

Heeley's Highlights

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Just a reminder about Groundforce Day tomorrow. If you have any spare time in the morning between 9-12 please pop along to help outside in the grounds. Children can come along too. Refreshments provided.



Next week we are taking part in the Big Walk and Wheel. Please can we encourage you to walk, scoot or cycle to school.

Have a lovely weekend.

Emma Heeley, Headteacher

Headteacher's Award

Theo in Owl Class for excellent writing

Ruari and Dylan P in Deer Class for excellent improvement in their writing.

Darcie-Mai in Hedgehog Class for trying so hard with her writing with poorly fingers.

Citizenship Award

Jaxson in Hedgehog Class for helping other children without being asked.

Red Nose Day

Today we raised £218.62 For this charity by wearing red and selling socks.

Gold Star Awards

Well done to the children below who were awarded a gold star this week!

The Den: William, for locking into learning this week, using everything in your toolkit to write a description of the sunflower field. Super Ready Eddie learning!

Rabbit Class: Elliott, you have tried so hard with your writing this term and it is really paying off. Your handwriting and pencil hold has come on in leaps and bounds. Keep it up Elliott.

Fox Class: Chloe, you have amazed us with your super reading skills this week Chloe! You are applying all of the sounds taught and growing in fluency! We are so proud of you!

Hedgehog Class: Vinny, For the effort and enthusiasm that you are putting into your reading and writing. You are really using your phonics skills to help yourself. Well Done Vinny!

Squirrel Class: Reuben, for really locking in to your maths work this week. You listened carefully and got stuck in to our measuring work on mass and length. Well done!

Badger Class: Beatrix, for your increased confidence in class this week. It has been lovely to see you answering lots of questions and giving your all to each activity you do. I'm so proud of you!

Owl Class: Seth, for pushing yourself with your writing recount of our trip to Walsall Art Gallery, you've focused on your handwriting and sentence structure throughout. What a superstar! Keep it up .

Deer Class: Evie-Rae, for being a super Ready Eddie learner, every day! You always listen beautifully, lock into learning and try your hardest. I'm proud to call you a Deer.

Mufti Day

On Friday 28th March we are having a Mufti Day for a donation of an Easter Egg. Any size.

Dates for your Diary

March

Tues 25th	Squirrel Class to Stafford Castle
Wed 26th	Hedgehog Class to Stafford Castle
Wed 26th	Year 2 Big Sing
Fri 28th	Wear Mufti (for an Easter Egg Donation)

April

Mon 7th	Year 2 Parent Consultations (PM)
Tues 8th	Year 1 Parent Consultations (PM) & The Den
Wed 9th	Year R Parent Consultations (PM)
Wed 9th	School nursing team in for Heights & Weights for Reception children.
Thurs 10th	Parent Consultations—all years (3.30-6.30pm)
Fri 11th	Break up for Easter & Easter Egg Tombola



AFTER SCHOOL CLUB DATES	
Kwik Cricket	March 3,10,17,24,31 **Collection:** School reception
Multi-sports	March 4,11,18,25 and April 1 **Collection:** School reception
Teddy Bear Club	March 4,11,18,25 and April 1 **Collection:** Treetops Classroom
Lego Club Y1	March 4,11,18,25 and April 1 **Collection:** Hedgehog Classroom
Lego Club Y2	March 5,12,19,26 April 2,9 **Collection:** Owl Classroom



Pre-Loved Shoes

If you are having a sort out and are throwing out school shoes, please can you bring them into school for our children who have had an accident and got their shoes wet or for our disadvantaged families. Boys or girls needed, all sizes. Many thanks.

Year 2 Residential

The final balance for the Year 2 residential trip to Laches Wood is due week beginning 31st March. Please continue to make your payments before this.



We have received a payment of £330.77 from ASDA's Cashpot for schools so thank you for your support!!

Groundforce Day : Saturday 22nd March 9 - 12

Can you spare an hour or two to help us either outdoors or in?

We are hoping to clear the pond and surrounding area so that we can get it useable for the summer. We also have some fences we need painting and the greenhouse needs dismantling. If you aren't an outdoors person, but enjoy decorating, we need some volunteers to paint the corridors. If you are able to come, refreshments will be provided. Please email emma.heeley@taw.org.uk to let us know whether you can help with the groundswork or decorating. Many thanks.

