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NEWSLETTER

15

December 2024



Autumn Term

fun care safe respect learn

WHOLE SCHOOL
ATTENDANCE FOR THIS WEEK WAS

92.6%

Punctuality - lost learning 3 hrs 34 mins

HEAD TEACHER'S HIGHLIGHTS

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have made it to the end of term! This is the longest term of this year and despite chicken pox and some illness this week, attendance has been brilliant! I was proud this morning to hand out 18 certificates to children who have achieved over 95% attendance this term, 13 certificates for 100% attendance, and 1 for the most improved attendance. Congratulations to all those children.



This week has been full of Christmas activities. We enjoyed our Rudolph Relay for Severn Hospice on Tuesday, with Rudolph coming to join us. Thank you for those who have given donations, our Just Giving page is now up to £392 which is amazing! The page is open until Friday 17th January, so if you have any friends or family who would like to donate there is still time.

On Wednesday we enjoyed a delicious Christmas lunch with crackers and hats. This was closely followed by a visit from Father Christmas and his Head Elf who gave out gifts to all children. Thank you to the Friends of School for organising their visit.

Don't forget that from January 7th Breakfast Club will be open from 7.40 am. Mrs Judd will be supported by Mrs Chebsey on a Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and Mrs Wellman on a Thursday and Friday. Our usual offer of cereal, toast, yogurt and a drink will still be available if your child would like breakfast.

Finally, I would like to thank all children, parents, staff and the Governors for welcoming and supporting me in my first term here at Church Aston. I am really enjoying being here and am looking forward to the rest of the year and beyond.

Have a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. See you in 2025!

Mrs Sarah Pitt

Christmas Holiday Activities—See links below

hhah.telford.gov.uk – Happy Healthy Active Holidays

<https://adobe.ly/3ZwNwnv> - Christmas Holiday Activity Programme



IMPORTANT DATES

Tuesday 7th January—Return to School

Wednesday 8th January—Class 2 swimming

Monday 17th February—Friday 21st February -Half Term

Monday 24th February—Return to School



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

SCHOOL ADMISSIONS BOOK YOUR PLACE NOW!

The online admissions application process is now available on the [Telford & Wrekin website](#)

The following deadlines apply this year:

- Applying for **Reception Year school** places to start in September 2025 (starting school for the first time) = **closing date 15th January 2025**
 - Applying for Infant to Junior school (Year 2 into Year 3) places to start in September 2025 (current Year 2 pupils) – **closing date 15th January 2025**
- If a child has an Education, Health & Care Plan the **closing date is 31st October 2024** for all applications.

THIS WEEK'S WINNING TEAM IS

RED TEAM





CLASS 1



I used tape and scissors!

We worked as a team to build our castle!



I added a drawbridge!



CLASS 2

Class 2 were given the challenge of making a castle with a working drawbridge. They first had to plan their design with a partner and then they started to work on their 3D castle.



They worked together to add the tower and arrow slits.



We are looking forward to decorating our castles with paint.



The children used an axle to help them make a mechanism for the working drawbridge.



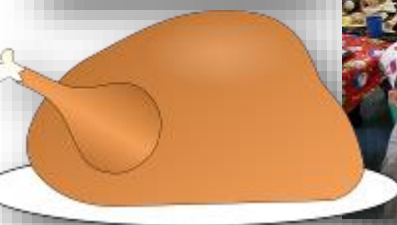
I love School dinners.



Yum!



Delicious!



Celebrating Success

REWARDS OF THE WEEK

Well done to all the children that received an award this week.



Class 1
STAR OF
THE WEEK



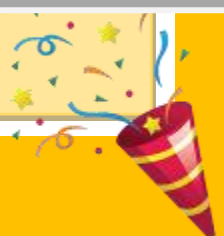
100%
ATTENDANCE



Class 2
STAR OF
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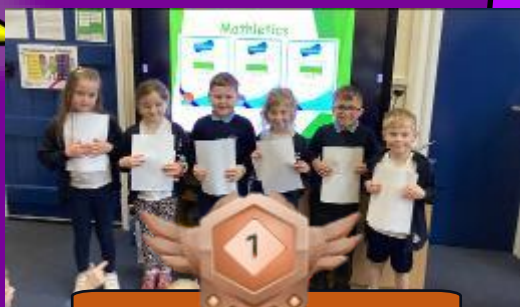


Over 95%
ATTENDANCE



Celebrating Success

Mathletics



BRONZE



SILVER



GOLD



PLATINUM



EMERALD



**OUT OF SCHOOL
ACHIEVEMENTS**

Well done in your
Tae-Kwondo

