friday 10th October  
being  
Wednesday 15th October

- info sharing for Y5/Y6 parents 6:45pm  
Mon 20th - Thur 23rd October  
Monday 20th October  
Tuesday 21st October  
Wednesday 22nd October  
parents 6pm  
Thursday 23rd October  
Friday 24th October

Monday 3rd November  
Tuesday 4th November  
Friday 7th November  
Mon 10th-Fri 14th November  
Monday 10th)  
Tuesday 11th November  
Friday 14th November  
Archaeology Day  
Friday 21st November  
Monday 24th November  
Friday 28th November  
FOSS Christmas Fair  
Tuesday 9th December  
5pm TBGS (tbc)  
Wednesday 10th December  
TBGS (tbc)

Friday 12th December  
School Hall (tbc)  
Monday 15th December  
Tuesday 16th December  
Wednesday 17th December

Year 4 - Animal Encounters

FOSS Scooter Party for N, R, Year 1

Year 6 Residential - PGL Osmington

School Photos

Y5 Y6 Bikeability

Y5 to London - House of Parliament

Hello Yellow - wear yellow for well

PGL 2026 meeting for Y5 6pm

Y6 Transition

Book Fair

Y4 to TGGs to see Mary Poppins

Parent Consultations

Believer Residential meeting for Y3

Parent Consultations

School closes for Half Term

Non Pupil Day

School opens after half term

Roselands Fireworks

Anti-Bullying Week (odd socks on

Year 3 Kents Cavern trip

Children in Need / Y4 Mayan

Mufti for Christmas Fair

UK Parliament Week

Mufti for Christmas Fair

R/Y1/Y2 Christmas Performance

KS2 Christmas Performance 6pm

Rocksteady Performance 2pm

Nursery Christmas Celebration 2pm

Christmas Fun Day - R/Y1/Y2

Christmas Fun Day Y3/Y4/Y5/Y6

# Important Dates

## INSITE Autumn 2025

During Autumn Term 1, we would like to offer you the opportunity to come into school to share your child's learning. The dates for the Autumn 2025 INSITE sessions are on the right. Each session will take place in the afternoon. Year groups will send out more detailed information ahead of each event.

<b>Year 3</b>	Tue 30th
<b>September</b>	
<b>Reception</b>	Wed 1st October
<b>Year 5</b>	Thur 2nd October
<b>Year 1/2</b>	Wed 8th October
<b>Nursery</b>	Thur 9th October
<b>Year 6</b>	Tues 14th October
<b>Year 4</b>	Thurs 13th

November

## Celebration Assemblies Autumn Term

We love to share good news. When it is your child's celebration assembly, please send any trophies, certificates, awards etc they have received so that we can present these in assembly. This is a great way to celebrate their achievements and also inspire other children.

During Celebration Assemblies, the house captains give an update on house points, praise postcards are shared and the children who have received "Golden Phonecalls" get their certificates.

We also receive updates from our sports teams and children who have represented the school at different events.

## Golden Phonecalls



Wed 10th Sept	Year 5 / Year 6
Wed 17th Sept	Year 3/Year 4
Wed 24th Sept	Year 5 / Year 6
Wed 8th Oct	Year 3 / Year 4
Wed 15th Oct	Year 5 /Year 6
Wed 22nd Oct	Year 3 / Year 4

Wed 5th Nov	Year 5 / Year 6
Wed 12th Nov	Year 3/Year 4
Wed 19th Nov	Year 5 / Year 6
Wed 26th Nov	Year 3 / Year 4
Wed 3rd Dec	Year 5 /Year 6
Wed 3rd Dec	Year 3 / Year 4

\*\*\* Celebration Assemblies for Lower School will take place on a Thursday. It would be lovely to share the children's successes.

Each week, children who have gone above and beyond are recommended to me by the adults in school. I then have the fabulous job of calling home to share this good news. These phone calls are usually done on a Friday after school and are the best part of my week!