Happy Birthday from everyone in School to:



Arthur and Elijah in Hedgehog Class are now 6 Years Old
Layla-Rae in Squirrel Class is now 6 Years Old
Holly and Beatrix in Badger Class are now 7 Years Old
Jack in Deer Class is now 7 Years Old

Adrian The Attendance Bear

Next week I will be staying in Deer Class. They have the highest attendance this week with 98.61% Well done.



Our whole school attendance this week is 94.13%
This is a little lower than Mrs Heeley's Target

Fox Class	95.83%
Rabbit Class	89.92%
Hedgehog Class	92.91%
Owl Class	96.76%
Squirrel Class	96.31%
Badger Class	94.47%
Deer Class	98.61%
Den Class	87.8%



Absences
Please remember to report **all** absences to the school office before 9.00am on **01952 386610**

Our wise owl readers this week are:

Fox Class: Chloe
Badger Class: Isaac
Rabbit Class: Jaxon
Hedgehog Class: Toby
Owl Class: Seth
Squirrel Class : Isabelle
Deer Class: Charli

Numbots Maths Certificates

Most Improved Awards



Y2 1st: Lennox
Y2 2nd: Rafferty
Y2 3rd: Ava C
Y1 1st: Charlotte
Y1 2nd: Vinny
Y1 3rd: Poppy
YR 1st: Isaac
YR 2nd: Grace

Handwriting Heroes

Oak Class	
The Den	
Fox Class	Elliot, Ava, Florence, Jackson, William
Rabbit Class	Mia L, Chester, Mia L
Hedgehog Class	Nancy, Isabelle, Sophia, Ava J, Judia, Ava T, Oliver
Owl Class	Regan, Bethany
Squirrel Class	Betsy, Arthur
Badger Class	Lucy, Holly, Ava L, Grayson, Beatrix, Nancy, Orlagh
Deer Class	Dylan, Betsy, Ruari, Corey

Ready Eddie Learners

Oak Class	
The Den	William, Noah
Fox Class	Chloe, Oscar, Elliot, Grace, Radiyah, Hugo, Cecilia
Rabbit Class	Jude
Hedgehog Class	Darcie-Mai, Jason x 2, Zia, Oliver, Ellis, Vinny
Owl Class	Isaac, Max, Jack, Tobias
Squirrel Class	Charlotte, Betsy, Kane, Esmae, Mia, Finn, Reign, Matyas
Badger Class	Aubree, Josh, Nancy, Beatrix, Holly, Grayson, Cody, Orlagh, Lucy, Lenny, Connie, Ivy
Deer Class	Seb, Myles, Ava, Clara, Noah, Jack L, Jack, RBetsy, Dylan Evie Charlie Corey DylanAdrian Alyssia Ruari

sustrans BIG WALK AND WHEEL

24 March–4 April 2025

We're taking part in the Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel 2025 challenge.

Join in by walking, wheeling, scooting or cycling to school between 24 March–4 April.

- ☑ Be active and feel more energised
- ☑ Help the environment by replacing a car journey
- ☑ Help us win some fantastic prizes

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JOIN THE MOVEMENT

V Vegetarian
Vg Vegan
H Halal

WEEK 1

MONDAY
Big Breakfast *Farm Assured Pork Sausage, Back Bacon, Free Range Scrambled Egg*

Vegetarian Sausage, Free Range Scrambled Egg V

Mini Waffles, Baked Beans, Plum Tomatoes, Mushrooms, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread Selection

Chocolate and Vanilla Swirl Mousse or Strawberry and Vanilla Swirl Mousse

TUESDAY
Pizza Bar *Selection of Topped Pizzas on a Thin Crust Base* **Ham, Pineapple** Vg, **Peppers** Vg, **Sliced Onions** Vg, **Sweetcorn** V

Herby Diced Potatoes, Sweetcorn, Garden Peas, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread Selection

Muffin Selection

WEDNESDAY
Gluten Free Pork Meatballs *Farm Assured Pork Meatballs served with a Rich Tomato Sauce or Gravy*

Vegetarian Balls *served with a Rich Tomato Sauce or Gravy* V

Pasta Twists, Farmhouse Mixed Vegetables, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread Selection

