

Heeley's Highlights

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Dear Parents/Carers,
As we finish another school year, I would like to thank you all for taking the time to read 'Heeley's Highlights' each week. I hope it gives you some useful information, as well as being a chance to share some of the successes of the children. It's been a busy last week, with the Year 2 Leavers Concerts. They did an incredible job, sharing all their learning from the year and showing how they have used their Ready Eddie skills. There was beautiful singing, rapping, dancing, some amazing Australian accents, as well as lots of humour and laughs. Fantastic! We hope you all enjoyed it too if you got to come. They had a Leavers Disco on Thursday, with the PTA providing the leavers presents and paying for the disco. The children had a lovely time, and will hopefully have made memories to keep forever. Julie and Andy put on an incredible disco, with games and fun, and the Ibiza beach foam was definitely a highlight!! I wish Year 2 the best of luck on the next stage of education and thank all our parents for your support over the last 3 years.
It's been busy in Nursery this week with Acorn Stay and Play session on Tuesday, then on Wednesday, Oak parents were treated to a lovely end of nursery celebration. The children were fabulous!
Yesterday all the school, including Nursery, were out on the field having a 'Grand Day In'. Lots of sports, Tae Kwon Do, Dancing and fun, as well as a bouncy castle and ice lollies! What a way to end the term! Thanks to Mrs Howard for organising this and to one of our parents, Nathan for organising free hire of the bouncy castle, through Shropshire Inflatable Hire (See P.23). We are so grateful.
This morning, we had our end of term assembly, and I was delighted to give out certificates for 9 children who have had 100% attendance all year. These children were rewarded with a special present each. Fantastic job!
I would like to finish by saying thank you from all the staff for your kind end of year gifts and cards. They are appreciated very much.
I hope you all have a great summer, have lots of fun, but keep safe.
Mrs Heeley, Headteacher







Year 2 Leavers Concert

Today we also said goodbye to our Year 2's.

All the best, keep shining like the stars you are!

Grand Day In

We were very lucky to host some fantastic visitors to make our day extra special. A massive thank you to Mya for leading our football, Dan from NPTKD for teaching us Tae Kwon Do skills, Erin and Chloe from Encore Dance and Shropshire Inflatables for providing the bouncy castle.













Nursery Stay and Play

Acorn Room had the pleasure of hosting a Stay and Play session for their parents and grandparents this week.

They enjoyed some summer themed activities and a tea party snack together.



Nursery Leaver's Celebration

Oak Room Leaver's Celebration Class of 2026



Gold Star Awards

Oak Class

Well done **Archie,** you have been fabulous at Nursery this week and you did a super job of singing and dancing in our Leavers Celebration!
We are so proud of you!

Den Class

Buddy, you were fantastic on our farm trip - exploring the different areas, holding hands with your grown up, feeding the animals and doing lots of walking! You had a brilliant time and I'm so proud of your curiosity and confidence!

Fox Class

Francesca, you have had an exceptional Reception year. You always try your very best in all that you do. This week you have shown how ready you are for Year One with your phonics skills for writing. You truly are a Super Star!

Rabbit Class

Dshawn, you have grown in maturity and confidence over the year, and it has been wonderful to see you blossom into the little boy you are today. You have overcome hurdles and kept on going, just like Ready Eddie and it's paid off – your phonics skills are zooming like a rocket! Keep it up Dshawn – you can do it!

Hedgehog Class

Pippa, for being a fantastic member of Hedgehog Class all year! You always try your hardest and are kind and polite to everyone. You have shown me your fantastic Ready Eddie skills and I know you are going to keep on shining next year. Well done!

Squirrel Class

Olive, for your amazing progress and hard work over the year. You have shown wonderful Ready Eddie learning skills and have become a brilliant, independent learner and you always try your best. Well done Olive, keep up the amazing work!

Badger Class

Kristina, for developing your confidence this year and always showing a fantastic attitude to learning while following our Golden Rules of being Ready, Kind and Safe. You always listen carefully, work hard and never give up, just like Ready Eddie. You always try your best, and I am so proud of the progress you have made this year.
I am so proud to call you a Badger. Keep being a star!

Deer Class

Jason, for a fantastic year! You have tried so hard this year to be more independent, locked into learning so much better and have grown up to be such a love;ly young boy! I'm so proud of you and hope you continue to shine at the Juniors next year! I'll miss you

Headteacher's Awards



Jack in Fox Class for fabulous writing.
Darcey in Fox class for fantastic neat writing.

Well done

The Happy, Healthy, Active Holiday scheme for Summer 2026 has now gone live. Bookings are open online at:

Happy Healthy Active Holidays



ATTENDANCE

Our whole school attendance this week is 95.29%

	This week
Fox Class	91.63%
Rabbit Class	90.68%
Hedgehog Class	89.45%
Squirrel Class	99.15%
Badger Class	99.23%
Deer Class	92.28%
The Den	100%

Mrs Heeley says:
A little below my weekly target but lets try really hard when we come back in September please.



