

# Wrekin View Newsletter



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## Headteacher's message



Dear families,

This week, I would like to begin by thanking all of our families for their continued support and understanding in response to the challenging weather conditions. We appreciate the flexibility shown as we made adjustments to our provision on Thursday and Friday to ensure the safety and wellbeing of all pupils and staff.

I am also pleased to share that we have launched our new social media pages on Facebook and Instagram. These will provide a valuable way to celebrate pupils' achievements, share important updates and give you a greater insight into life at our school. We encourage all families to follow us on our new pages and stay connected.

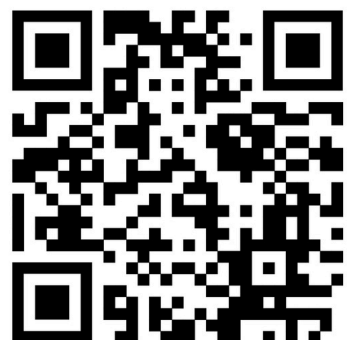
Due to the school closures this week, there will be a revised overview for next week. Please see the important dates on this page.

As we have done for the last two years, we will be sharing by letter the staff that will be teaching your children next Friday afternoon. This will give you the chance to discuss this at home with your child before our transition morning with new teachers on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> July.

Finally, as we start to prepare to say goodbye to our Year 6 pupils, we would be very grateful for any donations of PE tops in the last week of term if you no longer have use for them. These are always well used within school and are a wonderful way for our outgoing pupils to leave a lasting contribution to the school community.

Have a wonderful weekend. Let's hope it cools down a bit!

Mrs Atherton



Scan for Wrekin View Facebook updates



Scan for Wrekin View Instagram updates

## Important dates for your diary:

Mon 29 <sup>th</sup> June	Mufti Day - World Cup theme. Wear your football kit and bring in a prize for the tombola!
Tues 30 <sup>th</sup> June - 9:15am	Sports day for Y1, Y2 and Y3
Tues 30 <sup>th</sup> June - 1:15pm	Sports day for Y4, Y5 and Y6
Wed 1 <sup>st</sup> July - 1:30pm	Sports day for Wrekin Giants, Nursery and Reception
Thurs 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Bedtime stories event in school- children can wear pyjamas to school
Thurs 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Y6 Crucial Crew event
Fri 3 <sup>rd</sup> July - 1pm onwards	Wrekin View's Happy Explorers Festival
Thur 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Pioneer Cadets assembly
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup> July - 5:30pm	School Talent Show For parents of children who are performing, tickets are now live on ParentPay- limited to 2 per family
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup> July	All end of year Learning Passports sent to families
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup> July 9:00 - 9:45am	End of year awards—Wrekin Giants, Nursery, Reception and Y1. Invitations will be sent to nominated pupils.
Tue 14 <sup>th</sup> July 9:00 - 9:45am	End of year awards—Y2—Y5. Invitations will be sent to nominated pupils.
Tue 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Y2 trip to Bowring Park
Tue 14 <sup>th</sup> July 3:30-5:00pm	Parents evening; reports follow up

## Y6 key dates for your diary:

Mon 13 <sup>th</sup> July 9:15am or 5:15pm	Y6 production
Wed 15 <sup>th</sup> July 1:45pm	Y6 BBQ with parents event (inc. awards)

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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# Attendance and Assemblies



School	WG	N	Rec J	Rec CL	1HS	1N	Lang Cl	2P	
	95.4%	79.5%	94.4%	97.5%	94.2%	97.8%	97.6%	95.0%	88.1%
2S	3A	3G	4K	4P	5J	5H	6C	6W	
	97.6%	97.3%	90.4%	98.3%	90.8%	96.4%	95.7%	98.4%	97.6%

## ATTENDANCE

If your child is unwell and cannot attend school please call or leave a message on our WhatsApp : 07773130159 explaining what the illness is before 8:30am. If you are unsure whether to send your child we can advise or you can use [NHS Is my child too ill for school](#)

If your child is absent for several days, we may want a video call with the child or we may come out to see your child. The law has changed since August 2024 and Penalty Notice Fines may be issued for 10 unauthorised absences across 10 school weeks.

## Assemblies

What an eventful and enriching week it has been. Due to the recent heatwave, we were unable to hold our full programme of assemblies; however, the sessions we did complete were both engaging and meaningful for the children.

