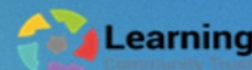


Wrekin View Newsletter



Friday 12th September 2025
Issue 2 2025/26

Headteacher's message



Dear Parents and Carers,
It's been a busy but positive week in school, and we are delighted with how well the children are settling in with their new teachers and routines. To support a calm and purposeful start to the week, we will continue with a **soft start on Monday mornings**, beginning the day with a PSHE lesson during the first hour. This gives children the chance to reflect, share, and focus on their wellbeing, helping them to feel ready for the learning week ahead.

Late collections:

From **Monday 15th September**, our **Late Collection Policy** will be enforced. This means that if children are collected after the agreed time, late charges will apply. We kindly ask all parents and carers to ensure that collection arrangements are in place so that children are picked up promptly. These measures are in place to support staff wellbeing and ensure the smooth running of our wraparound care. Thank you for your cooperation.

Mrs Atherton

Message from the PTA:

The PTA are excited to announce their first event of the year. It is a back to school party and you can find further details later on in this newsletter.

We are always looking for parent volunteers to help us make our PTA events a real success. Whether it's giving a little time to set up, helping on a stall, tidying away at the end, or sharing your ideas and skills, every contribution makes a huge difference. Volunteering is a great way to meet other parents, get involved in school life, and most importantly, create memorable experiences for our children. If you are able to support at any of our upcoming events, please let us know – even the smallest amount of time is greatly appreciated.

This week Language Class have been focusing on their fine motor skills:



Macmillian Coffee Morning 2025

Friday 26th September 2025
Parents/Carers welcome
9 am - 11am in the school hall

Baking competition
There will be a prize for EYFS, KS1, lower KS2 and upper KS2. Cakes to be brought in by Thursday 25th September.

50p a cake!

A timetable will be sent you to you to inform you when each class is in the hall.

CASH ONLY PLEASE

Important dates for your diary

Date	Event
16.9.2025 9am or 3:30pm	Read Write Inc parents meeting for Reception parents
26.9.2025 9am—11:00am	Y6 Macmillan coffee morning
30.9.2025 2:15pm	Making connections coffee meet up for parents of SEND children with Mrs Taylor-Ward
1.10.2025	Y6 RAF Cosford all day
6.10.2025	Experience Harvest, All Saints Church 5H am, 6C pm
7.10.2025	Experience Harvest, All Saints Church 4K am, 3G pm
8.10.2025	Experience Harvest, All Saints Church 4P am, 6W pm
9.10.2025	Experience Harvest, All Saints Church 5R am, 3A pm
10.10.2025	World Mental Health Day (optional: children and staff to wear something yellow)
20.10.2025	Y3 Stone Age Day (workshop in school)

Safety notice—choking hazard

Grapes are a good healthy fruit snack but if you include grapes in your child's packed lunch, please remember to always cut them lengthwise first. Although the medical advice is generally for children under the age of five, it can still be a choking hazard for all.

Term dates 2025–2026 for pupils

Autumn 1: Wednesday 3rd September to Friday 24th October 2025
Autumn 2: Monday 3rd November to Friday 19th December 2025
Spring 1: Tuesday 6th January to Friday 13th February 2026
Spring 2: Monday 23rd February to Friday 27th March 2026
Summer 1: Tuesday 14th April 2026 to Friday 22nd May 2026
Summer 2: Monday 1st June 2026 to Friday 17th July 2026

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	97%	
WG	100%	
Nursery	94%	
Rec CL	97%	
Rec J	96%	
Lang Class	100%	
1N	98%	
1C	93%	
2S	98%	
2PH	98%	
3A	100%	
3G	98%	
4K	93%	
4P	93%	
5H	98%	
5J	98%	
6C	99%	
6W	94%	

ATTENDANCE UPDATE

Good Afternoon

Why every day at school counts – especially in Year 6

Did you know that children who attend school regularly in Year 6 are much more likely to do well in their SATs? A recent report shows that pupils with 95 –100% attendance are far more likely to reach the expected levels in reading, writing, and maths.

Even missing just 10 days in the school year can make a big difference. Children with lower attendance—around 90% or less—are much less likely to meet national expectations. And for those who miss a lot of school, the chances of doing well drop even further.

This shows how important it is for children to be in school every day, especially in an assessment year like Year 6. Every lesson builds on the last, and missing time can make it harder for children to keep up and feel confident.

We know that sometimes absences are unavoidable, but working together to support good attendance can make a real difference to your child's learning and future opportunities.

If you ever need help or support with attendance, please don't hesitate to reach out. We're here to help.

Miss Stephenson



2025—2026 term dates

Aut 1	03/09/2025	24/10/2025
Aut 2	03/11/2025	19/12/2025
Spr 1	06/01/2026	13/02/2026
Spr 2	23/02/2026	27/03/2026
Sum 1	14/04/2026	22/05/2026
Sum 2	01/06/2025	17/07/2026

Holidays

Please ensure you use the table above when booking your holidays.

