



Wrockwardine Wood C of E Junior School

'Wrockers' Weekly

This Half Terms Value — Courage

Friday 20th June 2025

Sports Day and Lunch 2025

What a spectacular sports day! The sun was shining, smiles were beaming, and ice cream cones were the perfect treat to cool down our amazing Year 3/4 athletes!

The field was buzzing with excitement as our students showed off their sporty skills, while families spread out their picnic blankets for a lovely lunch under the blue sky. Nothing beats sharing sandwiches and cheering on our champions!

Your presence made this day extra special - the enthusiastic support and wonderful community spirit truly made our sports day one to remember! These are the moments that make school life magical.



What an incredible sports day with our Year 5 and 6 superstars! The field was buzzing with energy, cheers, and amazing team spirit! From fantastic races to wonderful commentary, every moment was filled with excitement and smiles. The highlight? Seeing our champions sharing picnic blankets with their loved ones, creating precious memories together! And a special shoutout to our ice cream hero Ricky from King Cone, who kept those delicious treats coming at lightning speed! (Nobody likes a long queue on a sports day!) These are the days that make our school community so special. Thank you for being part of this wonderful celebration!

Dates for your Diary

Friday 27th June

Year 6 Crucial Crew

Monday 7th July

Transition Afternoon
(children meet their new teacher and visit new classroom)

Tuesday 8th July

Transition all day
(children spend the day in their new classroom)

Thursday 10th July

Year 6 Leavers' performance
10:00am and 5:00pm

Friday 11th July

Reports available on DC Pro App

Friday 18th July

Break up



Achievement Award 3B	TA Award	Star of the Week		Headteacher Award
Annie	Freddie	Ella C	3B	Ella C
Harleigh		Caiman B	3LB	
Nancy-Mai		Ethan W	4C	
Cillian		Elliot J	4T	
Codi-Lee				
Oliver				



Sports Week

Fantastic Football!

Mr Yarnold took the year 6s for some football sessions this week and they had lots of fun! They learnt about passing, ball control and movement into space. Thank you to Mr Yarnold!



Archery This week, we were really lucky to take part in an archery session. It was so fun!!! We all got to have so many goes and lots of us even hit the 5 on the board. All of the children had massive smiles on their faces and even the teachers had a go.

- DJ



Arthog Outreach—Year 6

Amazing Arthog Outreach!

We've had an amazing day with Arthog Outreach! First we went canoeing which was lots of fun! We played some games and tried rowing standing up... some of us got a bit wet! We loved playing football with the canoes! Then we had a picnic lunch in the sun and after that we had a go on the high ropes course at Telford Town Park! At first we found it quite tricky but we soon got used to it. It was a great day!



Brilliant Boxing!

We had a fantastic boxing session with Catherine and Glen from Donnington Boxing Club today which we all thoroughly enjoyed! We warmed up by skipping then played some fun boxing games with pegs! What a super session!



Attendance

Our whole school attendance remains steady at 95.3%

Special shoutout to our attendance champions: 4T rocking the lower school with 97% and 5H matching that awesome energy in upper school! 🏆

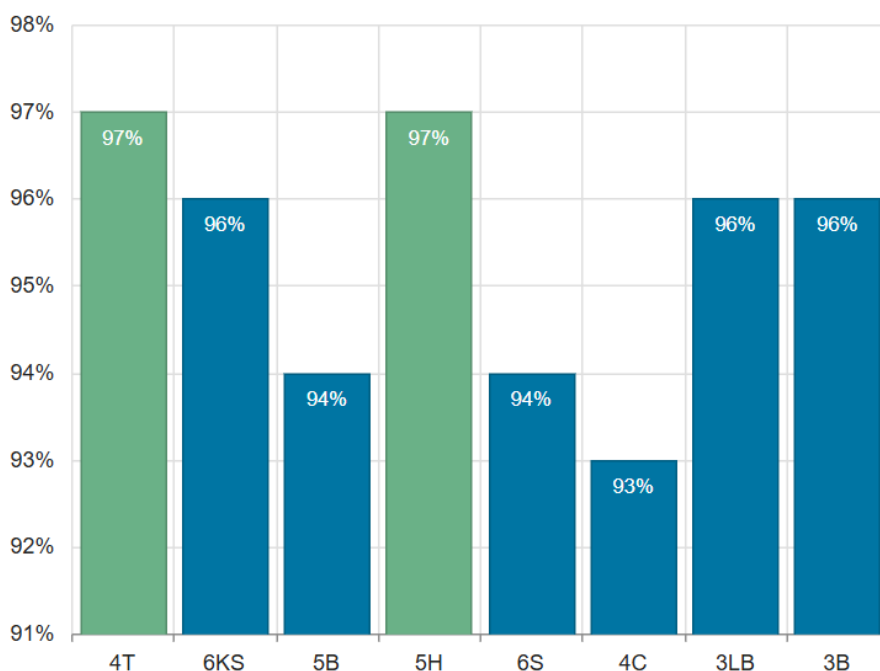
Quick reminder:

📞 Reporting Absences

If your child is unwell or unable to attend, please notify the school office ASAP ideally before 8:55 via 01952387880 or email A3129@telford.gov.uk

Every call helps us keep everyone safe and accounted for! 🙌

Together, we're creating a fantastic learning journey - one present day at a time! 🔄 Keep up the incredible work, everyone! 🙌





Young Carers Sponsored Walk

25th June - 4:45pm - 6:30pm

Join us in **Youth Club** for a sponsored **2 mile walk** to raise money for our Young Carers Service! Please use our **sponsorship form** if you wish to take part in raising money. Any amount is greatly appreciated!

The money we raise will be **matched** by **The Big Give Platform**, as part of The Big Give Small Charity Week, and **funds will go towards our activities and resources for Young Carers.**

📍 Drop off at normal Youth Club room, Hazledine House.

🚶 We will be walking the **Nature Trail** route around Telford Town Park. This is about **2 miles!** (Search 'Telford Town Park Nature Trail' for leaflet/route).

☕ We will have tea once we return, before pick up as normal.

Please bring your collected money to the session, or follow the QR Code to donate! Thank you 😊





If you are **interested** in attending, please **Text 07817 090054** & please wait for confirmation of your place. **You must receive a confirmation text as places are limited.** Unfortunately, if your child attends without a booking being confirmed, we will not be able to accommodate them due to staff ratios and your child's safety.



f Telford Young Carers

📞 Text: 07817 090054

PLEASE WEAR APPROPRIATE CLOTHES, SHOES, & BRING A DRINK 😊

Spelling Bee Competition

Today, 17th June 2025, some pupils were chosen for the St. Georges Spelling Bee.

We completed six different challenges ranging from anagrams to crosswords.

Everyone took part and had lots of fun. This was a really great experience for all of us. We were placed 3rd and we hope to go to this again soon.

BC, HY and MS





Arthog Outreach Day Trip

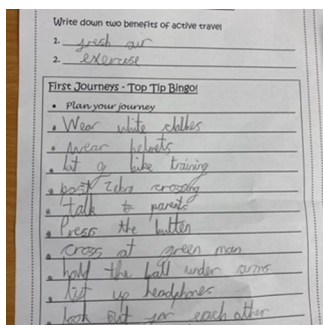
This week, Year 6 went on at school trip for Arthog Outreach to the town centre. We were divided into two groups: high ropes and kayaking. We then swapped over. We had an amazing day showing great COURAGE and bravery overcoming our fears of the water and heights. During the day, we demonstrated great team work and communication skills encouraging each other to succeed and have a great time. 6KS



Pedestrian Training!

We spent Wednesday afternoon taking part in pedestrian training. We used VR headsets, looked at the green cross code and planned our routes to secondary school! It was a really fun afternoon and very useful!

By Carter and Xander



Year 3 Fun at Forest School



Amazing Dancing

MB 4C and her team danced in the ball room tower in Blackpool at the weekend.

They won 1st place All England Champions, their Leader won 1st place All England Champion and M won best Mascot all England Champion!

It will be something they will never forget and the competition was out of 10 teams in their section.

What an incredible achievement and we are all so proud of you, M!



MFL Phrase of the Week!

Here is our French phrase of the week!

We hope you enjoy practising and learning it at home!

Comment ça va ?
How are you?



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Join us FREE Community Open Day

SUNDAY 22ND JUNE, 10am–3pm

Try your hand at a variety of sports led by local community clubs such as:

- Pickleball
- Badminton
- Squash
- Table Tennis
- Hockey
- Wheelchair Basketball
- Boccia
- Petanque
- Boxing
- Bowls
- RBL Bicycles
- Plus lots more!

Find out more
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WELCOME

Active Families!

Here is an idea for a quick, active and fun activity you could carry out with your family this weekend! We hope you enjoy!

Walk the Plank

What you need: dressing gown ropes and 2x ball of socks



How to play:

Create a path using the dressing gown ropes.

