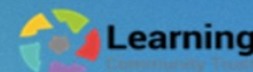


Wrekin View Newsletter



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Headteacher's message



Dear Parents and Carers,

What a busy week! It has flown by with everything that we have been doing. This week, our newest club The Pioneer Cadets started with Mr Kilburn and some children from Years 4, 5 and 6. They had a great time and are looking forward to next week already.

Personal development

Mr Kilburn has also arranged some special KS2 assemblies this half term to help the children's personal development and they started with a visit from Mollie, one of the nurses from The Princess Royal Hospital to talk to the children about epilepsy. Next week the personal development assembly will be on asthma and eczema. These assemblies help the children to understand the medical conditions that they or their friends and family might be living with and to learn more about the human body.

Communication

Our parent survey on communication is open and will be until Monday at 5pm. Here is the link if you haven't had a chance to do it yet. <https://forms.office.com/e/2Uq87bviLT>

PE lessons

Just a reminder that children need to be wearing the correct PE uniform on PE days:
Navy PE shirt (this can be the school logo shirt or a plain supermarket one)
Plain black or navy joggers or shorts
Plain white or black socks
Trainers
In colder weather, **navy** school jumpers or a **navy school fleece or hoodie** can be worn.
Children should not be wearing any hoodies that are not navy blue, and please ensure your child is not wearing any jewellery on a PE day.

Cooking Counts

Our new parent and child course started today and they all had a great time making pizzas, which looked so tasty. If you are interested in being involved in the next round of this course, please do let us know via email or by leaving your name at the office.

Mrs Atherton

Important dates for your diary

Date	Event
14.02.2025	Break up for half term 3:15pm
22.01.2025	Family learning 1:15-3:15pm
24.01.2025	Cooking Counts course for parents and children
29.01.2025	Family learning 1:15-3:15pm
31.01.2025	Cooking Counts course for parents and children.
04.02.2025	Swimming gala at HLC 1:30 – 3:00pm
05.02.2025	Family learning 1:15-3:15pm
06.02.2025	Y2 Great Fire of London workshop
07.02.2025	Cooking Counts course for parents and children.
11.02.2025	Y5 watching 'Annie' at Charlton School
12.02.2025	Y5 Indoor Kwik Cricket
12.02.2025	Family learning 1:15-3:15pm
14.02.2025	Cooking Counts course for parents and children.
14.02.2025	Break up for half term
24.02.2025	Children return to school
24.02.2025	Y5 Visit to the Space Centre
03.03.2025	Experience Easter 6C 2:15-3:15
31.03.2025	Experience Easter 3P 9:30-10:30 4S 10:45-11:45 4KH 2:15-3:15
01.04.2025	Experience Easter 6H 10:45-11:45 3A 2:15-3:15
02.04.2025	Experience Easter 5J 2:15-3:15
03.04.2025	Experience Easter 5W 9:30-10:30

Thanks for your generous donations—we raised £329 in total to support Mr Lill's charity marathon.

Pallets needed!



We may have found someone to help us with our welly storage! Now, we need to see if we can get hold of some great quality pallets at the best possible price, or free! If you can help, please come and see Mrs Atherton or Mr Kilburn.

Thank you.

Our mission is to provide a warm, welcoming, and safe learning environment that fosters the development of every pupil.
Our vision is to cultivate an environment where every pupil becomes a happy, successful, and curious communicator.

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This Week's Attendance



Whole School	93.5%
Wrekin Giants	94%
Nursery	89%
Rec S	92%
Rec J	93%
Lang Class	88%
1GP	94%
1C 🌟	96%
2JS 🌟	98%
2CL	85%
3A 🌟	97%
3P	94%
4KH	93%
4S	91%
5W 🌟	88%
5J	91%
6C	94%
6H	85%

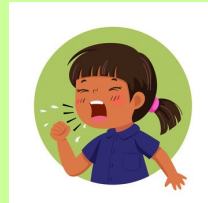
ATTENDANCE UPDATE

Sadly, our attendance has taken a hit this week. There are a few colds and viruses going around so please remind children to wash their hands thoroughly using soap before eating and after using the toilet. For further advice about whether to send your child into school there is this very useful link from the NHS: <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>

If your child is too unwell to attend school please contact the school office by 8:30am:

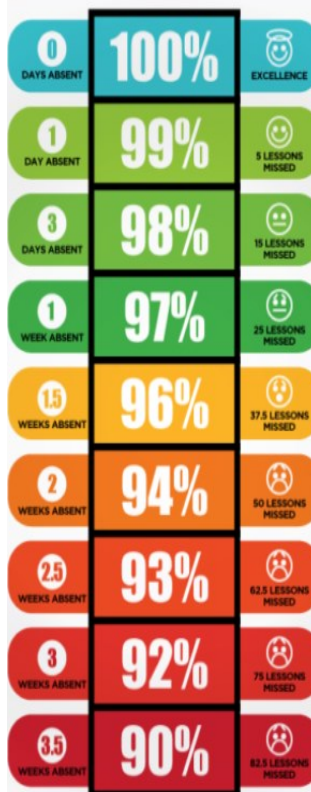
01952 388088

Or send a WhatsApp Message to 07773130519.