On Monday, pupils thoughtfully explored the concept of tolerance. They listened attentively to the story All Are Welcome, which celebrates diversity within a school community. This provided a valuable opportunity for children to reflect on inclusion and the importance of respecting and valuing differences.

Tuesday's assembly focused on happiness and resilience. The children thoroughly enjoyed The Thing That Lou Couldn't Do, a story about a young adventurer who faces her fears. Through Lou's experience, the children considered how uncertainty and self-doubt can be overcome, encouraging them to try new challenges with confidence.

Finally, during Wednesday's life skills assembly, we explored our core value of curiosity. Pupils discussed how asking questions and showing an inquisitive mindset can help them discover solutions and deepen their understanding of the world around them.

Overall, despite a shorter schedule, the week's assemblies provided rich opportunities for reflection, discussion, and personal growth.

Miss Stephenson

## FOCUS next week:

<b>Monday</b>	<b>British values - Mutual Respect</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Values Assembly - Happy</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Rocksteady Performance</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Life Skills Assembly - Explore everyday objects</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Star of the week</b>

## The Thing that Lou couldn't do



All are welcome



## Hints and tips for parents -

With the warmer weather, there are lots of opportunities for children to practise maths in a more active and fun way – both in and out of school. Being outside and moving around can be a great way to build confidence and understanding.

### For Reception, Year 1 and Year 2

#### Easy ideas to try:

- Counting outside
- Count steps, jumps or skips
- “Can you do 5 more?”
- Water play
- Use containers to explore full, empty and half full
- Compare which holds more or less
- Shape spotting
- Look for shapes in the environment (round wheels, square paving slabs)
- Chalk maths
- Draw numbers or simple addition on the ground

#### Quick idea to try:

“How many jumps?”

Ask your child to do a number of jumps (e.g. 8).

Then ask:

“How many more to make 10?”

### For KS2

#### Easy ideas to try:

- Measuring outside
- Estimate and measure distances (How far can you jump? How long is the garden?)
- Time challenges
- “How long does it take to run to the gate and back?”
- Compare and record times
- Scoring games
- Keep score during sports or games
- Add totals or find the difference
- Angles and shapes
- Spot angles and shapes in structures, parks or playgrounds

#### Quick idea to try:

“Estimate and Check”




Ask your child to estimate something first:

“How many steps to the fence?”







Then count to check how close they were.

#### This week's winners:

##### Classes:

	4P	24,235
	6C	22,097
	6W	16,759

##### Individual winners:

	 Mohammed Y 4P	20,562
	 Aisha S 6C	5,003
	 Farhan N 6C	4,418

# Parent information



Wrekin View's  
**GOT TALENT!**  
FRIDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> JULY  
6:00PM - 8:00PM (ISH)  
£2 A TICKET - 2 PER FAMILY  
With Raffle and Refreshments

TALENT SHOW  
RAFFLE PRIZES

**WE NEED  
YOUR HELP!**



If you know any local businesses, companies or individuals who would be willing to donate a voucher/ prize for our raffle it would be greatly appreciated.

Handed into a member of staff by  
Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July

## Keeping children with additional needs safe online

Find guidance on supporting your child's additional needs, whether they're diagnosed with a specific condition or face barriers online.

BROWSE BY NEED

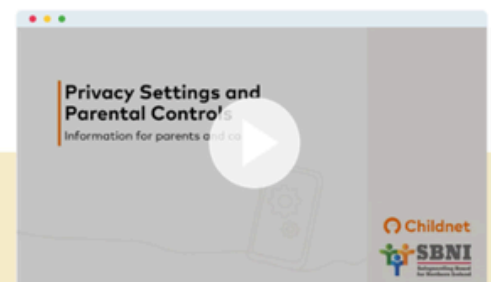
VIEW QUICK HELPS

<https://www.internetmatters.org/advice/additional-needs-support/>

Online Safety Hub > Resource Library

## Online Safety Mini Webinars for Parents and Carers

SBNI (The Safeguarding Board for Northern Ireland)

