



Wrockwardine Wood C of E Junior School

'Wrockers' Weekly

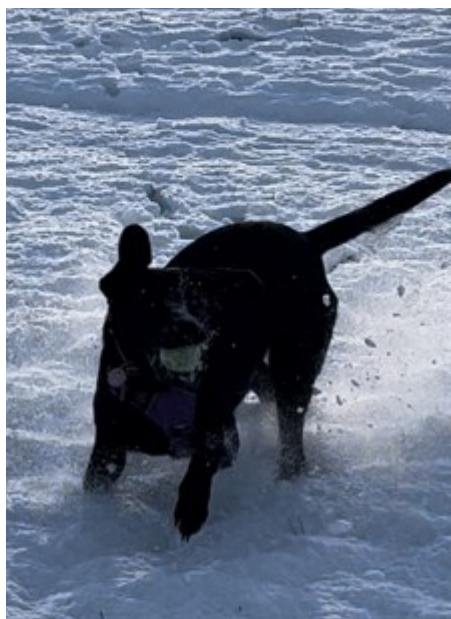
'Love, Laugh and Learn'

This Half Terms Value — Friendship

Friday 22nd November 2024

Snow!

The snow took us all by surprise this week. Thank you to everyone for getting their children into school safely. Sadly we had to keep the children off our playground due to the ice underneath the snow and the potential of falling. All of the children were very mature about this and conducted themselves really maturely when walking in and out of school. Nala, our school dog, had a wonderful time out in the snow with some of our children during interventions. Her 4-paw drive stopped her from slipping over! If we do have



any further snow fall we would like to reassure you that we will make every effort to stay open as long as

it is safe for our families and staff to travel to and from school. Should the school close we will announce it over class DoJo, send out an email/text and update the school closure line on the Telford and Wrekin's snow closure website. This website has a tendency to crash due to the number of people accessing it so always check your emails/texts and DoJo in the first instance.



Dates for your Diary

Tues 26th Nov

Year 3 and 4 visit Gurdwara

Thurs 28th Nov

Year 5 and 6 visit Gurdwara

Thurs 28th Nov

Katie's Kitchen Workshop in school Year 3

Weds 4th Dec

Choir performance at Barclay Gardens

Friday 4th Dec

Bottle Non Uniform Day

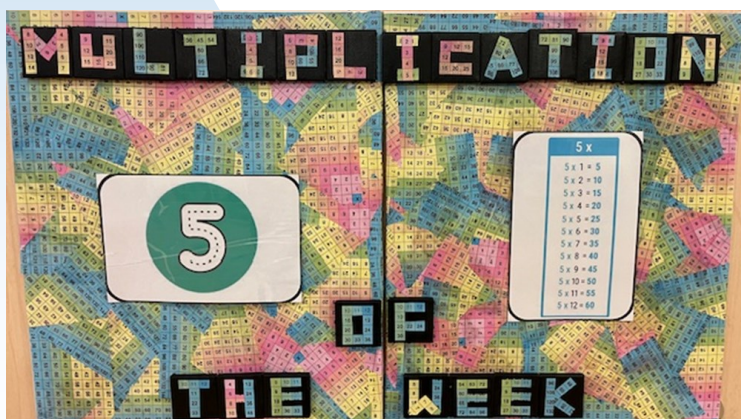
Mon 16th Dec

Year 3 and 4 Christmas Performances. 2pm and 5pm—see letter

Tues 17th Dec

Year 5 and 6 Christmas Performances. 2pm and 5pm—see letter

Word and Multiplication of the Week



ATTENDANCE LEAGUE

Week ending: 22nd November

Whole School: 95.6% Target 97% 😞

Class	%	Target achieved	Dojos
3B	97	😊	3
3LB	96	😞	0
4T	95	😞	0
4C	95	😞	0
5B	95	😞	0
5H	97	😊	3
6S	96	😞	0
6KS	94	😞	0
6D	95	😞	0

Be an Attendance **HERO**

Here, Everyday, Ready, On Time

Amazing Homework

Year 5 have been creating some fantastic models as part of their homework projects supporting their learning in Design and Technology.



Christmas Activity Booklet

The Wrocker's Christmas Activity Booklet will be on sale from Monday 25th November and will be available to purchase from the Enterprise Committee at break time and lunch times. The booklet will cost £2 and is full of quizzes, riddles, wordsearches, puzzles, art competitions and codebreakers to solve. As well as mini prizes for the art competitions, you will be entered into a prize draw which will be drawn at the School Christmas Market on Wednesday 11th December to win a great prize.