At the following Celebration Assembly, the children receive their Head Teacher Award sticker in recognition of their achievements,



# Lunch Menu

As you are aware, Caterlink will be providing our school lunches from September. The new menu is below.



SHIPHAY  
LEARNING ACADEMY

Spring Summer 2025		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>WEEK ONE</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> September 22 <sup>nd</sup> September 13 <sup>th</sup> October	Option One	Macaroni Cheese	BBQ Chicken Pizza with Salads	Roasted Pork Sausage, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Chef's Special Chicken and Chickpea Korma with Rice	Fishfingers or Salmon Fishcakes with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Option Two	Tomato and Lentil Pasta	Mild Mexican Chilli with Rice	Roasted Quorn, Roast Potatoes, & Gravy	Spaghetti and Meatless balls	Cheese & Bean Pasty with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Vegetables	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day
	Dessert	Apple Flapjack	Summer Lemon Cake	Fruit Platter	Chocolate Pinwheel Biscuit	Strawberry Jelly with Mandarins
<b>WEEK TWO</b> 8 <sup>th</sup> September 29 <sup>th</sup> September 20 <sup>th</sup> October	Option One	Barbecue Chicken with Rice	Pork Hot Dog with Wedges & Tomato Sauce	Roast Turkey, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes, & Gravy	Spaghetti Bolognese	Breaded Fish with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Option Two	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Salads	Vegan Hot Dog with Wedges & Tomato Sauce	Vegetable Soya Roast, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	<b>NEW</b> Chef's Special Chickpea Curry with Rice	Cheese and Tomato Quiche with Chips
	Vegetables	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day
	Dessert	Iced Vanilla Sponge	<b>NEW</b> Strawberry and Apple Crumble with Custard	Freshly Chopped Fruit Salad	Peaches and Ice Cream	Vanilla Shortbread
<b>WEEK THREE</b> 15 <sup>th</sup> September 6 <sup>th</sup> October	Option One	Beef Burger with Potato Wedges	<b>NEW</b> Green Thai Chick Curry with Rice	Roast Gammon, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	<b>NEW</b> Greek Macaroni Pastitsio with Greek Salad and Tzatziki	Fishfingers and Chips
	Option Two	Classic Vegan Bolognese	<b>NEW</b> Chef's Special Five Bean Jollof Rice	Vegan Cottage Pie with Gravy	Spinach and Cheese Whirl with Rice, Greek Salad and Tzatziki	Cheese and Red Pepper Fritatta with Chips
	Vegetables	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day
	Dessert	Pear & Cocoa Upside Down Cake	Vanilla Yoghurt with toppings	Fruit Medley	Marble Sponge	Oaty Cookie
<b>MENU KEY</b>		Added Plant Protein	Wholemeal	Vegan	Chef's Special	
<b>Available Daily:</b> - Freshly cooked jacket potatoes or Baguettes with a choice of fillings - Bread freshly baked on site daily- Daily salad selection and Fresh Fruit		<b>ALLERGY INFORMATION:</b> If you would like to know about particular allergens in foods please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of allergen cross contact.				

## Special Diet Lunches

If your child has an allergy, Caterlink will provide a personalised menu for them that is free of these allergens.

These will be sent out in September with information about how to order.

## Packed Lunches

Just a friendly reminder that whole nut products (including **peanuts, tree nuts, chocolate/nut spread and nut bars**) are not allowed in students' lunch boxes due to allergy risks. We have children in our school with severe nut allergies, and even small traces can cause serious reactions.

Please check all snacks and lunch items carefully before sending them in. Thank you for helping us keep our school a safe environment for all students.

# Clubs - Autumn 2025

The ethos at Shiphay Learning Academy is about opening doors for our children and ensuring that every pupil has a broad range of experiences and opportunities both within the curriculum and as part of our extra curricular programme.

