

Heeley's Highlights

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Dear Parents/Carers

This week we held our termly parent consultations. Again, thanks to the parents for coming and engaging in these important appointments which allow you to have a better understanding of your child's progress, attainment and learning powers.

Today the children have taken part in an Easter Treasure Hunt, and the Easter Bunny provided chocolate lollies for working out the clues! Many thanks to the PTA for sourcing the lollies.

In our Gold Star Assembly today we had a visit from the Education Welfare Officer. He came to award 19 children with 100% attendance certificates for Autumn to Spring and 71 certificates for 100% this term and then 6 certificates for improved attendance and punctuality. Well done everyone for your efforts. Our attendance is currently 95.3% this year, which is good and will hopefully get even better in the summer term and we hit our target of 96%.

We break up today for two weeks holiday, returning on Monday 28th April. It is important to keep up with phonics and reading while the children are off school, so please log onto Oxford Owl and make use of the online books.

I would like to thank you for your continued support and wish you a lovely Easter break.

Emma Heeley, Headteacher

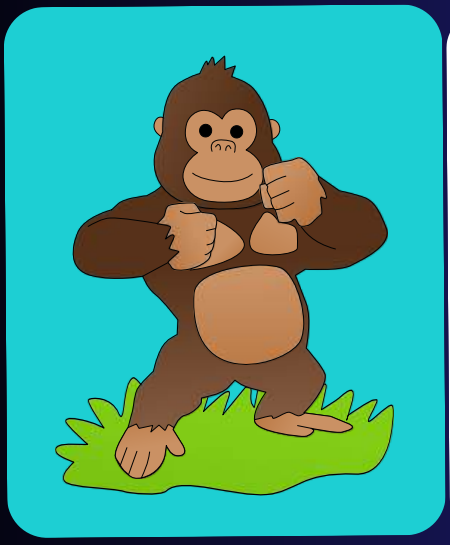
Headteacher's Award



George in Squirrel class for an amazing 2d Shape Castle picture.
Connie in Badger class for her super ideas in an acrostic poem!
Reuben in Deer Class, for his fantastic use of words in his acrostic poem!
Well done!

We raised .....





Biscuit Sale

Well done to **Reception** classes who raised **£48.80** with their biscuit sale!
This money will be used to adopt a gorilla with the World Wildlife Fund (WWF).

Thank you and well done everyone!



Easter Egg Tombola

We have raised **£202** for the Easter egg tombola.
Thank you for your generosity !

Sun
Mon
Tue
Wed
Thu
Fri
Sat

Dates for your diary

BACK to SCHOOL

Monday 28th April

Click here to see our term dates

May

Mon 5th	**School closed** - May day bank holiday
Thurs 8th	80th Anniversary of VE Day (details to follow)
Thurs 15th & Fri 16th	Y2 Residential to Laches Wood
Wed 21st	Fox class 'Tea with the teacher', 9am
Thur 22nd	Rabbit class 'Tea with the Teacher', 9am
Mon 26th to Fri 30th - Half-term break	

June

Mon 2nd	**School closed -** PD Day
Tues 3rd	Back to school! First day of Summer Term
Tues 10th	Y2 to Chetwynd Deer Park with Year 3 NJS
Tues 17th	Squirrel 'Tea with the Teacher' (9am)
Wed 18th	Hedgehog 'Tea with the Teacher' (9am)
Fri 27th	Sports Day: EYFS (AM) Picnic Lunch KS1 (PM) More details to follow



REMEMBER!



IMPORTANT



INHALERS

All inhalers are being returned home for cleaning today.
Please can you check expiry dates and wash spacers, then return on the first day of the new term.
Thank you.

Fleeces and Jumpers

This is just a reminder that fleeces are NOT a replacement for jumpers or cardigans but a replacement for a coat.

Please remember to bring a cardigan or jumper to school.
Many thanks.