Wrocker's Christmas

Fayre

Wednesday 11th December 3.30pm.

Stalls include:

Children's Christmas crafts

Handmade crafts

Jingle Jumble sale

Games

Tombola

Scavenger hunt

Candy shop

Refreshments

And much more....

Listen to the school choir singing Christmas songs while you do your Christmas shopping.

We look forward to seeing you.

Uniform Reminder— Please ensure children are wearing the correct uniform to school especially on a PE day. As the children wear their PE kit all day it is important that they are smart and have a PE kit in line with the school policy. Joggers and leggings should be plain and not themed.

The Wrockwardine Wood CE Junior School "Living life in all its fullness" challenge.

This week's challenge is to: Have a puzzle afternoon with your family. We would love to see your photos please email them to: a3129@telford.gov.uk or DoJo to your class teacher.



Where's Nala?



Unfortunately, no one entered the Where's Nala competition this week so Mrs Perkins and Mrs Smart will have to eat the chocolate!



E Safety Support

What parents need to know about AGE RATINGS

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If you have children, it is understandable to have concerns about the films and TV shows they watch, as well as the games they play. In this guide, we take a look at the two official ways you can assess if a particular title is suitable for your child. Both the BBFC and PEGI have search facilities on their websites that can be used to look up individual titles so you can check their ratings.

PEGI

RATINGS FOR FILMS, TV & MUSIC VIDEOS

Since 1912, the BBFC (British Board of Film Classification) has informed UK residents of the age suitability of films, TV and music videos - providing parents with the information needed to assess whether or not it is appropriate for their child's age. This applies to cinema releases, DVDs and streaming video services such as Netflix.

WHAT ARE THE BBFC RATINGS?

BBFC ratings are broken down into seven age categories:

- U**: Universal, suitable for all ages
- PG**: Parental Guidance required
- 12**: Suitable for people aged 12 and over
- 12A**: Suitable for people aged 12 and over, though some material may be accompanied by an adult
- 15**: Suitable for people aged 15 and over
- 18**: Suitable for people aged 18 and over
- R18**: Adult content only available in specially licensed cinemas and specialist retailers

WHAT ELSE CAN BBFC REVEAL?

Accompanied with the age suitability rating, BBFC also provide an additional warning regarding the content and what to expect, such as swearing, sexual content, violence and anything you may consider to be inappropriate for your child. In addition to this, the content is also rated in three levels: frequent, mild or strong.

LIMITATIONS OF BBFC RATINGS

It's important to note that there is no obligation on streaming video services to use or display BBFC ratings. Due to this, we advise that you check the rating online before your child streams the content. It may also be a good idea to watch the content first yourself or discuss it with other parents to help you decide whether or not it is suitable for your child.

RATINGS FOR GAMES

PEGI (Pan European Game Information) is a content rating system that ensures all video games are labelled with a minimum age recommendation. These age recommendations are based on the types of content featured within a game. With each game, PEGI also provide a content descriptor that indicates the potential issues and concerns, including sex, violence, bad language and drugs.

WHAT ARE THE PEGI RATINGS?

PEGI ratings are split into age restriction and content descriptors. Additional 'content descriptors' help parents and children to understand the type of content featured within a particular game, including sex, fear, bad language, discrimination, gambling, drugs, violence, and in-game purchases. In combination, the two different ratings can provide a good level of information to help make informed decisions regarding the suitability for your child.

PEGI age ratings are broken down into five categories:

- 3**: www.pegi.info
- 7**: www.pegi.info
- 12**: www.pegi.info
- 16**: www.pegi.info
- 18**: www.pegi.info

PEGI content descriptors are broken down into eight categories:

- DRUGS
- SEX
- DISCRIMINATION
- VEHICLE
- BAD LANGUAGE
- SMOKING
- DRUGS
- SEX

LIMITATIONS OF PEGI RATINGS

It's possible for young people to buy games online without a required proof of age, opening them up to age-inappropriate content without you knowing. We advise that you regularly monitor your child's gaming activities and maintain a honest and healthy dialogue with them about the online world.

PARENTAL CONTROLS

It is a good idea to put in place parental controls for all online accounts which your child may use to purchase or download online games e.g. The App Store, Google Play Store, PlayStation Store and Microsoft Xbox Store etc.

Source: www.bbfc.co.uk

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