



Donnington Wood Infant School & Nursery

Newsletter

Thursday 1st April 2021

On the 4th January when staff were in school preparing for the new term, I don't think we could have imagined what the next 13 weeks would look like. We are so proud of how everyone in our school community has played their part in keeping things running for critical worker and vulnerable children, supported home learning and returned so enthusiastically on the 8th March.

Today we have sent out the feedback letter from our remote Ofsted monitoring visit in March. We are really pleased with the positive feedback from Ofsted and parents about home learning this term.

We want to wish everyone a restful and relaxing Easter break and look forward to seeing you back at the start of the Summer Term.



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 ★ This Week ★
 ★ All the children ★
 ★ in school and ★
 ★ nursery, their ★
 ★ families and ★
 ★ staff for getting ★
 ★ to the end of a ★
 ★ very different ★
 ★ term! ★
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Shade Sail

We have entered a competition with A&S Landscape who are awarding a shade sail to one lucky school. To win this fantastic prize for the Rainbow Garden we need to collect the highest number of votes! There is a link to vote on our website and Facebook page.



Colouring Competition

This week the school kitchen staff held a colouring competition for the children. The winner from each class received an Easter Egg. Well done to the winners—Amal, Caila, Claudia, Tommy, Elif and Harrison.

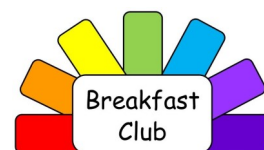
Breakfast Club

7:45—8:45

£2 per day

More information available in the school office.

Please come to the hall door for Breakfast Club.



Attendance

Attendance since 8th March has been fantastic—well done everyone. We are still aiming to have attendance above 95% at the end of the year despite the disruptions this term.

Below are the attendance rates since 8th March...

Whole school—

Class 1—97.10

Class 2—96.65%

Class 3—96.5%

Class 4—97.05%

Class 5—97.18%

Class 6—91.09%

Please can we remind parents to wear a face covering (unless exempt) and to socially distance on the school



site. We appreciate that it is hard with lots of people on site but we still need to keep everyone as safe as possible.

Magic Breakfast

Everyone in school and nursery has brought home either a box of cereal or a bag of bagels this week. These have been delivered to school by Magic Breakfast as part of supporting families this term.

Bagels in school

A number of children this week have told staff that they have not had breakfast at home in the morning as they are having bagels in school. It is really important that children have breakfast at home before coming to school. At the moment bagels are not always served at the time children arrive in school, sometimes it is later in the morning. The portion size is not the same as eating breakfast.



Last day of school and nursery today

**Back to school and nursery—
Monday 19th April**

Testing

Please continue to let us know (by email - donnwood.infants@taw.org.uk) during the Easter Holidays if anyone in your house has symptoms or is being tested (and the test outcome).

Jigsaw

After Easter we are looking for people who know how to make friends.



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Water Bottles

Please make sure your child has a water bottle in school everyday. If your child has a different drink for lunchtime then please put this in their lunch box. Water is available for all children in the hall at lunchtime.



Parking

To help keep pupils and parents safe on the school site we request that you do not drive onto the school site at the start or end of the day or nursery session. Please do not park in the Children's Centre car park.

Disabled parking spaces are available in the car park by the Nursery entrance and the Children's Centre car park. If you need to use one of these spaces please talk to the school office to request a permit and make sure you also display a valid blue badge.

PE in school

Children in school must wear school uniform everyday and have their PE kit in school all week.

Reception

PE on Monday & Friday
Year 1

PE on Wednesday & Friday
Year 2

PE on Tuesday & Friday

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'.

Coronavirus
Prevent the spread in Telford and Wrekin