Today I have spent the day with Badger Class
Well done!



Absence

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

Is your child too ill for school? Click on the link for the NHS advice:

https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/

Well done to all of our Ready Eddies this week!



Reception

Fox Class	Rabbit Class	The Den
Teddie, Harry H, Lyla, Angel, Francesca, Jack, Maeve, Nellie, Harry B, Isaac, Nigazhini, Mabel, Zayn, Hudson, Finn	Whole Class	Whole Class

Year 1

Hedgehog Class	Squirrel Class
Whole Class	Chloe, Jack

Year 2

Badger Class	Deer Class
Whole Class	Whole Class





Maths Certificates
Most Improved Awards



	1	2	3
Y1	Sienna	Katie	
YR	Harry	Harby	Avery

Well done to our Handwriting Heroes this week!

Fox Class	Harby, Joseph, Andrew, Darcey
Rabbit Class	Amelia, Louis, Blake
Squirrel Class	Olive
Hedgehog Class	Margot, Mia G and Ilkay
Badger Class	Layla-Rae, Jack, George, Oliver
Deer Class	Charlotte, Amanat, Summer-Rose, Isaac







Birthdays this week

Esma in Acorn Class is now 3 Years Old

Ethan in The Den is now 5 Years Old

Angel and Zayn in Fox Class are now 5 Years Old

Jaxon in Squirrel Class is now 6 Years Old

Pollyanna and George in Badger Class are now 7 Years Old

Jason in Deer Class is now 7 Years Old

Birthdays over the holidays

Alfie and Theo in Oak Class will be 4 Years Old

Maisie and Jack in Fox Class will be 5 Years Old

Grace, Rosie, Monnika and Tommy in Rabbit Class will be 5 Years Old

Florence, Jack, Grace and Hugo in Squirrel Class will be 6 Years Old

Amritpal and Theo in Hedgehog Class will be 6 Years Old

Joe, Esmae, Isaac, Vinny, Bobby-George and Darcie-Mae in Deer Class will be 7 Years Old

Sun
Mon
Tue
Wed
Thu
Fri
Sat

Dates for your diary



Click here to see our term dates



September



Tues 1st	**SCHOOL CLOSED** PD DAY
Wed 2nd	**SCHOOL CLOSED** PD DAY
Thurs 3rd	Back to School
Wed 21st	Academy Photography - Families, Siblings, Individuals and Other Groups

Wild Connections





WILD CONNECTIONS

FOREST SCHOOL

DATES

4th, 5th, 6th AUGUST

25th, 26th, 27th AUGUST

VENUE

Chetwynd Deer Park
Newport, Shropshire
TF10 8EU

TIME

9.30 – 3.30pm



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TO BOOK:
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BACK TO SCHOOL

If your child has asthma, remember to schedule their yearly review before school restarts.

Every September, we see a rise in asthma attacks. Asthma reviews can check lung health and support children to keep their asthma under control.

Get ahead of asthma - book a review with your GP practice.



IMPORTANT



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Inhalers

All inhalers are being returned home for cleaning today. Please can you check expiry dates and wash spacers before returning back to school in September. Many thanks

LUNCH MENU

See you all in September



For week beginning 1st September we will be following Week 1

V Vegetarian
Ve Vegan
H Halal

WEEK 1

MONDAY

Big Breakfast *Farm Assured Pork Sausage Pattie, Free Range Scrambled Egg V, Baked Beans*

Vegetarian Sausage, Free Range Scrambled Egg V

Hash Browns, Plum Tomatoes, Mushrooms, Seasonal Salad Selection, White and Wholemeal Bread

Cheese and Crackers or Fruit Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit

TUESDAY

Wrap Day *Soft Tortilla Wrap with a selection of fillings* **BBQ Chicken, Ham, Tuna Mayonnaise V, Cheese and Beans V**

Herby Diced Potatoes or Boiled Rice, Sweetcorn, Garden Peas, Seasonal Salad Selection, White and Wholemeal Bread

Ice Cream

Fruit Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit

WEDNESDAY

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

Cheese and Potato Puff *Grated Cheddar Cheese and Creamed Potato wrapped in Puff Pastry V*

Roast Potatoes, Creamed Potato, Broccoli, Carrots, Seasonal Salad Selection, White and Wholemeal Bread

LS - Chocolate and Pear Cake

Cheese and Crackers or Fresh Fruit

THURSDAY

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

Spaghetti in a Chef's Tomato Sauce V

Big Salad Bar, White and Wholemeal Bread

Cookie Selection

Fruit Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit

FRIDAY

Salmon Fish Star *MSC Salmon and Mashed Potato seasoned within a Crispy Crumb* **or Fishless Fingers V**

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

Chips, Baked Beans, Garden Peas, Seasonal Salad Selection, White and Wholemeal Bread