Miss Stephenson

ATTENDANCE EVERY DAY COUNTS



2024—2025 term dates

Spring 1	07/01/2025	14/02/2025
Half Term	17/02/2025	21/02/2025
Spring 2	24/02/2025	11/04/2025
Easter Break	14/04/2025	25/04/2025
Summer 1	28/04/2025	23/05/2025
Half Term	26/05/2025	30/05/2025
Summer 2	02/06/2025	18/07/2025

Celebrating Success



The teachers choose a pupil who they feel has done something special in the week for this award. This could be academic or for behaviour and conduct linked to our values of happy, successful, curious communicators.

Class	Pupil	Reason
WG	Mikey-Joe	For trying hard with group times and showing brilliant Wrekin View behaviour.
N	Athaliah	For her amazing listening skills on the carpet.
RJ	Louie	For being an incredible friend and helper.
RS	Connor	For amazing maths.
1C	James	For outstanding and adventurous language choices in his Wrekin Write.
1GP	Cole	For a well punctuated description of the Big, Bad Wolf. We are proud of him!
2JS	Mia	For writing an amazing independent write this week in school and at home.
2CL	Sanjana	For settling in and being a super role model to others in class.
Language class	Seb	For outstanding independent writing and having great enthusiasm.
3P	Nikodem	For his great knowledge and enthusiasm in all lessons.
3A	Raiveer	For joining in whole class discussion voluntarily.
4KH	David	For creating some wonderful sentences in writing this week.
4S	Andrew	For a super start to Wrekin View.
5J	Abby	For having a curious attitude leading to success.
5W	Sienna	Excellent work in writing.
6C	Riley	For showing great resilience and always being positive and happy everyday.
6H	Aisla	For her attitude and hard work during booster sessions this week.

Readers of the week

Our readers of the week have been working hard on their reading in school and at home.

Lang Cl Abdul 1C Lillie 1GP Ella 2JS Dexter 2CL

3A Arif 3P Rio & Louie 4KH April 4S Phoebe 5J Mavrick

5W Huseyin 6C Jess 6H James

Parent information



Telford & Wrekin Council are relaunching the Get Connected programme in Wellington.

In partnership with Age UK, the Get Connected programme is returning to Wellington this month. A free six-session programme is available for any Telford & Wrekin resident over the age of 50.

Each course consists of six 1.5-hour sessions delivered in a fun and friendly environment, supported by trainers and volunteers.

Content includes:

- Getting to know your device
- Getting started with email
- Introduction to the internet
- Staying Safe Online
- Shopping online

- Connecting with friends and family
- Comparing prices for example phone and tv packages
- Accessing your health record and ordering repeat prescriptions
- QR codes

Upcoming courses:

Wellington Civic and Leisure Centre, Committee room, Tan Bank, Wellington, Telford TF1 1LX Commencing every Monday from Monday 27th January until Monday 3rd March at 14.00 – 15.30

Wellington Civic and Leisure Centre, Committee room, Tan Bank, Wellington, Telford TF1 1LX Commencing every Wednesday from Wednesday 29th January until Wednesday 5th March 10.00 – 11.30

Places are free but limited. To request a place, call the contact centre on 01952 380000.

FREE COURSE



Wrekin View Primary School

'Family Crafts for Wellbeing'

Start date: Wednesday 15th January

End date: Wednesday 12th February

1:15 - 3:15 pm

This fun and informal course provides an opportunity for parents to work with their child to create fun and inspirational crafts that promote confidence, positive behaviours and general feelings of Wellbeing.

All resources are provided
Free refreshments



To register for this course please scan QR code or complete the reply slip and return to the school reception.
Call 01952 382888 for support in registering

Help with Childcare Costs

There's financial support available for eligible working parents to help with the costs of childcare. You can claim up to £2,000 tax-free childcare for children up to the age of 11. This can be used to help cover nursery fees or the cost of childcare in the school holidays and wraparound care including before and after school clubs.