Each year our talented teachers and TAs offer a range of exciting extra curricular clubs and share their expertise or interests with the children. In addition to this, we host a number of outside organisations who provide clubs for children to join.

The tables below give an overview of the clubs we are planning to offer during the Autumn Term. The children will also be consulted through Pupil Council to ensure that we are meeting as many of their interests as we can.

More detailed information about each club will be available on our website before the club begins <https://www.shiphay.com/clubs/>. At the beginning of the term, a letter will be sent out containing Google Form links and information about each club. These links will allow you to sign up for the clubs your child would like to join. For some clubs, numbers have to be limited due to health and safety or risk assessment constraints, but many are open to all. We ask that once a child has signed up for a club, you support us in ensuring that they commit to attending regularly.

Monday						
						
UST Librarians	Colouring Club	Netball				
Tuesday						
						
Makaton	Y1 & Y2 Lego club	Latin	STEM	Football Girls' and Boys'	Spanish Club KS2	
Wednesday						
						
Spanish Club KS1	Gymnastics Club Year 1&2	Tag Rugby Y3/4				
Thursday						
						
Reception Forest Club	Puzzle and Brain Teasers Club	Performing Arts	Playground Games			
Friday						
						
Saints Southwest Football						

Autumn 2025						
<b>Mon</b>	<b>UST Librarians</b> 12:15 Kingfisher Mrs Lawton	<b>Colouring Club Y1/2</b> 3:15-4pm Butterfly Miss Idziak	<b>Netball Club Y3-Y6</b> 3:15-4:15pm Miss Prueff			
<b>Tues</b>	<b>Makaton Club Y1/2</b> 3:15-4pm Dragonfly Miss Sewell / Mrs Walters	<b>Spanish Club KS2</b> 3:15-4:15pm Chestnut Kidslingo	<b>Latin Club Y3-Y6</b> 3:15-4pm Robin Mrs Williams-Powell	<b>Stem Club Y5/6</b> 3:15-4:15pm Sycamore Mr Nutbeam	<b>Football Club Y5/Y6</b> 3:15-4:15pm Wk 1 Boys, Wk 2 Girls Mr Ellis	<b>Lego Club Y1/2</b> 3:15-4pm Ladybird Mrs Boot
<b>Wed</b>	<b>Tag Rugby Y3/4</b> Miss Sinar Field 3:15-4:15pm	<b>Gymnastics Y1/2</b> Mrs Waring Hall 3:15-4:15pm	<b>Spanish Club KS1</b> 3:15-4:15pm Butterfly Kidslingo			
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>Performing Arts</b> 3:15-4:30 Hall Miss Farmer	<b>Puzzles &amp; Brain Teasers Y3/4</b> 3:15-4:15 Heron Miss Newell	<b>Forest Club Reception</b> 3:15-4pm Forest Mr Dolman	<b>Playground Games Club Y1 / Y2</b> 3:15-4pm Ladybird Mrs Duke		



# MUSIC LESSONS

## INSTRUMENTS

VIOLIN | SINGING | PIANO | FLUTE  
OBOE | CLARINET | PIANO | RECORDER

LEARN TO PLAY AN INSTRUMENT  
A FUN EXPERIENCE  
LESSONS BY A PROFESSIONAL MUSICIAN

30 Minutes - £17.50

20 Minutes - £12

ROSIE DAVIES

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## Music Lessons in School

During

We are currently able to offer guitar, violin, singing, piano, flute, oboe, clarinet, piano, recorder and drums (percussion).

If you are interested in lessons, please contact the teachers directly.

The percussion teacher's email address is

[furneauxcharlie@gmail.com](mailto:furneauxcharlie@gmail.com)

## GUITAR LESSONS

with

Scott McGowan

Guitar lessons are available here at Shiphay Learning Academy.

I can provide both shared or individual guitar lessons for students of all ages.

I deliver ten lessons per term with five each side of half-term.