Shortbread Biscuit and Custard

THURSDAY
Chicken Goujons *Farm Assured Chicken coated in Bread Crumbs served with Sweet and Sour or BBQ Sauce*

Quorn Dippers *served with Sweet and Sour or BBQ Sauce*

Boiled Rice, Jacket Potato Wedges, Garden Peas, Sweetcorn, Big Salad Bar, Bread Selection

Iced Sponge and Custard

FRIDAY
Fish Finger *Fillet of Fish Coated in Crispy Breadcrumbs* **or Salmon Fishcake**

Vegetable and Bean Pasta Bake *Mixed Beans and Pasta Twists cooked in a Rich Tomato Sauce topped with Cheese* V

Chips, Baked Beans, Garden Peas, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread Selection

Vanilla Ice Cream



WEEK 2

MONDAY
Sausage Roll *Farm Assured Pork Sausage Encased in Puff Pastry*

Quorn Sausage Roll *Sausage Encased in Puff Pastry served with Spaghetti in a Rich Tomato Sauce*

Garden Peas, Sweetcorn, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread Selection

Cookie Selection

TUESDAY
Pizza Bar *Selection of Topped Pizzas on a Deep Crust Base*

Vegetable Pasta Bake *Mixed Beans, Pasta and Roast Vegetables in a Rich Tomato Sauce* V

Jacket Potato Wedges, Baked Beans, Green Beans, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread Selection

Fruit Flapjack

WEDNESDAY
Roast of Day *Farm Assured Sliced Meat served with Tasty Gravy*

Oven Roasted Vegetables in a Yorkshire Pudding *in a Yorkshire Pudding served with Gravy* V

Roast Potatoes, Creamed Potato, Carrots, Cauliflower, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread Selection

Rice Pudding With Fruit Coulis

Sandwich Option
Packed lunch available

THURSDAY
Lasagne *Farm Assured Minced Beef in a Rich Tomato Sauce layered with Pasta and White Sauce*

Quorn Bolognaise *Minced Quorn in a Rich Tomato Sauce* V

Pasta Twists, Broccoli, Sweetcorn, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread Selection

Marble Sponge and Custard

BE SAFE

FRIDAY
Fish Finger *Fillet of Fish Coated in Crispy Breadcrumbs* **or Battered Fillet of Fish** *White Fillet coated in a light Batter*

Quorn Nuggets V

Chips, Couscous, Baked Bean, Garden Peas, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread Selection

Jelly with a Swirl of Cream

FUN FOOD FACT
Lemons float, but limes sink... and ripe cranberries bounce like rubber balls.

WEEK 3

MONDAY
Hot Dog or Burger *Farm Assured Pork Sausage or Burger served in a Soft Roll*

Quorn Hot Dog *Quorn Sausage Served in a Soft Finger Roll* V

Mini Waffles, Garden Peas, Sweetcorn, Seasonal Salad, Bread Selection

Shortbread Biscuit

TUESDAY
Pizza Bar *Cheese and Tomato Pizza with a selection of toppings on a Thin Crust Base* **Ham, Pineapple** Vg, **Peppers** Vg, **Sliced Onions** Vg, **Sweetcorn** V

Herby Diced Potatoes, Baked Beans, Cauliflower, Big Salad Selection, Bread Selection

Fruit Muffin Selection

WEDNESDAY
Dish of the Day

Dish of the Day V

Roast Potatoes, Creamed Potato, Pasta Twists, Carrots, Broccoli, Cabbage, Seasonal Salad, Bread Selection

Cookie Selection and Custard

THURSDAY
Chicken in Tomato Sauce *Chicken Pieces served with a Rich Tomato Sauce*

Macaroni Cheese *Macaroni Pasta in a Creamy Cheese Sauce* V

Boiled Rice, Farmhouse Vegetables, Seasonal Salad, Bread Selection

Iced Fruit Sponge and Custard

FRIDAY
Fish Finger *Fillet of Fish Coated in Crispy Breadcrumbs* **or Battered Fillet of Fish** *White Fillet coated in a light Batter*

Vegetable and Bean Parcel *Mixed Beans and Roast Vegetables encased in Puff Pastry* V

Chips, Couscous, Baked Beans, Garden Peas, Seasonal Salad, Bread Selection

Vanilla Ice Cream

FUN FOOD FACT
RHUBARB GROWS SO QUICKLY THAT YOU CAN HEAR IT.

