



Sharples Primary School

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Stronger Together

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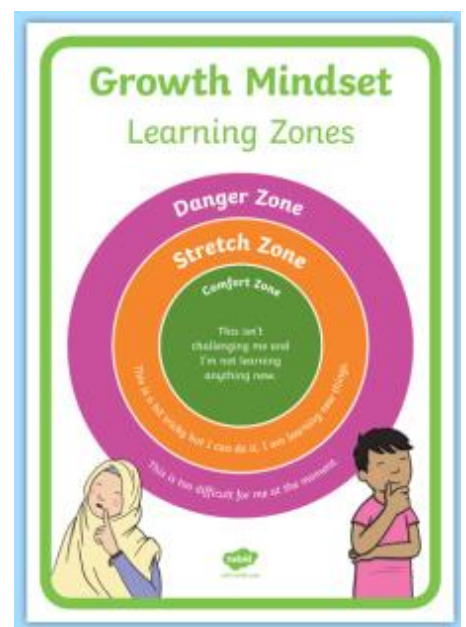
The Sharples family ensures our children are resilient learners, healthy and aspirational citizens. We will create a love of lifelong learning that extends beyond the classroom as a result of an enriching curriculum. The school community will make a difference by fostering respect and tolerance of each other as unique individuals.

July 2022

Dear Parents,

This year has been a year where restrictions, due to COVID-19, have reduced and in the most part have now been fully removed from school life. We end the school year very differently then the last two previous academic years, and all for the better! As I have said in previous communications, the resilience and determination of our school community, and most importantly the children of our school is something to be extremely proud of!

This term has seen, once again, our curriculum come to life and inspire our children to be great thinkers, doers and believers. Children in school have been learning all about Metacognition and how we should also work in our stretch zone – children know that at times they might go into their danger zone but we are learning about how we can come back to the stretch zone by using our Sharples Learning Pit. Ask your child all about it.



Outcomes for learning have been more and more impressive, as children pull together their learning from across the last year. Staff have worked incredibly hard to bring together learning, showcases, productions and experiences that last a lifetime for our children.

It has also been remarkably heartwarming to see parents, carers and extended family members back in school, this is something that we will continue to build on next year.

Assessment has taken place for all our children with statutory national assessment for children in Y1 Phonics, Y2 KS1 SATS, Y4 Times Table Check and Y6 KS2 SATS. We have had absolutely fantastic results from all our children but especially Year 6. The governors and I are so proud of the children, staff and parents of Sharples because these results really do show the great strides we have made in the toughest of circumstances.

We say good-bye and good luck to our amazing Year 6 class who have been fantastic role models for the younger children and had a fantastic attitude towards their learning this year. We know you will continue to do everyone proud as you enter the next stage of your education journey.

Just a reminder if you are replacing school uniform over the holidays of the school agreed uniform policy. We will also be starting the process of introducing a new PE hoodie and these will be phased in. In the meantime, children can wear their black shorts/ leggings/ joggers for PE with the purple PE top and their purple school jumper. We will also be introducing learning outside next year and the children will be participating in Forest School Lessons. Waterproofs and wellies will be needed. If you have any branded school uniform that no longer fits, please bring to the office and we will put it in the school shop. We have school dresses and plain purple polo shirts available from the office.

All reading books have been collected and will be ready for the children when they move to the next class. Over the holidays, please continue to encourage the children to read – this could be a comic, recipe or match day program – this will really help with their learning.

When the children come back their new topics will be:

EYFS – Ourselves, family and Friends

Y1 and 2 – Animals including Humans

Y3 and 4 - Animals including Humans

Y 5 and 6 - Forces

Nursery	Miss Hamer Mrs Rushton Mrs Gija
Reception	Mrs Bradshaw Mrs Pollitt Mrs Gija Miss Gillespie – Schools Direct Placement
Year 1	Mrs Tomany Mrs Owens Miss Payne – Schools Direct Placement
Year 2	Mrs Howard Ms Knight
Year 3	Mrs Adam Mrs Adam
Year 4	Mr Lloyd Mrs Giovinazzo Mrs Munshi Mrs Ingram – Schools Direct Placement
Year 5	Miss Slater Mrs Taylor

	Mrs Mayat
Year 6	Mr Slater Mrs Samways Mrs Corbett

Just a reminder school starts back on Tuesday 6th September. Doors open at 8.40am and the children's learning starts at 8.45am.

Have a wonderful summer holiday,
Take care,

Mrs Partington
Head Teacher

