



Donnington Wood Infant School & Nursery

Newsletter

Friday 11th December 2020

Everyone in school and nursery has been busy this week with preparations for Christmas. We are really looking forward to sharing our 2020 replacement for the Christmas plays.

Christmas Activities next week.....

Wednesday 16th December is Christmas Dinner for full time children in school. You do not need to do anything before the day.



Thursday 17th December 'Panto & popcorn'

the children will be enjoying an online pantomime with a little popcorn treat to make it extra special!

Friday 18th December is the last day of term and we have planned a really special day. The children will enjoy a Christmas Early Bird breakfast at the start of the day in school and at snack time in nursery. There will be other Christmas activities, games and fun during the day.

Children are encouraged to **come to school and nursery wearing something Christmassy or sparkly** for a donation of £1 to Save the Children. Please do not go out and buy something especially, just wear your own clothes. We are supporting this charity at Christmas as a part of their work is helping children who don't have enough food and medicine or are having a bad time because of the pandemic.



Save the Children
CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY

Friday 18th is a non-uniform day. Children need to wear normal school uniform the rest of the week. Children will need PE kits in school everyday until the end of term.



The infection rate in Telford is falling but we still need to remember to wash our hands, wear face coverings and maintain social distancing.

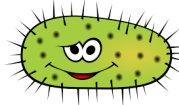
Friday 18th December
last day of school & nursery

Tuesday 5th January
back to school & nursery



Christmas Cards must be in by Monday 14th December
PLEASE DO NOT LICK THE ENVELOPES

Testing
Please see more information on the back of the newsletter about COVID testing in Telford & Wrekin. Don't forget there is a testing centre in Donnington. Tests need to be booked online or by calling 119. Please continue to let us know if anyone in your house has symptoms or is being tested.



Attendance

Whole School— 90.99%
Class 1— 92.91%
Class 2— 86.85%
Class 3— 95.58%
Class 4— 94.83%
Class 5— 94.48%
Class 6— 81.71%
2s Nursery— 62.30%
3s Nursery— 80.65%



Lates - 10



Lost learning =
2h 52mins

Early Bird - Class 5

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- In Golden Book This Week**
- Class 1
Abibatu & Kyarah
- Class 2
Faye & Dawid
- Class 3
Lachlan & Adonai
- Class 4
Leo & Esmari
- Class 5
Harley & Frederick
- Class 6
Freya & Cameron
- Nursery
Alex, Callum, Roman & Malia
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Jigsaw

Next week we are looking for people who are having fun and enjoying the end of term



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Artsmark
Silver Award
Awarded by Arts
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GETTING A COVID-19 TEST

in Telford and Wrekin

You **MUST** get a test if:

You have at least **one** of the three main symptoms.



High temperature



New persistent cough



Loss of taste or smell

ISOLATE as soon as symptoms show, while waiting for test results and if you test positive.

You **CAN** get a test for these precautionary symptoms:



Headaches



Aches and pains



Feeling very tired for no good reason



Sore throat



Runny nose



Sneezing



Tummy ache in children

You **DO NOT NEED TO ISOLATE** if you have **only one or more of these precautionary symptoms**, or while waiting for test results for these precautionary symptoms.

You only need to isolate if you test positive or have at least one of the three main symptoms.

Book a test at nhs.uk/coronavirus

For **precautionary symptoms testing** select: 'My local council or health protection team has asked me (or someone I live with) to get a test, even though I do not have symptoms'.

Please make sure you contact the office (386640 or donnwood.infants@taw.org.uk) if your child is absent from school and nursery. It is vital that we know why children are absent so that we can keep everyone safe. Thank you.

Reading at home

New books Monday

Return books Friday



Breakfast Club

7:45—8:45 £2 per day

More information available in the school office.

Starting School September 2021

If you have a child born between **1st September 2016 and 31st August 2017** you must apply online at www.telford.gov.uk/admissions There are no paper application forms.

Even if your child is in our nursery you **must apply online by 15th January 2021**

If you have any questions or do not have access to the internet please talk to the office.

Parents of children in Year 2 will need to apply for Year 3 (Junior School) using the same online system.