



Donnington Wood Infant School & Nursery

Newsletter

Friday 3rd December 2021

On Tuesday Classes 3 & 4 enjoyed a 'Clay Day'. The children developed super skills during the day and have produced some fabulous animals using rolling, pinching and joining clay.

We are busy planning lots of Christmas activities for everyone in school for the last week of term. In order to keep everyone as safe as possible we are not able to invite parents in to join us but hope to share things through Tapestry and the website. More information about this next week.



Attendance

Whole School— 89.98%
Class 1— 86.63%
Class 2— 92.77%
Class 3— 88.95%
Class 4— 93.85%
Class 5— 89.07%
Class 6— 89.25%
2s Nursery— 53.73%
3s Nursery— 63.09%



Lates - 27

Lost learning =

4hrs 26 mins

Early Bird -Class 1

We need your help!



Come and meet with us and have your say about how we can make Donnington a better, safer place to be!

Stronger & Safer Communities has £2.5m to invest across Telford!

Where would you like to see the money spent here in Donnington?

Do we need better lighting to reduce crime?

Do we need more CCTV?

Would more Youth Groups help?

Come and have a cup of tea and a mince pie and share your thoughts with us on:

Tuesday 14th December
2:00pm - 3:00pm
at Donnington Wood Infant School



Safer & Stronger Communities



Christmas Cards must be in by Monday 13th December



Breakfast Club

7:45—8:45

£2 per day

More information from the office.

Please come to the main door

In Golden Book This Week

Class1

Jack & Poppy

Class 2

Oliver & Jacob

Class 3

Kai & Surena

Class 4

Freya & Eloise

Class 5

Khyran & Coby

Class 6

Ewan-Lee & Jaxon

Nursery

Evan & Ava-Rose

COVID-19

Please continue to let us know if there is a positive case in your household so we can take appropriate action in school and nursery. Please also keep letting us know if your child is unwell as we need to make sure we are completing the registers correctly.



In the cooler weather it is really important that **your child comes to school or nursery wearing a jumper / cardigan and has a suitable coat.** Although the heating is on, we are currently also required to keep windows open so there is good



Jigsaw

Next week we are looking for people who give and receive compliments



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Apply
online
now



Starting school?

Closing date for applications:

15 January 2022

www.telford.gov.uk/admissions

- You must apply if your child was born between 1 September 2017 – 31 August 2018.
- You must apply even if your child is attending a nursery or pre-school on a school site or you have a child already attending the school.
- Attending a nursery does **not** guarantee a school place.
- If a child has an Education, Health & Care Plan the closing date is 31 October 2021 for all applications.
- School places are allocated in line with oversubscription criteria.
- See website for more information www.telford.gov.uk/admissions or contact School Admissions at admissions@telford.gov.uk

Children are only allowed water to drink in classrooms. This is to comply with the School Food Standards. Children are able to have other drinks (juice / squash) at dinner time. If you want your child to have a different drink at dinner time you will also need to send a water bottle for during lessons. Any juice / squash drinks will be kept for dinner time.



Starting School September 2022

Even if your child is in our nursery you *must* apply online by 15th January 2022

There are no paper application forms.

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

If you need to contact school, nursery or your child's teacher then you can—

- **call the office 386640**
- **Email: donnwood.infants@taw.org.uk**
- **give a message to a member of staff on duty on the playground before or after**

PE in school

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



Reception PE — Monday & Friday
Year 1 PE — Wednesday & Friday
Year 2 PE — Tuesday & Friday

Illness & Testing

If your child is unwell with COVID symptoms (high temperature, or new continuous dry cough or loss of taste / smell) then please do not send them to school and arrange for a PCR (test centre) test as soon as possible.

If your child is unwell for any other reason then they can continue to attend school (if they are well enough) but we are still advising a PCR (test centre) test as symptoms in children can vary.

If your child has a PCR test then please let us know the outcome as soon as possible (by phone 386640 or email donnwood.infants@taw.org.uk) so that we know if we need to take any additional action in school or nursery.

Thank you to all the parents who have kept us up to date this week with tests and results.

The number of cases in Telford is still very high. We really encourage all adults to carry out regular lateral flow tests even if you are feeling well. Staff in school carry out lateral flow tests regularly.

Anyone with main coronavirus symptoms is advised to book a test immediately at one of the borough's NHS testing sites or attend the walk-in test