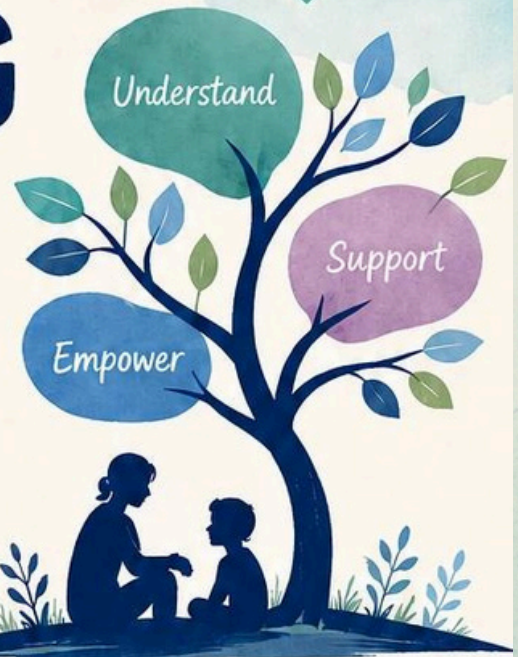


<https://onlinesafetyhub.safeguardingni.org/online-safety-mini-webinars-for-parents-and-carers/>

Parent/Carer Workshop:  

# UNDERSTANDING *and* MANAGING *Anxiety*

Supporting  
children today  
for a brighter  
tomorrow



Delivered by:  
**Dr Katie Jobson,**  
Educational and Child Psychologist,  
Telford and Wrekin Educational  
Psychology Service



**VENUE:**  
Wrekin View  
Primary School



**DATE:**  
Thursday  
9<sup>th</sup> July



1:30pm – 3pm

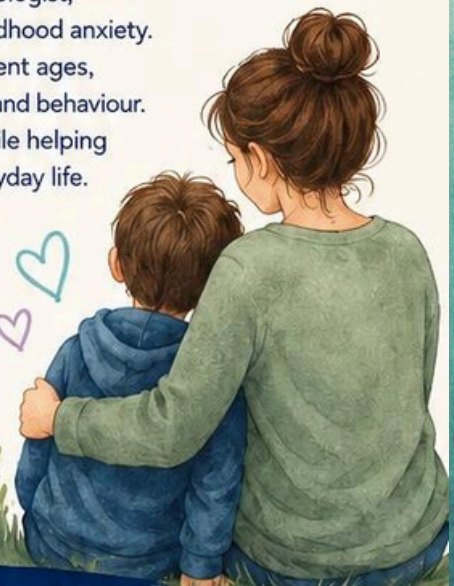
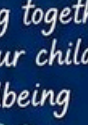
Practical  
strategies.  
Stronger  
connections.  
Better  
outcomes.



This parent/carers workshop, led by an Educational and Child Psychologist, offers a supportive and practical introduction to understanding childhood anxiety. Parents/carers will explore what anxiety can look like across different ages, why it develops, and how it can impact a child's thoughts, feelings, and behaviour. The session aims to normalise anxiety as a common experience while helping parents/carers recognise when it may be getting in the way of everyday life.



Alongside developing insight, the workshop provides practical, evidence-informed strategies to support children in managing anxious feelings. Parents/carers will learn ways to respond calmly and confidently, build their child's emotional resilience, and gently encourage coping and independence. The focus is on empowering parents/carers with tools they can use in everyday situations to help their child feel understood, supported, and more able to navigate challenges.



To book a place on the workshop,  
please contact school reception:  
**01952 388088**

Working together  
for your child's  
wellbeing



# ALWAYS FOLLOW THE WATER SAFETY CODE



Whenever you are around water:

## STOP AND THINK

Take time to assess your surroundings. Look for the dangers and always research local signs and advice.



## STAY TOGETHER

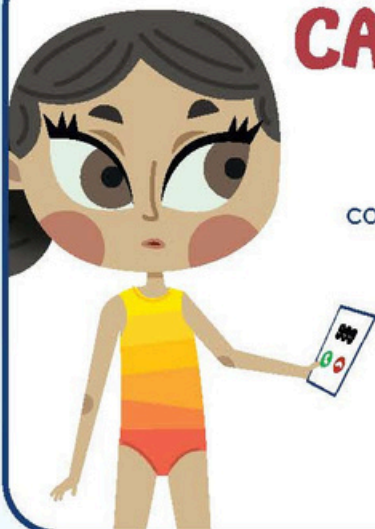
When around water always go with friends or family. Swim at a lifeguarded venue.



In an emergency:

## CALL 999

If you are at the coast, call 999 and ask for the Coastguard. Don't enter the water to rescue.



## FLOAT

Fall in or become tired - stay calm, float on your back and call for help. Throw something that floats to somebody that has fallen in.



# Parent information



WELLINGTON TOWN COUNCIL

## FAMILY FUN DAYS

29TH JULY  
FLIP THE CLOWN

12TH AUGUST  
WREKIN FOREST SCHOOL

5TH AUGUST  
BUBBLE ACADEMY

19TH AUGUST  
ROCKETS!

