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Diary Dates 2025



Wednesday 12th, 25th February 5th March & 12th March – Pentabus Theatre Company with Federation Yr 5s

Thursday 13th February – Bedstone Cross Country

Half term : Monday 17th February 2025

Tuesday 18th March – Pentabus theatre company Yr 5's rehearsal and performance @ Ludlow Assembly rooms (Info to follow)

Return to School : Monday 24th February 2025



Thursday 27th February – Sponsored Federation challenge

Tuesday 4th March – World book day in school (info will follow)

Thursday 6th March Olympian visit

Monday 7th – Wednesday 9th Arthog residential

Easter half term: Monday 14th April 2025

Monday 28th April – 30th Pioneer Residential

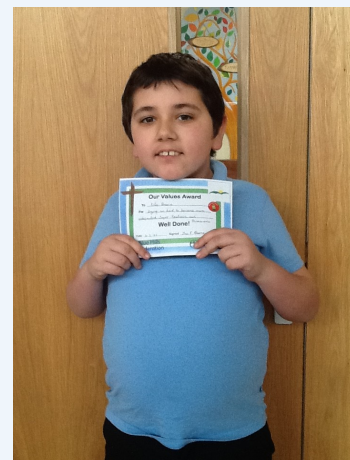
Open the Bible



Happy people stop arguments, happy people make people happy, happy people help people.



Values and Awards



Class News

Preschool

We have had a busy week, celebrating Chinese New Year with the children making a dragon and dancing to the beat of the drum. The children certainly enjoyed being together and building the body, lots of fantastic rhythm.

Our focus story this week is "Going on a bear hunt" exploring all the different weathers and experiencing the sensory area with, mud, snow and wavy grass.

The children are all enjoying their physical time on the yard, using the traffic lights and road signs.



Class1

Firstly, thanks so much to all the parents of children in Reception who have come into class this week to see a phonics session in action. It's been great to have you. Please keep hearing your child read at home, they need to practise their reading skills with you!

The Reception children are loving all the learning opportunities in the Creative Area, here's Jemima writing and Tommy LJ standing next to a person from the new bricks.

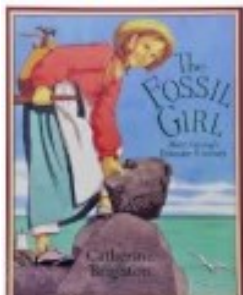
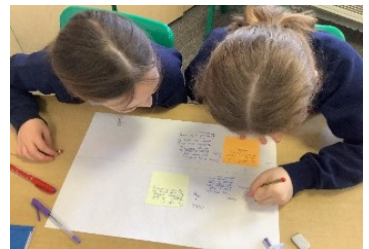
On Monday the Year One and Two children enjoyed a visit to the church to find out why a church is special to Christians. Debbie Pope, who's a church warden showed us around and introduced us to all the important features of a church: the font, the altar, the pulpit and more.



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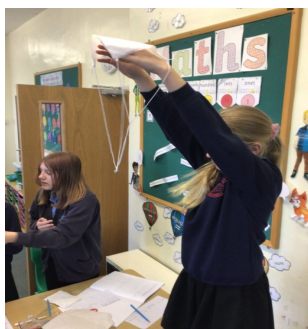
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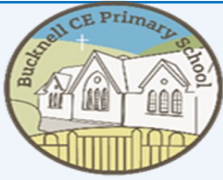
This week, we have been working on creating timelines to show the events of the story, 'The Fossil Girl' by Catherine Brighton. We are now beginning to use these timelines to help us write a recount of Mary's amazing discovery.



Class 3

Class 3 have created a selection of parachutes this week in order to conduct an investigation to find out how the size of the canopy affects the time it takes to fall. The children recorded and analysed their results and came to their own conclusions about the force of air resistance.





