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NEWSLETTER

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September 2023



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HEAD TEACHER'S HIGHLIGHTS

Dear parents

Some super work going on around the school, our young learners are very keen to complete their activities and talk about what they have been doing. I am sure you will enjoy catching up with your child's class teacher/teachers next week to find out how they are getting on and what they need to do to move their learning on. I look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday.

Please see the link below for the online safety presentation by Paul Gerrie., or alternatively please use the QR code to access the information.

<https://tinyurl.com/ChurchAstonOS>
<https://tinyurl.com/ChurchAstonOSResources>



We are looking forward to our Harvest Festival, it will be an opportunity for the children to be out in the community and visiting church, I know Revd. Zoe is keen to welcome all of you and all our children. Please bring any nonperishable gifts for our harvest festival to school on Monday morning. All gifts will be gratefully received on behalf of The Newport Food Bank.



Have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes

Jenny Griffiths

IMPORTANT REMINDER
CAN ALL CHILDREN ARRIVE TO SCHOOL IN THEIR SCHOOL UNIFORM MONDAY MORNING.
NO P.E KITS NEEDED

Please remember your nonperishable gifts for our Harvest Festival on Monday.



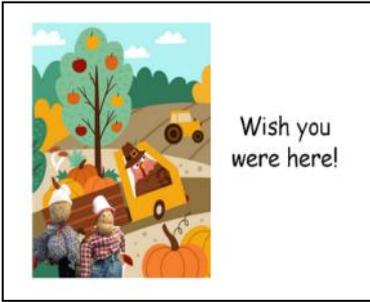
YEAR 2

Forest School



**NEXT WEEK YEAR R WILL
BE GOING TO FOREST
SCHOOL
WEDNESDAY 25TH OCT**





Dear Class One,
Hello! We hope you are all well.
We are having a lovely time on the farm. We are busy scaring all the birds away from the crops for the farmer! The pumpkins are getting very big now!

We hope you are having a great time at school.

Love from,
The Scarecrows


Class One
Church Aston
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Church Aston
Newport
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Well, we were very surprised on Monday morning to find that the scarecrows we made last week were no longer where Mrs Jones left them on Friday, they had disappeared! We put our detective hats on and had a think about where they might have gone. There were some very

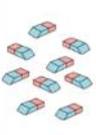
interesting ideas, one of our favourites being that they had gone on a plane to Ibiza to enjoy the swimming pools! On Tuesday we had some post! It was a postcard from the scarecrows! They told us where they had been and then we used the picture on the front of the postcard to write descriptive sentences. Reception also wrote the initial sounds in harvest words.

In phonics this week reception learned the sounds z, ch, qu and x.

In our maths lessons this week the reception children have been practicing their number formation and counting skills.

In maths the year 1 children have matched amounts, numerals and number words. They will move onto exploring the composition of each number 6 to 10.

Fill in the missing number names and numerals.

		
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6 is made of 5 and 1 more, 7 is made from 5 and 2 more, what is 8 made from?

Year 1 have finished their drawing topic in our art lessons this week and I have been so blown away by their amazing art skills! They have really enjoyed learning new drawing skills, using a range of media and being inspired by artists to create fantastic final self-portraits. Jean DuBuffet would be so impressed!



STAR OF THE WEEK

Rewarded for being super enthusiastic in all of his lessons.

Class 2

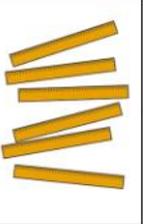
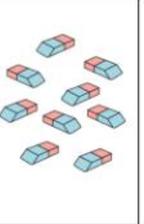


Class 2 have been enjoying their exercising and learning in maths and PE lessons. We have been grooving to our Supermover songs.



If you would like to have a go at home, you can use this link <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/supermovers/ks1-collection/zbr4scw>. Don't forget to sing as well as dance!

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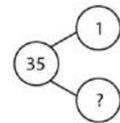
		
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The year 2 children have been concentrating on 1 more and 1 less. They have explored which digit changes and the composition of the tens and units numbers.

'Fill in the missing numbers.'



$$35 = \square + 1$$

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Class 2 are looking forward to sharing their poem, prayers and tuneful singing in the church on Monday afternoon, so **no PE Monday**.



STAR OF THE WEEK

Rewarded for being an wonderful role model and supporting her peers in class.

Important Dates



Monday 23rd October –Harvest Assembly at St Andrews Church 2:30 pm—Children arrive to school in their school uniforms please. No P.E Kits required.

Tuesday 24th October—Parents Afternoon/Evening—

Tuesday 24th October—Toy Museum in school

Thursday 26th October —Hibernation Day - come to school in your cosy sleepwear.

Monday 30th October - Friday 3rd November—Half Term—School Closed

Monday 6th October— Return to School

THIS WEEKS WINNING TEAM IS

**YELLOW
TEAM**



SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

The online admissions application process is now available at www.telford.gov.uk/admissions.

The following deadlines apply this year:

- Applying for Reception Year school places to start in September 2024 (starting school for the first time) - **closing date 15 January 2024**
- Applying for Infant to Junior school (Year 2 into Year 3) places to start in September 2024 (current Year 2 pupils) - **closing date 15 January 2024**
- If a child has an Education, Health & Care Plan the closing date is 31st October 2023 for all applications.



**What
wonderful
weavers
we have!**

Some children that chose to do their own weaving in Art Club have finished. These fabulous Year 1's amazed us with their skills.

