

The Shipston Spirit Awards

Through the Shipston Spirit Awards, we aim to help children to have ambition as well as to develop the important skills of resilience and perseverance. These awards cannot be earned quickly and require children to work at home and at school to achieve them. You will see that the targets have also been chosen because they are fun. They engage children in developing the 6 C's vital for future skills and employment: character, creativity, critical thinking, communication, collaboration and citizenship.

There are 4 different levels of award to earn: bronze, silver, gold and platinum.

There are 4 awards to be earned by children during Key Stage 2:

Bronze Award: earned by completing 18 tasks – 9 from the 'at home' and 9 from the 'at school' section.

Silver Award: earned by completing 36 tasks – 18 from the 'at home' and 18 from the 'at school' section.











Gold Award: earned by completing 54 tasks – 27 from the 'at home' and 27 from the 'at school' section.







Platinum Award: earned by completing all 72 tasks.

Children can begin earning awards in Key Stage 2 but, as you can see, they can begin practicing (and maybe even completing) many of the tasks while they are still in Key Stage 1 - learning to ride a bike, swimming 5m and completing the Summer Reading Challenges, for example.

Awards are earned by completing the tasks in the two tables below. Half are to be completed in school and half out of school. Some can be completed individually and some require children to work with others, including their trusted adults. Tasks can be completed in any order. Photos / videos of tasks completed should be sent to teachers via Seesaw. Tasks with a talk emoji require children to discuss the task with an adult in school before it can be awarded. To complete tasks without a talk emoji parents / carers should use Seesaw to share a photo or video of the activity being completed. These will then be saved in your child's personal file to be presented as evidence to achieve each award. When children leave school, they will be able to take their folder (and all of the memories in it) with them, should they wish to.

The tasks fit perfectly with our 'Be Ready' and 'Be Responsible' behaviour expectations.

At School Tasks		
Developing Ambition	Being Active	Growing Character
Pack you own school bag every day for at least 1 term.	Complete ½ a marathon.	Always show good manners at lunchtime, including eating with a knife and fork.
Carry your own school bag for at least 1 term.	Complete 1 whole marathon.	Help a child in Key Stage 1 with their reading regularly.
Learn to introduce yourself and ask a question in Spanish. 	Compete in every sports day event.	Be recognised by adults for regularly having a positive attitude towards PE / Gymnastics / dance lessons.
Read 250,000 words in one year / read 20 books	Walk or ride to school regularly (at least 3 minutes activity each time) for at least half a term.	Regularly help to keep school tidy.
Read 750,000 words in one year / read 35 books in one year.	Regularly join in with class discussions – be ready to share your ideas and answer questions. 	Work with others to organise an event in school.
Become a word millionaire / read 50 books in one year.	Know your address and your date of birth. 	Be a reliable Year 6 Prefect.
Earn a black Total Recall badge.	Have the correct PE kit every week for a term.	Share an outside of school achievement in a Friday Celebration assembly. 
Stand for election as a school councillor or House Captain. 	Take part in a school camp out or residential.	Be recognised by school adults for helping a friend deal with a problem.
Have the correct school uniform for a term.	Find 5 places on a map of Shipston using grid references. 	Learn to play a song on a musical instrument. 
No late attendances all year.	Take part in at least 3 school performances (e.g. Shipston Proms, reading a piece of writing, Christmas productions etc.)	Make progress in your reading range from the start to the end of a year.
Complete the Summer Reading Challenge at the library twice. 	Teach a member of your class a new game. 	Have all greens for effort in an annual report.
Complete your homework every week for a year.	Be able to find Shipston on a map of Britain. 	Earn every Total Recall badge.

At Home Tasks		
Developing Ambition	Being Active	Growing Character
<p>Sing as part of the choir at Victorian Evening.</p> 	<p>Join an out of school club (football, swimming, cricket etc.) and attend regularly for at least a year.</p>	<p>Visit a museum.</p>
<p>Write to your local MP or the Town Council explaining about a local issue and what you feel should be done about it.</p>	<p>Earn a 5m swimming certificate.</p>	<p>Make your own bed every day for at least 3 months.</p>
<p>Save pocket money / birthday / Christmas / job money in a bank account.</p>	<p>Earn a 25m swimming certificate.</p>	<p>Try 5 new foods (must include at least 3 fruits or vegetables).</p> 
<p>Enter a competition.</p>	<p>Grow a plant.</p>	<p>Peel the vegetables for a family meal at least 3 times.</p>
<p>Create at least 3 pieces of art from nature (sticks, stones, leaves etc.).</p>	<p>Build a model.</p>	<p>Learn a new game and play it with a trusted grown up.</p> 
<p>Record you reciting a poem clearly and articulately 3 times and share it on Seesaw with your teacher.</p>	<p>Make a scrap book of your school holiday activities with at least 10 entries.</p>	<p>No screen time for 5 consecutive days (TV, computers, ipads, phones) apart from homework or to contact a family member.</p>
<p>Explain to an adult what you would like to be when you are an adult and what you will do to achieve that ambition.</p> 	<p>Go for a long walk (at least 3 miles).</p>	<p>Take part in a community event.</p>
<p>Call a family member and share with them something you are proud of achieving each week for at least 3 months.</p>	<p>Bake a cake or some biscuits.</p>	<p>Visit an art gallery.</p> 
<p>Write to an adult you admire explaining why you admire them.</p>	<p>Build a den and play in it with someone else.</p>	<p>Visit a theatre production.</p>
<p>Learn to ride a bike safely.</p>	<p>Play a card game or board game with adults in my family 10 times.</p> 	<p>Donate something of yours to a charity shop.</p>
<p>Learn to tie your own tie properly.</p>	<p>Go for a family picnic.</p>	<p>Clean your bedroom every week for 3 months.</p>
<p>Learn to tie your shoelaces.</p>	<p>Make a paper plane which flies for at least 5m.</p>	<p>Do the washing up / load and empty the dishwasher 10 times without complaining.</p>