- Challenge 1: Can you walk the plank without touching the floor? Now try walking backwards.
- Challenge 2: Can you walk the plank whilst balancing a ball of socks on your head?
- Challenge 3: Can you walk the plank whilst throwing and catching a ball of socks, to yourself or to and from a partner?
- Challenge 4: Can you walk the plank whilst balancing the ball of socks on your head and throwing and catching with the other pair of socks?
- Challenge 5: Can you walk the plank whilst throwing and catching one pair of socks in one hand to yourself, whilst throwing and catching the other pair of socks with a partner?

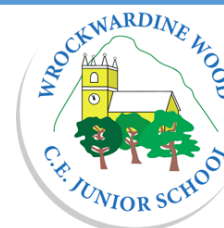


The Wrockwardine Wood CE Junior School “Living life in all its fullness” challenge.

This week's challenge is to:

Go bird-watching! How many different birds can you find?

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



E Safety Advice

What Parents & Carers Need to Know about MYLOL

AGE RESTRICTION
13-19

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

MyLOL is a free social networking and dating site aimed at teens. Profiles can publicly display users' images and information, including sexual orientation and personal interests. The service bills itself as "the number one teen dating website in the world", claiming to have more than a million users globally. Despite its popularity, the MyLOL app is no longer available from Google Play or the App Store, although the site is still active. In some countries, police forces and schools have previously warned parents about "sinister predators" and "inappropriate activities" on the site.

FLIMSY AGE GATES

Although MyLOL states it is exclusively aimed at users aged between 13 and 19, there is no credible age verification system to prevent a younger child – or an older adult – from signing up to the platform. Coupled with the fact that it's impossible to establish a user's true identity on MyLOL, this raises a serious concern that the site could be used for grooming.

AGE-INAPPROPRIATE CONTENT

MyLOL maintains that it monitors all uploaded images for nudity or sexual content. It also claims to be able to detect suspicious keywords. However, there have been numerous reports of explicit content being found on the platform, with users often posting provocative, semi-nude pictures of themselves and engaging in flirty or sexually explicit conversation.

POTENTIAL CYBER-BULLYING

MyLOL lets users 'vote' on other people based solely on their appearance, much in the same vein as the now-defunct site Hot or Not. This feature could easily lead to distress and bullying, especially if a young person's profile pics receive an unfavourable response. Various reviews of MyLOL have noted that bullying frequently becomes an issue in the platform's chat groups and private messages.

IN-APP SPENDING

MyLOL is free to join and use, but it also offers paid-for memberships. Users who have paid money get their profile promoted at the top of the site and in search results. They can also earn additional credits for increased engagement with the platform – such as sharing, replying to messages and voting. At the time of writing, the monthly membership fee was \$9.95 (just under £8).

DATA COLLECTION

According to its privacy policy, MyLOL collects user data including email addresses, contact details and interests. While the company says it is committed to protecting users' privacy, the small print states that information may be shared externally. MyLOL claims to follow procedures to keep data secure, but does not specify what these procedures are, or whether such information is encrypted.

CONTACT FROM STRANGERS

MyLOL makes it easy to connect with strangers. In fact, the site's rewards feature encourages users to send private messages to people they don't know. There have been several media stories of adults posing as teens on MyLOL to connect with minors, which could lead to extremely dangerous situations, such as a young person meeting up with someone who has been posing under a false identity.

Advice for Parents & Carers

DISCUSS ONLINE DATING

It's vital to talk to your child about the possible dangers of platforms like MyLOL – particularly the threat of online predators. Remind them of the risks of sharing intimate images and information with strangers and emphasise that most people don't realise they're being 'catfished' until it's too late – it really isn't wise for a young person to meet up with someone they've only spoken to online.

RESTRICT IN-APP SPENDING

If your child has access to a bank card or other payment method, they may be enticed into signing up for MyLOL's premium features. Having their profile boosted and receiving more attention could be especially tempting if their friends also use the site. You could consider altering their device's settings to disable internet purchases, or at the very least keeping an eye on their online spending.

EXPLAIN PRIVACY RISKS

Before your child begins using a service such as MyLOL, it's important that they understand the potential pitfalls of giving out their personal data on this type of platform. Explain to them, for example, that they shouldn't divulge any personally identifying information to people who they don't know, as scammers can be quite convincing when attempting to steal someone's identity.

SET UP LOCATION ALERTS

If you're worried that your child may be planning to meet up with someone they've met on MyLOL, you could consider utilising GPS or WiFi location tracking technology to follow their whereabouts in real time. You can even set up a virtual boundary or 'fence' and opt to receive an alert to your phone if your child enters or exits a specified area.

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