Lunch Menu



Week starting: 28th April, we will be following week 1

V Vegetarian
Ve Vegan
H Halal

WEEK 1

MONDAY
Big Breakfast *Farm Assured Sausage, Bacon, Free Range Scrambled Egg*
Vegetarian Sausage, Free Range Scrambled Egg V
Hash Browns, Baked Beans, Tomatoes, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread
Chocolate and Vanilla Swirl Mousse or Strawberry and Vanilla Swirl Mousse

TUESDAY
Pizza bar *selection of toppings including* **Ham, Pineapple** V, **Peppers** V, **Sweetcorn** V, **Onions** V
Cheese and Tomato Pizza V
Diced Potatoes, Sweetcorn, Garden Peas, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread
Chocolate Crunch

WEDNESDAY
Beef Bolognaise *Farm Assured Minced Beef in a Chef's Rich Tomato Sauce with Garlic Bread*
Quorn Bolognaise V
Pasta Twists, Carrots, Broccoli, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread
Strawberry Sponge and Custard

THURSDAY
Chicken Goujons with Tomato or BBQ Sauce
Quorn Dunkers V
Boiled Rice, Jacket Wedges, Sweetcorn, Big Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread
Oat and Raisin Cookie

FRIDAY
Jumbo Fish Finger *White fillet of fish coated in breadcrumbs* or Fishcake
Vegetable and Mixed Bean Pasta Bake V
Chips, Couscous, Baked Beans, Garden Peas, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread
Vanilla Ice Cream

WEEK 2

MONDAY
Pizza bar *selection of toppings including* **Ham, Pineapple** V, **Peppers** V, **Sweetcorn** V, **Onions** V
Cheese and Tomato Pizza V
Spaghetti in a Rich Tomato Sauce, Sweetcorn, Big Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread
Chocolate and Vanilla Swirl Mousse or Strawberry and Vanilla Swirl Mousse

TUESDAY
Wrap Day *various fillings available*
Hot Chicken, Ham or Tuna
Cheese Wrap V
Jacket Wedges, Big Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread
Fruit Muffin Selection

WEDNESDAY
Pork Sausage with a Yorkshire Pudding *Farm Assured Pork Sausage*
Vegetarian Balls V
Roast Potatoes, Creamed Potato, Carrots, Cauliflower, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread
Chocolate Sponge and Chocolate Sauce

THURSDAY
Sweet and Sour Chicken *Farm Assured Chicken in a Chef's Sweet and Sour Sauce* or **BBQ Chicken** *Farm Assured Chicken in a Chef's BBQ Sauce*
Quorn Nuggets V
Boiled Rice, Noodles, Sweetcorn, Broccoli, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread
Vanilla Ice Cream

BE SAFE

FRIDAY
Battered Fish *White fillet of fish coated in a light batter* or **Jumbo Fish Finger** *White fillet of fish coated in breadcrumbs*
Vegetable and Mixed Bean Pasta Bake V
Chips, Couscous, Baked Beans, Garden Peas, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread
Fruity Friday – Cooks' choice of Fruit based Pudding

WEEK 3

MONDAY
Hot Dog *Farm Assured Pork Sausage in a Soft Bread Roll with Tomato Ketchup*
Quorn Dog *Quorn Sausage in a Soft Bread Roll with Tomato Ketchup* V
Potato Smiles, Garden Peas, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread
Cookie Selection

TUESDAY
Chicken in Tomato Sauce *Farm Assured Chicken in a Chef's Tomato Sauce*
Macaroni Cheese *Macaroni Pasta in a Creamy Cheese Chef's Sauce* V
Pasta Twists, Big Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread
Iced Fruit Sponge

WEDNESDAY
Sausage Roll *Farm Assured Pork Sausage meat encased in Puff Pastry*
Quorn Vegetarian Roll V
Jacket Wedges, Baked Beans, Sweetcorn, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread
Golden Shortbread

THURSDAY
Chicken Korma *Farm Assured Chicken in a Chef's Korma Sauce*
Quorn Korma Curry *Tondor Quorn pieces in a Chef's Korma Sauce* V
Boiled Rice, Carrots, Broccoli, Seasonal Salad Selection, Naan Bread
Fresh Fruit Salad

FRIDAY
Battered Fish *White fillet of fish coated in a light batter* or **Jumbo Fish Finger** *White fillet of fish coated in breadcrumbs*
Quorn Dunkers V
Chips, Couscous, Baked Beans, Garden Peas, Seasonal Salad Selection, Bread
Arctic Roll or Ice Cream

Be Kind

Sandwich Option
Packed lunch available

FUN FOOD FACT
potatoes were the first vegetable to be grown in space.

FUN FOOD FACT
A POMEGRANATE CAN HOLD UP TO 1400 SEEDS.