Information for Parents



Attendance

Attendance Figures for last week: 27.1.25-31.1.25

Teme (Class 1) 90%

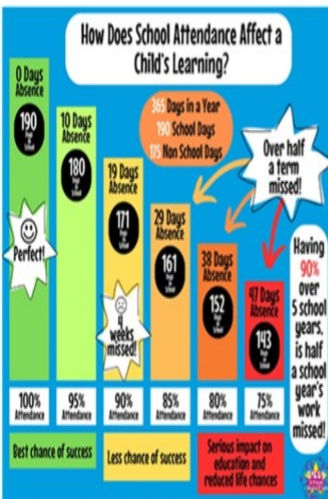
Hales (Class 2) 82%

Redlake (Class 3) 91.76%

Overall: 87.92% Target 96% or better.

Please remember our school day starts at 8.45am. You must let us know if your child is not going to be in school on a day by 8.45 am.

Attendance Matters



Please see the local and national school attendance expectations below:

- The Department for Education expects children's attendance to be **above 95%**
- An attendance of **90% and below** is recognised as persistently absent from school
- Term time holidays are not permitted and will result in fines for both parents!

Pre school reminder

Please can we ask parents to send spare clothes in. Bags can be left in preschool.

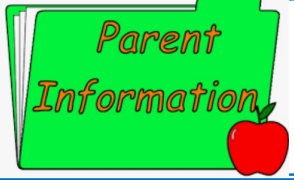


Tuesday 11th February

Safer Internet Day.

We will be focusing on this in school. Below is a link where you can find more information and resources about Safer Internet Day here:

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/safer-internet-day-2025>



Understanding your child From toddler to teen

- Would you like to know more about your child's development?
- Do you need help and support to understand your child's behaviour?
- Would you like a chance to meet with other parents and carers with children of a similar age?

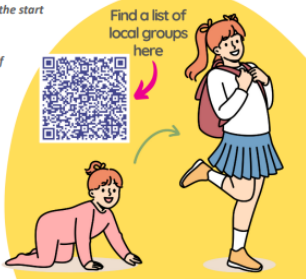
Join us for one of our free virtual or face-to-face groups, our next groups start:
Understanding Your Child SEND Group Monday 27th January 2025 from 9.15am to 11.15am
 at Wilfred Owen School, Shrewsbury, SY2 5SH
Understanding Your Child SEND Group Monday 27th January 2025 from 12.30pm to 2.30pm
 Virtually Via MS Teams
Understanding Your Child Group Wednesday 29th January 2025 from 9.30am to 11.30am
 at Meole Brace Primary School, Shrewsbury, SY3 9HG
Understanding Your Child Group Friday 31st January 2025 from 9.15am to 11.15am
 Virtually Via MS Teams
Understanding Your Child Group Friday 31st January 2025 from 1.15pm to 3.15pm
 at Christ Church Primary School, Cressage, SY5 6DHH

All our groups run for 10 weeks from the start date excluding the School Holidays.

SEND groups are for parents/carers of Children who might have special educational needs and disabilities, no formal diagnosis is needed to attend the groups.

To book a place email Parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk or call 01743 250950

Find more free online courses at inourplace.co.uk/shropshire



Family Drop-ins Free info, advice & support

You can get free information, advice and support on all aspects of family life, at our Family Drop-Ins. Come along for a coffee and a chat, and see how we can help you with:

- Family life
- Parenting support (including child development, behaviour, sleep and relationships)
- Domestic abuse support
- Money worries
- Housing support
- Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities (SEND)

and much more



Find your local drop-in here



School Nursing

The School Nursing Team provide health and wellbeing information, advice, support and guidance to children and young people, teachers, families and carers across Shropshire. We are part of the 0-19 Public Health Nursing Service which contains Specialist Nurses (School Nurses and Health Visitors), Registered Nurses, Healthy Child Practitioners and Support Workers.

Every Local Authority funded school in Shropshire has a named School Nurse. We offer lots of different services, workshops and events enabling schools to contribute to PSHE outcomes, as well as targeted one to one support for children and their families.

Your child might come across a School Nurse in school in an education session or health related workshop, but we will not see your child alone without your consent. Sometimes, children ask us for individual advice and we will always feed this back confidentially to parents and carers.



LUDLOW CE SCHOOL PRODUCTION OF

Disney HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL JR.