BE READY

For week beginning 24th March we will be on week 3 of the dinner menu.
The dish of the day will be Cottage Pie

Menu calendar

Summer Term 2024	
8 APR	WK 1
15 APR	WK 2
22 APR	WK 3
29 APR	WK 1
6 MAY	WK 2
13 MAY	WK 3
20 MAY	WK 1
27 MAY - HALF TERM	
3 JUN	WK 3
10 JUN	WK 1
17 JUN	WK 2
24 JUN	WK 3
1 JUL	WK 1
8 JUL	WK 2
15 JUL	WK 3

Autumn Term 2024	
2 SEPT	WK 1
9 SEPT	WK 2
16 SEPT	WK 3
23 SEPT	WK 1
30 SEPT	WK 2
7 OCT	WK 3
14 OCT	WK 1
21 OCT	WK 2
28 OCT - HALF TERM	
4 NOV	WK 1
11 NOV	WK 2
18 NOV	WK 3
25 NOV	WK 1
2 DEC	WK 2
9 DEC	WK 3
16 DEC	WK 1

Spring Term 2025	
6 JAN	WK 1
13 JAN	WK 2
20 JAN	WK 3
27 JAN	WK 1
3 FEB	WK 2
10 FEB	WK 3
17 FEB - HALF TERM	
24 FEB	WK 2
3 MAR	WK 3
10 MAR	WK 1
17 MAR	WK 2
24 MAR	WK 3
31 MAR	WK 1
7 APR	WK 2

Grapes and |Mini Eggs

If your child brings grapes or mini eggs to school in their lunch box please can these be cut in half to prevent any potential choking

Newport Infant School and Nursery

School and Holiday Term dates

2026 - 2027

Autumn 2026	
Tuesday 1st September	**School closed - PD Day**
Wednesday 2nd September	**School closed - PD Day**
Thursday 3rd September	First day of term
Thursday 22nd October	Last day of term
Friday 23rd October	**School closed - PD Day**
Monday 26th - Friday 30th October	**School closed** - half term break
Monday 2nd November	School returns from half term break
Friday 18th December	Last day of term



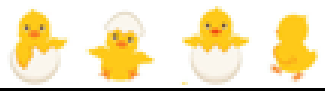
CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS



Spring 2027	
Monday 4th January	**School closed - PD Day**
Tuesday 5th January	First day of term
Friday 12th February	Last day of term
Monday 15th - Friday 19th February	**School closed** - half term break
Monday 22nd February	School returns from half term break
Thursday 25th March	Last day of term
Friday 26th March - Friday 9th April	**School closed** - Easter break



EASTER HOLIDAYS



Summer 2027	
Monday 12th April	First day of term
Monday 3rd May	***School closed** - Public holiday*
Friday 28th May	Last day of term
Monday 31st May - Friday 4th June	**School closed** - half term break
Monday 7th June	**School closed - PD Day**
Tuesday 8th June	School returns from half term break
Wednesday 21st July	Last day of term

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IMPORTANT SUMMER HOLIDAY ORDER INFORMATION

Last order date for free delivery into school is **13th June** then service switches to *home delivery until **14th September**.

(*Place your home delivery order by 18th July for delivery before the start of term)

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Register today to avoid missing out on Brigade promotions or important notifications by scanning this QR code

Knitwear Jumpers (Acrylic, 50/50 and Contrast Stripe)

Chest	22"	24"	26"	28"	30"	32"	34"	36"
Age	1-2	3-4	5-6	7-8	9-10	11-12	13-14	15-16

Blazers

Chest	22"	24"	26"	28"	30"	32"
Age	1-2	3-4	5-6	7-8	9-10	11-12

PE Shorts

Waist	14/16"	18/20"	22/24"	26/28"	28/30"	30/32"
Age	2-4	5-7	8-10	11-13	XS	S

PLEASE NOTE:
The sizing guide is a guide for our standard products only and measurements may vary within the British Standard textiles tolerance of +/- 5%. Substitutions may also be provided with a different sizing structure matched to our standard sizes

SENIOR UNIFORM - SIZE COMPARISONS

Blazers

Chest	28"	30"	32"	34"	36"	38"	40"	42"	44"	46"	48"	50
Age	7-8	9-10	11-12	13-14	15-16							
Female	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24	26	28
Male				XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL	5XL

