

Wrockwardine Wood C of E Junior School

'Wrockers' Weekly

'Love, Laugh and Learn'

This Half Terms Value — Joy

Friday 7th February 2025

Children's Mental Health Week

We spent Monday 3rd February celebrating Children's Mental Health Week and raising awareness of the importance of looking after your mental health. We talked about strategies that we can use to support and help us maintain good mental health! All classes then had a wonderful afternoon of art as a way of focussing our minds and having some reflection time! All classes have produced some fantastic work today – including some amazing letters being sent to our Prime Minister,

campaigning for an hour every week as dedicated mental health and wellbeing time for all school aged children in the country!

Fingers crossed we get a reply!







Dates for

your Diary

Monday 10th Feb

School Dinner Tasting Session Year 5 Parents—See ParentPay

Wed 12th Feb

Sketch book drop in at the end of the day

Friday 14th Feb

Art competition closes

Friday 14th Feb

Break up—normal

time

Mon 24th Feb

Return to school normal day

A Message from Kerry Woodhouse, Neighbourhood Coordinator: "A huge thank you for taking part in the photo today, to recognise the grant which was given by the Police Crime Commissioners through the Safer Roads fund, Telford & Wrekin Council Safer Stronger Communities and Wrockwardine Wood and Trench Parish Council. The funding has been used to purchase the banners, police buddies and the pedestrian training, which most of you have dates for already."



Achievement Award 6S	TA Award	Star of the Week		Headteacher Award
Oskar	Annika	5B	Jasleen	Elijah E
Scarlett H	M	5H	Aleeah	
Рорру		6D	Iza	9
Ollie		6KS	Lilly B	
Megan S		6S	Febe	
Beau				



<u>World</u> Book Day!

We are very excited to let you know that we will be celebrating World Book Day on Friday 7th March here at school! Chil-

dren are invited to dress up as their favourite book characters or alternatively wear their pyjamas to school on this day and we would love them to bring in their favourite books or stories to share with their class! Thank you all for your support!

WORLD

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Fantastic Writers

These amazing young ladies have won a young writers competition and are going to have their work published!

We are very proud of them, well done! We cant wait to read your published work!



ATTENDANCE LEAGUE

Week ending: 07.02.25

Whole School: 95.4 Target 97%

Class	This week's %	Target achieved	Dojos		
3B	97%	©	3		
3LB	95%	8	0		
4T	96%	8			
4C	69%	8	0		
5B	95%	8	0		
5H	96%	8	0		
6S	96%	8	0		
6KS	94%	8	0		
6D	94%	8	0		



Attendance matters because when you go to school every day, you get to learn new things, play with your friends, and stay on top of your work, just like how you need to practice every day to get good at a game! If you miss too many days, it's like missing important parts of the game and you might fall behind everyone else.

SEND Coffee Afternoon

Tuesday 4th March 2025 2.15 until 3.15

Come and have a look at your child's books (2.15 – 2.30), have an opportunity for an informal chat with the SENDCo. Also meet our Mental Health Practitioner and other local support groups including Strengthening Families, PODS and others.

Tea, coffee and biscuits provided!

RE Debate Champions 2025!

These Year 6 superstars took part in another RE debate on Tuesday and regained their title of debate champions! They debated the motion: 'Is it easier to help people if you are rich?' Our team opposed this motion and their arguments were delivered with such compassion that they won their debate with a resounding majority!

They all represented our school perfectly and were a pleasure to take! Well done all of you!



Newport Girls High School Visit Year 5 Girls

Yesterday year 5 girls went to Newport Girls' High School. We did this so that we could have a day where we get to experience what secondary school is like ready for year 7. First 5H girls did arts and crafts lesson where we made sculptures using paper. While we did this, 5B girls did a computing music lesson. In the music lesson, we went on computers to use a website called Icredibox, which allowed us to make music digitally. After break we swapped around so each class could experience it all! Then it was lunch we could have pizza or chicken wraps. The food was delicious! Afterwards, we did a team building experience. We built pyramids with cups, first 6 then 10 then 15 and most of all... around 30! Sadly, we had to go home after that. It was an amazing day, thank you so much to Newport Girls' High School who let us have this wonderful day! By Alyssa 5H



Year 3 trip to Wolverhampton Art Gallery.

Today we had the best day at the art gallery. First, we took part in a workshop where we got to create and cast our own design of a fossil. We could choose footprints, plants or ammonites.

After that, we were shown some real-life fossils. Some of them were millions of













years old. We were then able to put our art learning into practice because we chose our favourite fossil and sketched a picture of it. We used our cross hatching and scumbling skills to add detail and texture to our picture.