LS - Carrot Cake Muffin

Cheese and Crackers or Fresh Fruit



Sandwich Option
Packed lunch available

WEEK 2

MONDAY

Beef Burger *Farm Assured Minced Beef Pattie in a Burger Bun*

Vegetable Burger V

Potato Waffles, Garden Peas, Sweetcorn, Seasonal Salad Selection, White and Wholemeal Bread

Chocolate or Strawberry swirl Mousse

Cheese and Crackers or Fresh Fruit

TUESDAY

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

Quorn Dunkers V

Boiled Rice or Jacket Wedges, Baked Beans, Green Beans, Seasonal Salad Selection, White and Wholemeal Bread

LS - Banana Muffin

Fruit Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit

WEDNESDAY

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

Roasted Vegetable Stuffed Yorkshire Pudding V

Roast Potatoes, Creamed Potato, Carrots, Cauliflower, Seasonal Salad Selection, White and Wholemeal Bread

Pudding Of the Day

Cheese and Crackers or Fresh Fruit

THURSDAY

Handmade Meatballs *Farm Assured Minced Pork or Beef served in a Chef's Tomato Sauce*

Vegetarian Pasta Bake *Mixed Beans and Pasta Twist in a Rich Tomato Sauce V*

Pasta Twists, Broccoli, Sweetcorn, Seasonal Salad Selection, White and Wholemeal Bread

Cheese and Crackers or Fruit Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit

BE SAFE

FRIDAY

Fish Finger *Fillet of Fish Coated in a Crispy Breadcrumb* **or Battered Fillet of Fish** *White Fillet coated in a Light Batter*

Cheese Flan *Free Range Egg, Milk and Cheese baked in a Short Crust Pastry Case V*

Chips, Couscous, Baked Beans, Garden Peas, Seasonal Salad Selection, White and Wholemeal Bread

Ice Cream

Cheese and Crackers or Fresh Fruit

Ripe cranberries bounce like rubber balls

FUN FOOD FACT

WEEK 3

MONDAY

Tuna Pasta Bake *Tuna and Pasta Twists in a Chef's Tomato Sauce*

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

Crusty Bread, Carrots, Broccoli, Big Salad Bar, Wholemeal Bread and White Bread

LS - Peach and Yoghurt Cake

Cheese and Crackers or Fresh Fruit

TUESDAY

Handmade Sausage Roll *Farm Assured Pork Sausage wrapped in Golden Puff Pastry*

Quorn Roll *Quorn pieces in a Chef's Tomato Sauce Wrapped in Golden Puff Pastry V*

Herby Diced Potatoes, Sweetcorn, Garden Peas, Seasonal Salad Selection, Wholemeal Bread and White Bread

Cheese and Crackers or Fruit Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit

WEDNESDAY

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

Vegan Sliced Beef *Quorn Slice served with a Tasty Gravy V*

Roast Potatoes, Creamed Potato, Carrots, Swede, Green Beans, Seasonal Salad Selection, Wholemeal Bread and White Bread

Raspberry Bun

Cheese and Crackers or Fresh Fruit

THURSDAY

Pizza Bar – Cheese and Tomato Pizza V *with a selection of topping* **Ham, Pineapple V, Sliced Peppers V, Sliced Onions V, Sweetcorn**

Spaghetti in a Chefs Tomato Sauce V

Sweetcorn, Broccoli, Big Salad Bar, Wholemeal Bread and White Bread

Ice Cream

Fruit Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit

FRIDAY

Fish Finger *Fillet of Fish Coated in a Crispy Breadcrumb* **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, Lemon Couscous, Garden Peas, Baked Beans, Seasonal Salad Selection, Wholemeal Bread and White Bread

LS - Apple and Raisin Muffin

Cheese and Crackers or Fresh Fruit

FUN FOOD FACT

Broccoli contains more protein per calorie than steak, but you would have to eat a LOT more broccoli!

BE READY

Fresh Fruit available daily. All items subject to availability.
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SUMMER HOLIDAY SESSIONS!

Mondays and Thursdays
Starting 20th July 26



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9:45am / 11:00am/
12:00pm

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Tuesday 21st July
Thursday 30th July
Tuesday 4th August
Tuesday 11th August
Thursday 20th August
Thursday 27th August



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WEEK 2 27TH- 31ST JULY

WEEK 3 3RD- 7TH AUGUST
WEEK 4 10TH-15TH AUGUST
WEEK 5 17TH- 21ST AUGUST
WEEK 6 CLOSED

WEDNESDAY FUN DAYS	
WEEK 1	WARZONE- NERF GUN, OBSTACLE COURSES, DODGEBALL!!
WEEK 2	WATER FIGHT- BRING YOUR WATER PISTOLS READY!!
WEEK 3	SPORTS DAY- WORLD CUP THEMED!
WEEK 4	WATER FIGHT- BRING YOUR WATER PISTOLS READY!!
WEEK 5	WARZONE- NERF GUN, OBSTACLE COURSES, DODGEBALL!!
WEEK 6	CLOSED

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Year 3 - Year 6:
Tuesday 21st & 28th July (6.00pm - 7.15pm)

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