BE READY

Fresh Fruit available daily. Cheese and Crackers available Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Individual Yoghurts available Tuesday and Thursday. All items subject to availability.

Summer Term 2025	
28 APR	WK 1
5 MAY	WK 2
12 MAY	WK 3
19 MAY	WK 1
26 MAY - HALF TERM	
2 JUN	WK 3
9 JUN	WK 1
16 JUN	WK 2
23 JUN	WK 3
30 JUN	WK 1
7 JUL	WK 2
14 JUL	WK 3





Grapes and Mini Eggs

If your child brings grapes or mini eggs to school in their lunch box, please make sure they are cut in half to prevent any potential choking hazard. Thank you.



ATTENDANCE

Our whole school attendance this week is

95.26%

This is just below Mrs Heeley's target

Fox Class	93.06%
Rabbit Class	95.3%
Hedgehog Class	98.42%
Squirrel Class	91.54%
Badger Class	93.55%
Deer Class	99.07%
Owl Class	94.47%



Adrian The Attendance Bear

After Easter, I will be staying in Deer class.
They have the highest attendance this week with 99.07%.
Well done!

Absence

Please report all absences to the school office **before 9.00am** on **01952 386610** or email sally.gittins@taw.org.uk or A2074@telford.gov.uk Thank you.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

William in The Den is now 6 Years old
Maisy in Hedgehog Class is now 6 Years Old
Olivia in Owl Class is now 7 Years Old

Birthdays over the Holidays

Elsie-Mae and Archie in Acorn Class will be 3 Years Old
Toby in Rabbit Class will be 5 Years Old
Max in Owl Class will be 7 Years Old

From everyone in school!





Gold Star Awards

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

Oak Class

Den Class
Freddie, for coping really well with lots of changes this week and remaining your happy, smiley self. We love hearing your voice and seeing all of your amazing communication. Well done Freddie 😊

Fox Class
Jackson, you are really impressing us with your super phonics skills for word building. Your reading is growing in fluency and we can really see your progress. We are so proud of you!

Rabbit Class
Mia G, you always have a fantastic attitude to learning! You join in during every lesson, trying your hardest and applying your new skills. I am amazed at the progress you have made in your reading and writing this term because of your hard work – keep it up!

Hedgehog Class
Ruby for the way you are using your phonic skills to really begin to decode words when reading. Your confidence is growing daily and you do it all with a smile on your face 😊

Squirrel Class
Ethan for your fantastic work in phonics and reading over the last few weeks. You are doing so well at spotting the sounds and you are reading with much more confidence and fluency. Well done Ethan! 😊

Badger Class
Joshua, I am so proud of your attitude towards your work lately. I have noticed a real change as you are locking into your learning and really trying hard to be the best that you can be! 😊 Keep it up!

Deer Class
Reuben for a fantastic Easter acrostic poem! You used adventurous words, noun phrases and similes to make your poem sound as interesting as can be! Well done, it was a pleasure to read 😊

Owl Class
Max for impressing me with your reading and phonics skills this week, you have retained more sounds, reading words confidently and have shown brilliant locking into your learning. Keep up the good work! 😊



Our wise owl readers this week are

Fox Class	Elliot
Rabbit Class	
Hedgehog Class	Ava T
Squirrel Class	Isaac
Badger Class	
Deer Class	Charlie
Owl Class	Isaac



Maths Certificates
Most Improved Awards

	1	2	3
Y2	Ted	Bethany	Parker
Y1	Kane	Judia	Layla-Rae
YR	Chester	Nezar	Isaac





Well done!



Our Ready Eddies this week are



Den Class	
Fox Class	Grace, Oscar, Mason, Harry and Elsie
Rabbit Class	Whole class
Hedgehog Class	Jaxson
Squirrel Class	Emelia
Badger Class	Issac D, Herbie, Joshua, Nancy, Connie, Ted and Lenny
Deer Class	Dylan I, Emily, Bentley, Alyssia, Betsy, Harry, Jack R, Seb, Dylan P, Reuben, Jack, Iyla, Jack L and Clara
Owl Class	Harrison J, Max, Theo, Willow, Tobias and Bethany





Handwriting Heroes

Den Class	
Fox Class	Margot and Ava
Rabbit Class	Sienna
Hedgehog Class	Jaxson, Zia, Summer-Rose and Ava J
Squirrel Class	Isabelle and Leon
Badger Class	Beatrix and Connie
Deer Class	Noah, Emilie and Evie-Rae
Owl Class	Olivia and Anna



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PLACES WHERE KIDS EAT FREE (OR FOR £1) EASTER HOLIDAYS 2025

moneysavingcentral.co.uk/kids-eat-free

BURGER KING
From Monday 7th - Sunday 20th April 2025, Kids Eat Free with every adult meal, via the app.