Finally, we got to explore the art gallery and the amazing paintings they have hung there. We really liked looking at the pictures from a distance and then up close to see how the perspective changed.

DV and NL (3B)

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

This week's challenge is to: Visit your local library.



We would love to see your photos please email them to: a3129@telford.gov.uk or DoJo to your class teacher.

Swimming Year 5 & 6

Next half term we will start our swimming ses-



sions for years 5 and 6. This will take place on a Wednesday during the school day. We aim to have every child swimming 25m by the end of year 6 or at the least feeling confident in the water. Letter to follow.

Year 5 Adams Grammar Visit

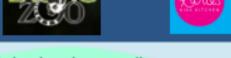
Yesterday 6 people from each year 5 class got to go to Adams Grammar secondary school in Newport. In the morning we left a minute after the register to get to the school. As soon as we arrived a former pupil called Molly introduced herself and told us she will stay with us for the day. When we were there we had an English lesson with a teacher called Mr Jopling . During the lesson he taught us poetry , using a poem called The Lake. At the start we underlined some clues using a highlighter or purple pen to tell us what happened to the lake. After that we wrote the next part of the poem and Miss Higgs and Mrs Turner chose one person who wrote an extraordinary part of the poem. Then we made up a character for our own poem but because we didn't have enough time Mr Jopling told us to write it at school if we had enough time and he will give the best one a prize of a sweet. Soon after that Molly then took us to meet Chloe a year 7 who took us on a tour after break where they gave us free cookies and fruit. The first place Chloe took us was to see their class pet in the science room which was an axolot (they were adorable). After, she took us to the music/drama rooms and when we in there you could hear the stunning music they were playing. The final activity we did was to go to their substantial library. While we were in there, a Librarian told us about the history about the school. Did you know that it started in 1654? Finally we got on the mini bus and went back to school. - Charley 5B





AM session: 10:00 - 12:00 noon Cooking with Katie PM session: 2:00-3:00pm Dodgeball





To book a place email: admin@wrockwardinewoodandtrench-pc.co.uk or call: 01952 567040

Year 5 Boys Art Day

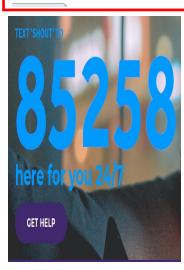
On Tuesday, the Year 5 boys took part in an art day where we studied a variety of different fruits. The children had the opportunity to use any medium they wished with some choosing to sketch, paint or use pastels. They worked hard to capture the intricate details of the fruit to make them look as realistic as possible. Later in the afternoon, we used a viewfinder to find an interesting part of our artwork to then create our own clay relief tile. Here are some of the fantastic results ①



Mental Health & Wellbeing Be active ЛК 5 Ways to signposting Wellbeing Give to others ake notice ŠŹ 8 Keep learning 🛛 YoungMinds | Mental Health Char-<u>Ageless</u> ity For Children And Young People | YoungMinds 24/7 Urgent Helpline YOUNGMINDS Kooth 0808 196 4501 Kooth provides an anonymous 24-hour (option 1 – under 18's; option 2 – over online service offering peer support, self-18's) help and have trained counsellors to talk ou are not alon This is for help and advice for anyone exto. Anyone aged 11-25, living in Shrop-However you're feeling right now, things shire and Telford & Wrekin, can register to can get better. And we're here to help. access this service and you don't need to Home - Telford Mind be referred or have an appointment Whilst Find help and advice the website is available 24 hours, there **Telford Mind** will be someone to talk to online at the Telford Mind works to promote refollowing times: covery, aiming to provide high quality services for people who are expe-Mental health and emotional riencing mental health issues or wellbeing | Barnardo's • 12:00 to 22:00 (Monday to Friday) • emotional distress. It also offers sup-18:00 to 22:00 (Saturday, Sunday and port to people undertaking caring nging childhoods. BARNARD Bank Holidays) roles. Where to get urgent help For urgent help: If you are a young person in crisis:

- Call Childline for free to speak to someone about what's happening and how you're feeling (0800 1111)
- If you are a young adult in crisis:
- Call the **Samaritans** free helpline. It's open 24 hours, 365 days a year (116 123)
- If it's an emergency:
- If you are in an emergency and there is a risk to life (that can be your own or another persons) call **999**





<u>Healthier Together</u> online information for young person's mental health including information about anxiety, depression, anger, eating difficulties, bullying, self-harm and more

Mental Health







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Open up campaign to prevent loneliness in children

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