WEDNESDAY 12TH & THURSDAY 13TH
 FEBRUARY 2025 TICKETS
 7PM £5

Book by David Simpatico Music Adapted, Arranged & Produced by Bryan Louiselle
 Songs by Matthew Gerrard & Robbie Nevils Ray Cham, Greg Cham & Andrew Seeley;
 Randy Petersen & Kevin Quinn Andy Dodd & Adam Watts; Bryan Louiselle;
 David N. Lawrence & Faye Greenberg; Jamie Houston
 Based on a Disney Channel Movie Written by Peter Barsocchini Supported by

Disney's High School Musical JR. is presented through special arrangement with all authorized materials are supplied by Music Theatre International, New York, NY 212-541-4684 | mtishows.com



chat to us

Connect to a support worker with our **Live Chat** service.



forum

Speak to other women in our **supportive community** of survivors.



email

Send an email to one of our **support workers**. We will reply within 5 working days.



survivor's handbook

Get help on **housing, safety planning**, dealing with police and more.

For more information visit www.womensaid.org.uk
Women's Aid is a registered charity in England No. 1054154

women's aid
 until women & children are safe

HOLIDAY FUN!!

Children's Holiday Club, for 7 - 11 yr olds
 £25 per day in 2025 | Book Online



Weds 19th & 20th February

Also, Teen Adventure Day: Paintball & High Ropes.
 Outdoor adventure & fun for all the family.
 Birthday Parties available.
 Get in touch to plan your next adventure!



Visit www.oakerwoodleisure.co.uk



Parent Information



Skips Safety Net

Keeping children safe online

A Parent's Guide to Safety and Privacy Settings

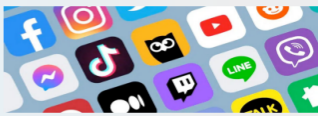


scan the QR code with your phone's camera for Parent Guides on how to help keep your children safe online

When you give a child access to the internet, you give them access to the adult world.

The Internet treats everyone as adults and there are many things, they are not yet ready to know, which is why it is vital that some form of safety settings are in place. Doing something is better than doing nothing.

What happens online has an effect to what happens offline and what happens offline has an effect to what happens online.



Online safety is when young people know who they can tell if they feel upset by something that has happened online.

Parents please contact your school to enquire attending their next e-safety workshop or have any concerns.

Working with Home Office 'PREVENT', The Police and Crime Commissioner and Children's Safeguarding Partnerships to help keep children safe online. Skips Educational Email: info@skipssed.com Tel: +44 121 227 1941

Developed in partnership with



Skips www.skipssafetynet.org

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Oxford Fostering

Tel: 01952 916 002 Web: www.nexusfostering.co.uk/Telford

Safer Internet Day

Online safety training for parents and guardians by West Mercia Police

Learn more about the dangers of kids being online and how you can help to keep them safe.

Join our free one-hour online parent awareness session to give yourself a head start in an ever-changing digital world.

Date: Tuesday 11 Feb 2025

Time: 12pm

Location: Microsoft Teams via Eventbrite

Sign up to the Eventbrite session by clicking on the following link: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/online-safety-child-exploitation-session-for-parents-and-guardians-tickets-1223190588979?aff=oddtcreator>



Protect our children!



How can we help you?

Getting on better

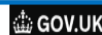
Home > Early help > Family help services > Getting on better

We all have arguments. How do you resolve yours?

Worried about your relationship or feel you're arguing too much? Not all arguing between parents is harmful but when it's intense or happens a lot of the time, there can be a negative impact on the children.

We can find ways to argue 'better', resolve disputes and reduce the conflict at home.

[Getting on better | Shropshire Council](#)



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Guidance

Reducing Parental Conflict: what is parental conflict?

Find out what reducing parental conflict is and about the work of the Reducing Parental Conflict Programme.

[Reducing Parental Conflict: what is parental conflict? - GOV.UK](#)

The link below is to the Shropshire Family Services newsletter, where you can find lots of information on what's going on and where to go for support and advice.

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