ART CLUB

Moonstruck Astronaut Proudly Presents
Newport Youth Theatre
on Thursdays at Cosy Hall

"Friendly, approachable and fun Youth Theatre group"

LAMDA Club 4-5.15pm

For 9-13 yr olds

who enjoy learning scripts and being coached towards achieving a LAMDA qualification

"Excellent project that inspires children and engages them in drama"

Drama Club 5.30-6.30pm

For 7-10 yr olds

who want to have relaxed fun developing their drama skills

"Highly recommend Newport Youth Theatre - ideal for all abilities of children"

For more information and to book for a £5 taster session on Thursday 9th November go to NYT.eventbrite.co.uk



HALF TERM ACTIVITIES

CHURCH & CHETWYND ASTON
VILLAGE HALL
SAT 28TH OCT 6PM-8.30PM

VILLAGE 'HALL'OWEEN CELEBRATION

FREE FAMILY FRIENDLY EVENT

Fancy Dress Competition at 6.30pm

Carved Pumpkin Contest at 7pm

Tricks n Treats at our stalls & licensed bar

Animal Man

FIND OUR EVENT ON FACEBOOK TO LET US KNOW YOU ARE COMING
[FACEBOOK.COM/CCASTONVILLAGEHALL](https://www.facebook.com/ccastonvillagehall)

Lilleshall HOUSE & GARDENS
EVENTS

PUMPKIN TRAIL

30th Oct - 3rd Nov
From 10am to 3pm each day!

Follow our Pumpkin trail around the House & Gardens, and get a spooky treat at the end!

Suitable for children aged 3-10 years.

Trail open from 10am - 3pm each day. Last entry 30mins before closing.

Price: £2 per child
No need to book, just turn up!

For more details please contact the team on 01952 603003 (extension 1) or email us via our website

lilleshallhouse.co.uk

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Lilleshall House & Gardens, Near Newport, Shropshire, TF10 9AT




Half Term Activities in Telford & Wrekin Libraries

Diwali Craft

Get ready to celebrate Diwali, the festival of lights by making your own paper lantern and Diya to decorate your home.

Suitable for children aged 4-11 years.

Newport Library Tuesday 31 October 2-3pm

Southwater Library Wednesday 1 November 2-3pm

Wellington Library Thursday 2 November 2-3pm



Book your free place at www.telford.gov.uk/libraires



Local Author Book Launch

Pete White will be launching his first three books in the Enchanted Kingdom series.

The books are:

The Blacksmith's Struggle

The Anxious Knight

The Sorcerer's Secret

Pete will read and talk about the books

Signed copies will be available.

Suitable for children aged 3-7

Southwater Library Friday 3 November 11am-1pm

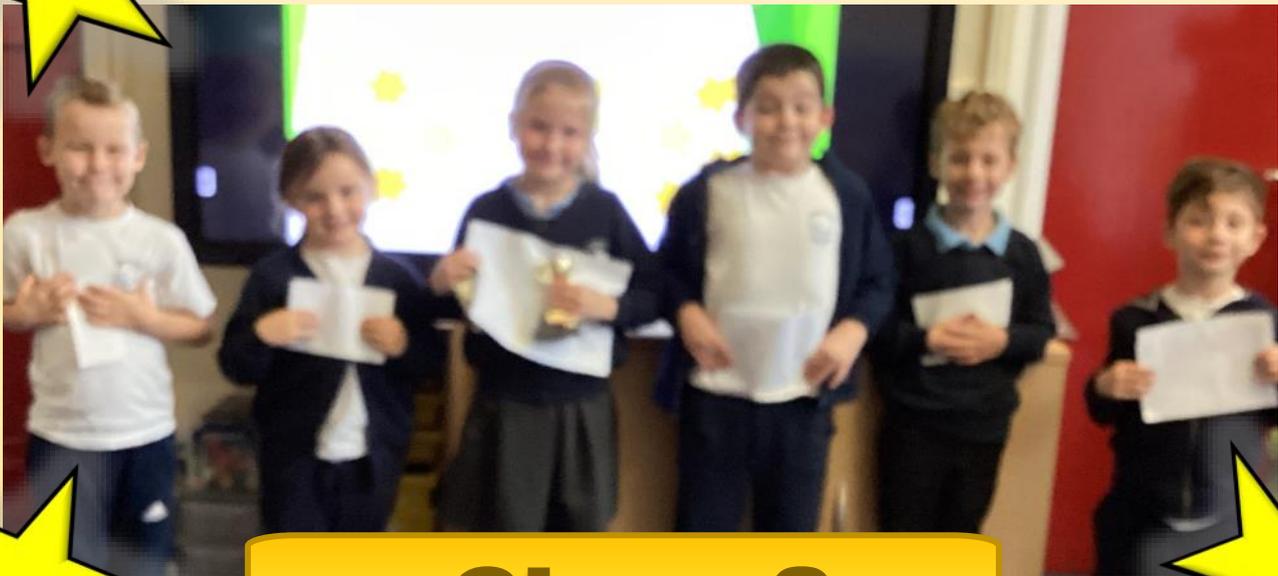
Celebrating Success

REWARDS OF THE WEEK

Well done to all the children that received an award for Marvellous Mathematician, Wonderful Writer, Hand Writer of the week, Reader of the Week or Breakfast Club Superstar. Keep up the hard work.



Class 1



Class 2

Celebrating Success

MATHLETICS



BRONZE



SILVER