BILLS
Kids eat free Mondays - Fridays, from Monday 7th - Friday 25th April 2025.

FARMHOUSE INNS
2 kids eat FREE with one paying adult, Monday 7th - Friday 25th of April. Sign Up Required

TGI FRIDAYS
Kids Eat Free When 'Stripes Rewards Members' purchase any adult meal (Via App)

ZIZZI
Sunday 6th - Sunday 27th April 2025 kids eat free with every adult main. (excludes Saturdays)

CAFE EIGHTY NINE @ THE RANGE
Kids eat free Sat 5th April - Mon 21st April 2025

YO! SUSHI
Kids eat free all day (monday - friday) during all school holidays, when dining with an adult

SIZZLING PUBS
Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm, kids eat for £1.

ASDA
Kids eat for £1 every, with no adult spend.

TRAVELODGE & PREMIER INN
2 kids eat for FREE with 1 adult breakfast

GORDON RAMSEY RESTAURANTS
Kids under 8 eat FREE all day, every day

WHITBREAD INNS
2 kids eat for FREE with 1 adult breakfast

BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE
2 kids eat for FREE with 1 adult breakfast

IKEA
Kids get a meal from 95p daily from 11am

PREZZO
Kids receive a free, 3 course kids meal, everyday at Prezzo between 31st March - 27th April 2025

COCONUT TREE
One child (under 10) eats free every day, 12pm - 6pm from Monday 7th – Sunday 27th April 2025

PIZZA HUT
Kids eat free buffet from Monday 7th - Sunday 27th April, until 3pm daily with a £10 spend

PRETO
Kids up to age 10 eat free all day, every day with paying adults at Preto in Half Terms

SAINSBURYS CAFES
Kids eat for £1 with the purchase of an adult hot main. From 11:30am every day.

BELLA ITALIA
Children eat for £1 with any adult main. The offer is valid 4-6pm Sun to Weds. All Day Thursdays

MORRISONS
Kids Eat FREE all day, every day with a £5 spend

LAS IGUANAS
Kids under 12 eat FREE with 'My Las Iguanas' App

TABLE TABLE
2 Kids Eat free breakfast daily with 1 paying adult!

PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM
Kids eat FREE with every £4 spend after 3pm

HUNGRY HORSE
Kids eat for £1 on Mondays

THE REAL GREEK
Kids under 12 eat FREE Sundays with £10 spend

SA BRAINS PUBS
Kids eat for £1 on Wednesdays

FUTURE INNS
Under 5s eat for free with any adult meal.

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#SAFERSTRONGER
NO NEED TO BOOK
AGE 0-16
URBAN GAMES
FREE / LOCAL / ORGANISED
There's plenty to do this Easter with Telford & Wrekin Council's Urban Games!
Check out your local park, playground, MUGA or Nature Reserve for sports and activities for all ages, hosted by professionals.
Check out www.telford.gov.uk/WhatsoninTelford for activities for young people.
WWW.TELFORD.GOV.UK/URBANGAMES


YOU ARE INVITED TO
CHURCHES TOGETHER
EASTER
Eggstravaganza
MONDAY 14TH APRIL
FUN GAMES - EASTER CRAFTS
TRINITY CHURCH, NEWPORT
TF10 7HD
2:00PM-4:00PM
For more details, contact
Mona: 07890511904


SAVE THE DATE
CHILDREN'S HOLIDAY CLUB
TRINITY CHURCH, NEWPORT
TF10 7HD
21ST-25TH JULY 2025


Shropshire Down's Syndrome Support Group
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Singing Hands
TICKETS NOW ON SALE
Shropshire Down's Syndrome Support Group are proud to present that the awesome duo of Suzanne & Tracy, AKA 'Singing Hands' are coming to perform a show as a fundraiser for us.
This show is undoubtedly going to prove very popular, so get your tickets now to avoid disappointment.
Scan QR Code for tickets
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)