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St Mary's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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Children's School Reports



Children's school reports will be shared with you at Parents Evening. We hope to see you there as the children always get very excited about sharing their work with you and listening to all

the wonderful things their teacher has to say about them.

Beautiful photographs of Caleb celebrating his First Holy Communion

First Holy Communion is a religious ceremony performed in church by Catholics when a child reaches the age of around 7-8 years and celebrates the first time that they accept the bread and wine (also known as the Eucharist).



[Telford residents are invited to Early Years Family Fun Day on Saturday 6 July 2024](#)

Next month we will host a new family fun and information event in Telford Town Park to help families understand more about the different childcare support options which are available to them.

The Early Years Family Fun Day will take place on Saturday 6 July between 11am and 4pm in Telford Town Park.

The event is at providing families with vital information on the different funding entitlements and resources which are available to them as they navigate their way through parenting. This includes:



Childcare funding entitlements for 0-5-year-olds

Happy Healthy Activity Holiday clubs for 5-16-year-olds

Wrap around childcare options for 5- 11-year olds

Family Hubs

Experts will be on hand to offer advice about the various types of childcare support for families as well as provide guidance on what they are entitled to and how to apply.

As well as being an information event, there is also plenty of family fun activities organised to keep the whole family entertained from storytelling with Sal Tongue to workshops by Telford & Wrekin Music and Lola's Caribbean Kitchen who will be demonstrating her exquisite Caribbean cooking.

There will also be a sporting theme to the event as local provider 'Active Future' offer children the chance to take part in their Nerf battles and 'Cyclone's Football' who will be encouraging children to improve their footballing skills whilst having fun.

Dinner Monies Owing

Could we kindly ask you to pay for any outstanding dinner money owing as soon as possible. Thank you.

A message from Telford and Wrekin -Access to University Taster Day

I don't have A'levels or the qualifications to go to university – will I be able to go? Is it worth going to university- what are the benefits? Can I afford it and what help is out there? What about student debt?

We will guide you through the answers to these frequently asked questions and bust some myths along the way!

FREE one day information course about all things relating to our Access to Higher Education diplomas and how they can get you to university.

FREE lunch provided

FREE creche places available for this one day session (limited)

Always wanted to learn at a higher level but thought it was out of reach?



This short course will give you all the information you need to understand how to get yourself to university and beyond via our excellent Access to Higher Education programmes.

Why go to uni? You will meet the Access to HE team and learn all about the diplomas we offer: Education, Health Professionals and Psychology. You will learn how these gateway courses to Higher Education can lead to an array of degrees and ultimately career paths. We will talk you through the pattern of study and

the units each diploma covers as well as how you earn vital UCAS points when you study with us.

Remember Access to HE is equivalent to three A-Levels and is not for the faint hearted- but it is a life changing and incredibly rewarding diploma. We'll inform you of what attributes and skills you need to go the distance and reach your university goal.

Are you eligible? There are some important requirements to be able to undertake the course that we will guide you through.

This is your opportunity to meet the team and get support with making your application for Access to HE. Come with a list of questions and we will be happy to answer them.

Session Details:

10-12.30 Morning session- information about our A2HE diplomas and target setting

12.30-13.00 Lunch break, lunch will be provided on the day

13.00 -2.00 Afternoon session- eligibility, finance and is the course right for me?

2.00 Q&A and next steps

Finish

Please bring your own drink

A creche is available for this short course. Places are limited. You must email us at support@learntelford.ac.uk if you require this facility with the age of your child/ren and any dietary requirements



Your contact details

Due to changing our school office system, we will be sending out a data collection sheet for all pupils over the course of the next few days. If you have had any changes to your personal contact details, can you please complete the form and return to the office as soon as possible. Thank you.

Muxton Extra Holiday Club Summer Half Term

Open to all children aged school 4—11 years old

Monday 22nd July-Tuesday 3rd September

(Closed Monday 26th August)

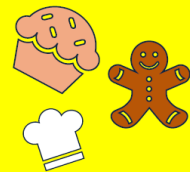
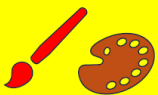
8:00am-3:30pm £17.00

8:00-6:00pm £20.00

(These prices include breakfast)

- ❖ All day arts and crafts
 - ❖ Sports including football, dodgeball, gymnastics etc
 - ❖ Our very own sports day morning.
 - ❖ Local walks
 - ❖ Baking/cooking activities
 - ❖ Water play
 - ❖ Games, BINGO, art competitions, quizzes etc.
- Booking available through your child's scopay.

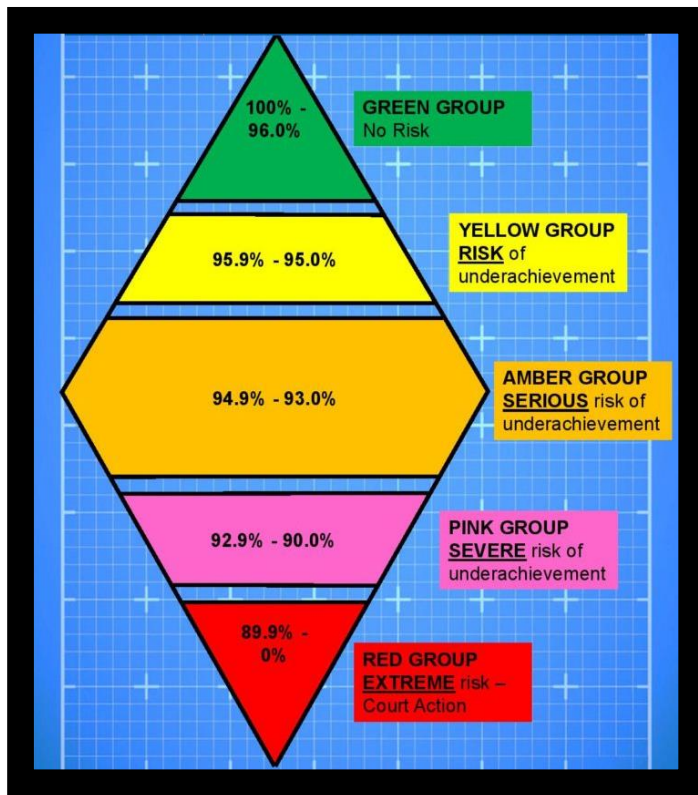
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Or phone the school office 01952 327007



Dates for your diaries

Date	Event	Notes
Friday July 5 th	Year 6 Leavers' Prom	5.30-9.00pm
Wednesday July 10 th	Family Picnic	11.45am-1.30pm. All parents welcome. More information will be provided.
Monday July 15 th	Key Stage 2 Sports Day	9.00am – 11.00am. All parents and family members invited. More information will be provided.
Tuesday July 16 th	Key Stage 1 Sports Day	9.00-10.30am. All parents and family members invited. More information will be provided.
Thursday July 18 th	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly	8.50am- 10am. All parents of Year 6 children invited.
Friday July 19 th	Break-up	Tee-shirt signing day for Year 6

Attendance Check



Every Minute Counts

If you arrive late to school everyday your learning begins to suffer. Below is a graph showing how being late to school everyday over a school year adds up to lost learning time.

