

Wrekin View Newsletter



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Headteacher's message



Dear Parents and Carers,

As November comes to a close, I'm excited to share some of the wonderful things happening at Wrekin View this week. Our pupils continue to show their love for learning and personal growth, thanks to the supportive environment we work hard to create.

The recent snowfall has brought lots of joy to our school. The children have enjoyed on the snowy field, and it's been lovely to see them having fun together. These moments not only bring happiness but also help them build friendships and connect with nature.

In classrooms, creativity and hands-on learning have been shining, especially in Year 3 and Year 6. Both year groups have been busy with exciting Design Technology projects focused on cooking. These lessons teach important life skills like nutrition, measuring, and teamwork in a fun and practical way.

I'm also very proud of the progress our pupils are making with their presentation skills. Many have earned pens or silver pencils this week as rewards for their hard work. This shows how much pride they take in their work, which is wonderful to see.

Looking ahead, we're hosting a **Parents' Coffee Morning on Thursday, 28th November, at 9am**. At this event, we'll be joined by an organisation that runs parent-and-child courses. They'll share details about upcoming opportunities, including an exciting 'Cooking Counts' course starting in January. This course gives and children the chance to cook together over several weeks, and participants will receive a free air fryer at the end.

We'd love for you to join us at the coffee morning. It's a great chance to learn about these courses, which offer valuable bonding time, new skills, and ideas for healthy living.

Mrs Atherton

Important dates for your diary

Date	Event
26.11.2024	Y4– Y6 cross country 9:30-12
27.11.2024	No Pens Day at Wrekin View
04.12.2024	Y3 and Y4 Arthog Outreach
05.12.2024	Whole School Maths family session—parents invited to attend
06.12.2024 9:30am and 2:15pm	EYFS Nativity—parents invited
09.12.2024	KS1 Nativity 2:30pm—parents invited
12.12.2024	Christmas jumper day—Children to dress in Christmas jumpers or bright colourful jumpers. No cost.
12.12.2024	Sponsored Reindeer Run 2:00—3:00pm. Details to follow.
13.12.2024	Class Christmas parties
17.12.2024	Christmas Dinner Day
18.12.2024 9:30am and 2pm	KS2 Christmas concert—parents invited. Our 2pm performance is at All Saints Church
18.12.2024	Christmas Pantomimes for EYFS and KS1
19.12.2024	PTA Christmas discos
20.12.2024	Children break up for Christmas holiday—no Wraparound
06.01.2025	Teacher training day
07.01.2025	Children return to school
14.02.2025	Break up for half term 3:15pm
24.02.2025	Children return to school

Parents' Coffee Morning— November 28th at 9am



Come and have a coffee with us and find out about an exciting parent and child cooking course. On completion of the course you and your child will be awarded a free air fryer!

Important: Our school email address has changed. Please use wrekinview@lct.education to contact us.

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	94.6%
Wrekin Giants	86%
Nursery	86%
Rec S	78%
Rec J	92%
Lang Class	81%
1GP	95%
1C	95%
2JS	93%
2CL	95%
3A 🌟	98%
3P	94%
4KH	95%
4S	91%
5W 🌟	97%
5J	95%
6C 🌟	96%
6H 🌟	96%

ATTENDANCE UPDATE Winter Illness

Parents/carers are urged to encourage good hygiene habits in their families, such as handwashing and using a tissue to catch coughs and sneezes. Regularly washing hands with soap and warm water for 20 seconds or using hand sanitiser when convenient, is one of the most effective ways to stop the spread of germs.

Knowing when to keep your child at home and when to send them to school

Children are encouraged to stay in school or nursery with symptoms such as a runny nose, sore throat or slight cough (if otherwise well and do not have a high temperature), but should stay at home if they feel too unwell to attend and/or if they have a fever. They should stay home until the fever has passed and they are well enough to attend. If they have diarrhoea and/or vomiting they should stay home for at least 48 hours after these symptoms clear up. Let the school know if your child is diagnosed with other illnesses such as scarlet fever and they can advise you how for long your child should stay off school.

2024—2025 term dates

Autumn 2	04/11/2024	20/12/2024
Christmas Break	23/12/2024	06/01/2024
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	Charlotte	For being really enthusiastic and trying hard to join in with the songs for our nativity.
N	Shayaan	Shayaan has been working so hard in 'More Time to Talk'.
RJ	Cara	For always trying hard.
RS	Colette	For always trying her best at everything she does.
1C	Ruby	For a having an amazing start to Wrekin View on Monday and showing our values.
1GP	Alessia	For having a fantastic attitude to learning, she always tries her best and is a great role model.
2JS	Kyla & Riley	Kyla has done some fantastic art. Riley has shown greater independence in his learning.
2CL	Mehmet	His resilience , hard work and positivity in everything he does.
Language class	Abdul	For being super at maths
3P	Fidela	For presenting her work beautifully and neat handwriting.
3A	Charlie	For his amazing ideas and always 100% focused with his learning.
4KH	Evan	For being such a happy and positive boy this week.
4S	Ann	For having a great attitude towards her writing and pushing herself to achieve her best.
5J	Niamh	For being a fantastic role model and always showing the Wrekin View Way.
5W	Jessica	For a good attitude to learning and always taking pride in her work and her own progress.
6C	Jason	For a positive attitude to learning and always going above and beyond in his Science & Geography.
6H	Amna	For making huge improvements in her work ethic and quality of her work.