Celebrating Success



Learning
Community Trust

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	Name	Reason
WG	Chase	A great start to Wrekin Giants being happy and helpful,
N	Charley	A great week in Nursery and a superb role model.
RJ	Sophie	For always being kind and helpful to her friends.
RCL	Lillie-Rose	For always smiling and showing kindness to others.
1C	Starr	For an amazing start to Wrekin View.
1N	Tilian	For always trying his best.
2S	Noah	For sharing great ideas in class.
2PH	Gracie-Mai	For working super hard in maths.
LC	Alfie	For settling into Language Class and using clear language and signing.
3A	Ava-Rose	For always being ready to learn.
3G	Kaushiki	For being a wonderful role model and sharing her knowledge of Rama and Sita.
4K	Raheem	For showing a positive attitude to learning.
4P	Ibrahim	For beautiful presentation and thoughtful attention to detail.
5J	Tia	For being a consistent role model to the class.
5H	Lincoln	For showing a positive attitude towards learning and high expectations in presentation.
6C	Andrea	For always being happy, helpful and making such a positive start to this year.
6W	Sheridan	For setting an excellent example and choosing to focus on his learning.

Readers of the week

1C Harper 1N Teddy 2S Heidi-Mai 2PH Dylan

Lang Class Vinny 3A Kenzie 3G Eve 4K Harriet 4P Ayanna

5J Evan 5H Mathea 6C Julia 6W Theo



Parent information



Applying for primary school places

Parents and carers of children who are due to start primary or secondary school next September can now apply for their school place.

Children born between September 2021 and August 2022 will be due to start primary school in September next year (2026). To ensure those children are allocated a school place, parents and carers must have applied to Telford & Wrekin Council by 15 January 2026.

Children born between September 2014 and August 2015 are due to start secondary school next year and parents and carers have until 31 October 2025 to apply for their school place.

More information on applying for a school place is available at <https://www.telford.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school-admissions/>

Watch a quick easy guide to primary school admissions - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WgA7iZSgHlk>

Watch a quick easy guide to secondary school admissions - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=65rpJarFWr0>

Secondary school admissions

To apply for a secondary school place you will need to complete and submit an online application form using the link below.

To apply for a place at **Thomas Telford School**, you will need to apply to the school directly by 22 September 2025. You should not list this school on your online application.

Applicants to **Madeley Academy** will be invited to attend a non-verbal reasoning assessment in November 2025.

If you are applying to **Holy Trinity Academy** or any other faith schools you may also need to complete a 'supplementary information form'.

These will be available on the school's website and should be returned to the school (s) directly as well as listing the school (s) on your online application form.

Parents who apply before the closing date will receive an email with the outcome of their application on **Secondary National Offer Day - 2 March 2026**.

LCT secondary school open days

As you are aware, a number of our local secondary schools are part of the Learning Community Trust. Here are the Open evening dates and times for your information.

Hadley Learning Community - Sept 25th, 5.00–8.00pm,

New Road Academy, Wrockwardine Wood - Sept 30th, 5.30-8.00pm,

Burton Borough School, Newport - Oct 1st, 5.00–8.00pm,

Ercall Wood Academy, Wellington - Oct 2nd, 6.00–8.00pm,

Charlton School, Wellington - Oct 9th, 5.00–8.00pm

WREKIN VIEW'S BACK TO SCHOOL FUN & GAMES

THURSDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER

£2.50 PAYABLE VIA PARENT PAY
PTA ORGANISED

EYFS & KS1 - 15:15 - 16:15

KS2 - 16:30 - 17:30

PLEASE ENSURE YOUR CHILD
IS DRESSED APPROPRIATELY
FOR OUTDOOR FUN AND
GAMES

- FREE REFRESHMENTS
- PRIZES TO BE WON
- MUSIC, GAMES,
ACTIVITIES & DANCING

ALL CHILDREN
WELCOME



Parent information



PRELOVED UNIFORM

Give

Swap

Save

HELP
YOURSELVES
TO GENTLY
USED UNIFORM
FOR A SMALL
DONATION

WHY?

Save money on schoolwear
Reduce textile waste

Please take money
to the school office.



Headlice

Head lice are a common issue in primary schools, and they can spread quickly among children, particularly when they are in close contact during playtime or group activities. They cannot jump, fly or swim. Itching and scratching occurs 2 to 3 weeks after coming into close contact with someone who has headlice. While head lice do not pose a serious health threat, they can be a nuisance and cause discomfort for your child.

Regular checks of your child's hair are essential for early detection and prevention of head lice infestations. Please take a few minutes to thoroughly inspect your child's hair for any signs of lice, such as:

- Itching or scratching of the scalp
- Visible lice or eggs (nits) attached to the hair
- Red bumps or sores on the scalp

If you discover that your child has head lice, it's essential to take prompt action to treat the infestation and prevent it from spreading to other children.

We maintain strict confidentiality regarding cases of head lice, and your cooperation is vital in helping us ensure a healthy learning environment for all.

7 Key Head Lice Facts:

- Head lice are common among young children and their families
- Head lice don't spread disease
- Head lice can be spread from adults to children and back again
- There's nothing to be embarrassed or ashamed about having head lice
- Having head lice has nothing to do with good or bad personal hygiene
- Lice eggs hatch after around 7 days so two applications are always needed to make sure all lice have been killed.

Get ready for Photography Day on

Wednesday 17/09/2025
at Wrekin View Primary School

Look out for the order form
coming home with your child



www.schoolphotographs.co.uk