The saving can only be made when using formal Ofsted registered childcare providers. Further information about the support available can be found at <https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/> or email childcarefunding@telford.gov.uk

The Dog House

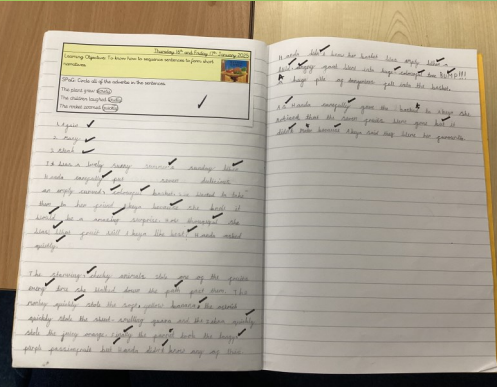
Could you provide a loving home for a rescue dog? The Channel 4 series, The Dog House is looking for couples, individuals, friends and families who are seriously considering bringing a rescue dog into their lives and are willing to share their reasons for doing so.

Please follow this link to apply:

[The Dog House | Channel 4](#) or email thedoghouse@fivemilefilms.co.uk



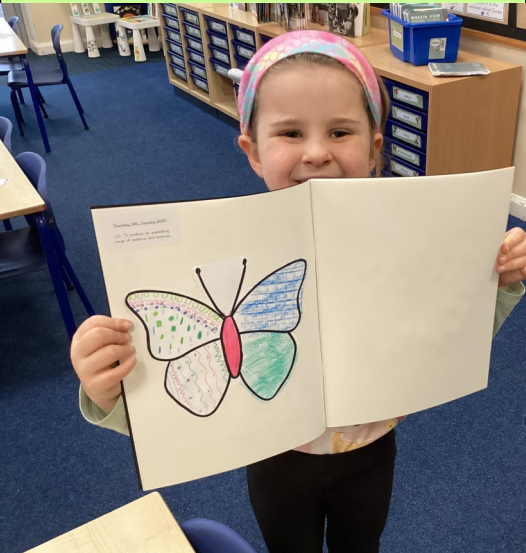
We love our Learning



Year 2 have retold the story of Handa's surprise this week. They have tried to include lots of year 2 skills. Look at Mia's super effort.



Year 2 have designed their own algorithms this week. They programmed the Beebot to see if it could get to their chosen end point. If it didn't, they needed to debug it and try again.

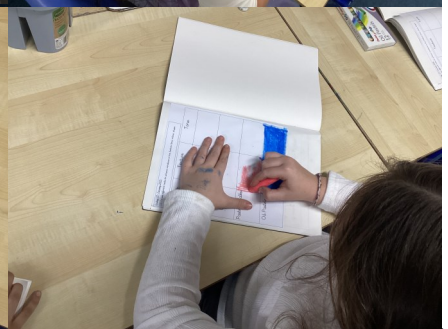
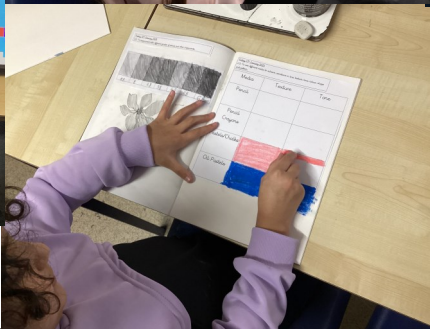
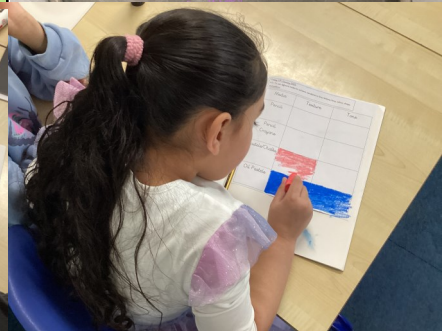
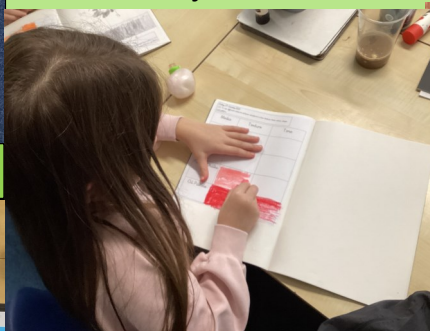


Year 1 used rubbings to create textures in Art.

This week in nursery, we've been learning all about keeping our teeth healthy. The children had lots of fun discovering why it's important to brush twice a day, eat healthy foods, and visit the dentist regularly. We brush once a day in nursery and talk about foods that are good and bad for our teeth. It's been a great way to help build healthy habits.



Today in ICT, Y1 children were creating their own version of Piet Mondrian's art using Freeflow on the iPads. They had to use squares and rectangles of different sizes, but only in the primary colours of red, blue and yellow.



In art Y3 have continued to look at different media to use when drawing. They looked closely at the textures that were used.