The fee for these lessons is £60 for shared lessons or £110 for individual lessons.

Please feel free to contact me for more information.

Email – [smcgowan@btinternet.com](mailto:smcgowan@btinternet.com)

Mob – 07817 000529

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STEADY

## LEARN TO PLAY MUSIC. AMPLIFY CONFIDENCE.

Choose from: Vocals, keyboard, drums, guitar or bass.

### A Rocksteady band is for everyone

Takes place in school,  
instruments provided and no  
experience necessary!

### Taught by professional musicians

Rocksteady band leaders are  
highly trained musicians who  
make learning music fun.

### Progress at their own pace

Your child can achieve an  
exam-free, Ofqual-regulated  
Trinity Music qualification!

### Have fun and learn by playing

Children work their way  
through a curriculum of up to  
300 musical skills.

### Much more than music

Improves wellbeing,  
confidence, social skills and  
academic achievement.

### End every term on a high note

Watch your child shine as  
they perform in their end of  
term concerts.

"He was shy in  
reception and is now  
completely different!"

Dana

"Seeing her perform  
unfazed in front of a  
large audience is not  
something I could've  
imagined before  
Rocksteady!"

Lois

"I had tears watching  
her perform. Amazing  
skills that will help her  
for the rest of her life."

Amita

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PLACE ONLINE



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# ROCK AND POP BAND LESSONS!



## Ignite their inner spark

- Learn to play an instrument in their very own band.
- Fun and inclusive in-school band lessons.
- Follow their musical journey in your Backstage account.
- Exam-free, Ofqual-regulated Trinity Music qualification.
- Instruments provided and no experience necessary.

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# Funding opportunities for young musicians in Devon

Struggling with the costs of tuition?

Need help to further your musical talent?

Household income of less than £37,500?

There could be financial support available.

For more info

Email: [hannah.stephenson@devon.gov.uk](mailto:hannah.stephenson@devon.gov.uk)

or scan the QR code and complete the contact form



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# Spanish Clubs at Shiphay Learning Academy


(New day for our Infant club)

**iHola!** Join our fun and interactive after-school Spanish clubs at Shiphay Learning Academy! Places are allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

Learning a language at a young age helps children grow in self-confidence and boosts their natural creativity. Plus, they can absorb a language effortlessly while having fun!

At Kidslingo, we are passionate about teaching Spanish to children through play. We love exploring different cultures and making language learning exciting with games, songs, actions, stories, and drama.

## Club Details

 1-hour sessions: 3:15 pm - 4:15 pm

- **Wednesdays** - Reception, Year 1 & Year 2
- **Tuesdays** - Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 (Only 1 space left!)

 Our Autumn Term starts on 9th September 2025.

 **£31.00 per child, per month.** There is 2% admin fee applied to price.

★ Payments are collected monthly via Direct Debit at the beginning of each month, pro-rated from your joining date. You can cancel at any time.


★ You can join at any time, subject to availability.

Current customers: No action needed—your child has been automatically enrolled.

## Included:

- Vocabulary sheets, worksheets, and reward certificates
- Free access to our games site (250+ Spanish & French games)

## How to Enrol

 To secure your child's place, visit the link below and select Shiphay Learning Academy:

<https://www.kidslingo.co.uk/area/teignbridge-s-hams-torbay/>

(Tip: Click Show Classes to view club details.)

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out!

Patty

## Spanish clubs at Shiphay Learning Academy



Learn Spanish through songs, games, role play and fun activities

3:15pm - 4:15pm **Very limited spaces!**

Wednesday for Reception, Year 1 & 2  
Tuesday for Year 3, 4, 5 & 6

Cost: £31.00 per child per month  
Free access to 250+ online games

 **New term starts 9<sup>th</sup> Sep**

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[www.kidslingo.co.uk/area/teignbridge-s-hams-torbay/](https://www.kidslingo.co.uk/area/teignbridge-s-hams-torbay/)