Readers of the week

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

1C Dylan 1GP Katy 2CL Adaoramma 2JS Alessia Language class Scarlett
 3A Charlie 3P Najib 4KH Daisy 4S Zahidur
 5J Rishika 5W Derrick 6C Ryan 6H Coby

Parent information



Free Maths and English accredited courses for adults



Recognised by universities and employers

Working with Telford College, the Learning Community Trust are pleased to introduce Maths and English courses for our communities, taking place within a number of our schools.

Our part time courses can help you:

- Gain a recognised maths or English qualification within 16 weeks
- Help with progression within employment or further study
- Develop key skills that can help within day to day life
- Support your child with their homework
- Meet new people within your community
- Take time to develop your interests

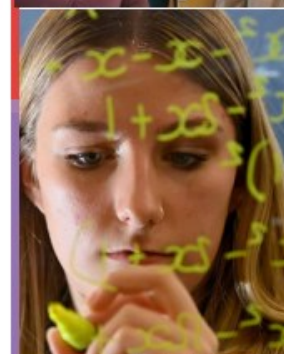
Courses are delivered by friendly and expert maths and English teachers, specialist in delivering to adult learners. We work together to break down barriers to learning, and create a warm and inclusive learning environment; all delivered within your local school building

Maths and English Courses are available at:

Hadley Learning Community (HLC)
Crescent Road, Hadley
Telford, TF1 5JU.
Wednesdays: 6-9pm
Starting January

Burton Borough School
Audley Avenue, Newport
Shropshire,
TF10 7DS.
Tuesdays: 6-9pm
Starting January

New Road Academy
New Road,
Wrockwardine Wood,
Telford, TF2 7AB.
Mondays: 6-9pm
Starting January



Community English and Maths classes with the LCT trust



For more information, or to register, please contact:
mande@telfordcollege.ac.uk or call 01952 642415
Alternatively, use the QR code to register your interest



Parent information



EDUCATING KIDS OUTDOORS LTD WINTER HOLIDAY CLUB

Sunday 22nd & Monday 23rd December 2024

Thursday 2nd & Friday 3rd January 2025

10:30am to 4:00pm - £38 / HAF Funded place FREE

Early Drop Off 9:00am to 4:00pm - £44



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with EKO**

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About Us

If you're new to EKO we are all about having fun outdoors whatever the weather. We might be bug hunting or plant spotting or den building or creating natural art or music or gardening, the list is endless. There will always be something new to try. We are based at Weston Park and have our own dedicated space as well as use of the extensive grounds.

What do you need to know?

- The Winter Holiday Club forms part of the Holiday Activity & Food programme, (HAF). We are thrilled to be able to offer free places to children on free school meals with HAF eligibility from Shropshire, Staffordshire & Telford & Wrekin councils
- Children with SEND 1:1 support needs must contact us first before making a booking. Unfortunately we only have ONE, 1:1 support place available each day
- A hot lunch is provided to everyone - no need for a packed lunch

What to bring?

- Please provide your child with a water bottle. - we will provide drinks and snacks during the day.
- Children need three essential clothing items,
 1. Wellies or waterproof boots with warm socks
 2. Waterproof trousers, (whether they prefer dungarees, trousers or an all-in-one suit)
 3. Waterproof jacket
- Clothing needs to be old and comfortable. Please pack additional layers, such as hats gloves as necessary. We have plenty of spare kit, if you need anything, please contact us.

Find out more

Take a look at our website www.ekolearning.org.uk for more information.

We love our Learning



A selection of our snow pictures. Look at those faces!



This week at nursery, we had so much fun in the snow! The highlight was building a snowman together—it was a real team effort. Everyone worked hard to gather snow and carefully put on the accessories to bring our snowman to life. A big thank you to Ethan for bringing the most important part—a carrot for the nose. It was such a joyful experience for everyone.



Year 2 - In art they are focusing on enhancing their drawing skills. This week they drew a hedgehog from observations.



In Y1 Alchemy and Ezra were on the Paint app learning how to draw. Here are some other finished drawings from Y1.



We love our Learning



in Y3 the children have practised the skill of cutting, grating and slicing as part of a unit of work on making sandwiches.



Y6 have been working with a Michelin starred chef this week and produced amazing, healthy cottage pies. They can now do this at home!