26TH AUGUST  
FLIP THE CLOWN

BOWRING PARK PAVILION  
11AM-1PM  
FREE FAMILY FUN  
ALL WELCOME

SCAN ME FOR MORE EVENTS

WELLINGTON TOWN COUNCIL

## SATURDAYS In the Square

AUGUST 1 WELLINGTON BRASS BAND 11:00AM TO 1:00PM

FAMILY FUN DAY AUGUST 8 11:00AM TO 2:00PM

AUGUST 15 CHILL OUT, WELLINGTON! 11:00AM TO 2:00PM

FAN FEST AUGUST 22 10:00AM TO 4:00PM

AUGUST 29 URBAN SCARECROW FEST 10:00AM TO 2:00PM

WELLINGTON MARKET SQUARE  
TF11BP



The Embrace Group CIC is proudly working with HHAH to provide the Summer Holiday Club at Wrekin View Primary School. We're excited to invite your child to join The Embrace Summer Holiday Club, full of activities, games, and creative workshops, with an optional nutritious meal. This summer we are also excited to announce that we will be offering the Pools to School Swimming Pool. This will give all children who are attending the Holiday Club an opportunity to swim every day.

Locations: Wrekin View Primary School

Dates: Monday 10th August - Friday 21st August

Times: 10:00 - 16:00

Booking options:

FREE space and FREE Lunch for children eligible for benefits related free school meals.

<https://mailchi.mp/cdc97e514735/embrace-group-easter-holiday-camp-bookings-now-open-13477869>

£16.00 per day (optional lunch available for £6) for others

<https://mailchi.mp/6d1d967f3917/embrace-group-easter-holiday-camp-bookings-now-open-13477876>

Spaces are limited, book now to secure your place.

# SPRING SUMMER MENU 2026

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>WEEK ONE</b>					
13.4.26	Macaroni Cheese	Phat Pasty Pork Sausage Roll or Chicken HotDog with Potato Wedges	Roast Chicken, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Spaghetti Bolognese	Fishfingers or Salmon Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce
4.5.26	Chickpea Curry with Rice	Mild Mexican Chilli with Rice	Roasted Quorn, Roast Potatoes, & Gravy	Vegetarian Burger with Wedges & Tomato Sauce	Cheese & Bean Pasty with Chips & Tomato Sauce
1.6.26	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day
22.6.26	NEW Banana Mousse	Orange Drizzle Cake	Fruit Platter	Apple Flapjack	Strawberry Jelly with Mandarins
13.7.26	Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Summer Mixed Salad	Beef Chilli with Rice & Sweetcorn & Cucumber Salsa	Roasted Pork or Chicken Sausage, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Greek Chicken Pitta with Herby Rice, Tzatziki & Salad	Battered Fish with Chips & Tomato Sauce
<b>WEEK TWO</b>					
20.4.26	Vegetable Curry with Rice	Spaghetti & Meatballs in a Tomato Sauce	Veg Wellington, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Greek Spinach & Cheese Whirl with Herby Rice, Tzatziki & Salad	NEW Cheesy Broccoli Frittata with Chips
11.5.26	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day
8.6.26	Iced Vanilla Sponge	Peaches & Ice Cream	Freshly Chopped Fruit Salad	Jam & Coconut Sponge with Custard	Oaty Cookie
29.6.26	Tomato Pasta	Beef Burger with Potato Wedges & Rainbow Slaw	Roast of the Day, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	Chef Shilpa's Chicken Curry with Rice	Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce
<b>WEEK THREE</b>					
27.4.26	NEW Chinese Vegetable Noodles	Vege Roll with New Potatoes & Rainbow Slaw	Vegetable Loaf with Stuffing, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	All Day Vegetarian Breakfast	Cowboy Sausage and Bean Hotpot
18.5.26	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day
15.6.26	Pineapple Upside Down Cake	Cheese & Crackers	Fruit Medley	Strawberry and Apple Crumble with Custard	Vanilla Shortbread
6.7.26					

**MENU KEY:**

- Whole grain
- Plant based
- Added plant protein
- Chef's special

**AVAILABLE DAILY:** Jacket Potatoes with a choice of fillings, Salad Bar, Freshly Baked Bread, Fresh Fruit, Yoghurt

If you would like to know about particular allergens in foods, please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of allergen cross contact.