Knitwear Jumpers (Acrylic, 50/50 and Contract Stripe)

Chest	28"	30"	32"	34"	36"	38"	40"	42"	44"	46"
Male	7-8	9-10	11-12	13-14	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL
Female	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24

Brigade Sweatshirts and Sweatshirt Cardigans/Polo Shirts/T-Shirts

Chest	28"	30"	30/32"	32"	34"	36"	38/40"	42/44"	46/48"
Age/Size	7-8	9-10	9-11	11-12	13-14	S	M	L	XL

PE Shorts

Waist Size	22/24"	26/28"	28/30"	30/32"	34/36"	38/40"
	54cm	56cm	58cm	60cm	66cm	76cm
Leg Length	33cm	37cm	40cm	42cm	46cm	48cm

TIES (For Primary and Senior Schools)

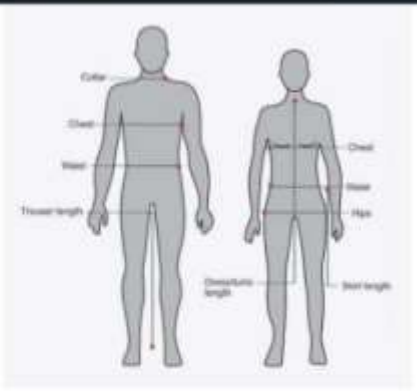
Tie Style/Size	Elastic	9"	Clip on	12"	14"	16"	Tie	39"	45"	52"
School Age		Inf/Jnr		Junior	Junior	Senior		Junior	Jun/Sen	Senior

IMPORTANT WASH CARE INSTRUCTIONS

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HOW TO MEASURE YOUR CHILD

Measure the actual body measurements as this is far more accurate than measuring over clothes.



CHEST: Measure around the chest at the fullest part, placing tape close up under the arms.

COLLAR: Measure around the base of the neck where the collar sits, inserting two fingers between the neck and tape to allow growth.

WAIST: Measure around the natural waistline.

TROUSER LENGTH: Measure the inside leg from crotch to floor without shoes on.

HIPS: Measure around the hips, 20cm (8") below the natural waistline.

SKIRT LENGTH: Measure from the waist down to where you would want the hem.

DRESS & PINAFORE LENGTH: Measure from nape of neck to length required.

HOW TO USE THIS SERVICE

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Log onto www.brigade.uk.com
2. Click on the 'parents click to order' button
3. Enter your child's school name
4. Select the school from the drop down list provided
5. Follow the online instructions to place your order

PLEASE SUBMIT SCHOOL ADDRESS ONLY IN THE DELIVERY FIELDS AND INCLUDE YOUR CHILD'S NAME INTO SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON SUMMER HOLIDAY ORDERS

Please note that the last order date for delivery into school before the summer break is 13th June.

Orders place from 14th June - 13th September will be processed through our home delivery service and standard shipping costs will apply (order before 18th July for delivery before the start of term)

Orders are placed in a queue until 15th and 30th of each month and delivered into school up to 14 days after.

NEWPORT INFANT SCHOOL

EASTER HOLIDAY CLUB

HALF TERM

MOVE IT GET ACTIVE



EASTER EGG HUNT
WEDS WEEK 1&2
NERF Wars- Friday Week 2

WEEK 1- MON- THURS 14TH -17TH APRIL 2025
WEEK 2- TUES- FRI 22ND-25TH APRIL 2025

ARTS & CRAFTS • GAMES • MULTI-SPORTS • DANCE • NERF GUN

PLEASE BRING PACKED LUNCH AND WATER BOTTLE!



STANDARD DAY £15 (8.45AM-3.15PM)
LOING DAY £20 (8AM-4PM)
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Ages 4-12years
(Must be in school)

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Saturday 5th April 2025
PARK OPENS 9.30am

5K FUN RUN STARTS 10am | 1K RACE 11am | 100m CHILDREN MINI RACE 11.30am
Entries to race & park are online only via QR CODE

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When: Wednesday 30.4.25
Time: 5pm - 6pm
Where: Newport CE Junior School (TF10 7EA)
Cost: £15 per person attending
(babes in arms don't need tickets as they won't occupy a seat)