



'Love, Laugh and Learn'

Wrockwardine Wood C of E Junior School

SEND Newsletter

Summer 2025



Hello and welcome to our Summer Term Newsletter. You should have received your child's Provision Map evaluated for the whole year now to see the incredible progress they have made. We are very proud of the steps of progress the children have made through the year and they have certainly earned their rest this summer!

There has been lots happening in the Summer Term from coffee mornings, to staff training and SATs results. See below for more information about our busy term.

If you have any questions about provision maps, progress, or anything else SEND, please don't hesitate to get in touch on the contact details below. I have a Dojo group, so if you don't have me as a contact on there, please let me know if you would like to and I can add you on.

SEND Contact Details: 01952 387880 alison.williams3@taw.org.uk

SEND Coffee Afternoon

Following on from the success of the Spring coffee afternoon, we held another one in the summer term focusing on transition. Parents and carers were able to chat to both the Infant and Secondary SEND-Cos to share information about their children and find out what support would be in place in September.

We were also visited by PODS, Family Hub (previously Strengthening Families) and the Mental Health Team. The Mental Health Team shared their '5 Ways to Wellbeing' to help support children's mental health at a difficult time of year. This information was also shared in a whole school assembly, which the children found very useful.



PINS Project

For the academic year 2025-2026 we are lucky enough to be part of the PINS Project, which stands for Partnerships for Inclusion of Neurodiversity in Schools Project. It has been developed around the key principles of Autism in schools:

- Whole school approach
- Good quality training for staff
- Parents supporting parents group
- Understanding student's experience of school

Hopefully you have had the opportunity to complete the online questionnaire shared through Dojo to express your views. We will also be hosting a coffee afternoon on **Monday 15th September 2.15-3.15** for you to meet the team from PODS who are supporting with PINS and share your views about school to support us to improve our offer for neurodiverse children and their peers.



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Staff Training

From September 2025 we will be utilising our fabulous Teaching Assistants differently to be able to offer a wider and more robust intervention package. As a result, they have undergone lots of training in the last few months to get ready for this, including:

- Autism Champion Training
- Direct Instruction Literacy Strategy Training
- Mental Health First Aid
- Speech and Language interventions

PODS Telford

Visit www.podstelford.org to see what wonderful events PODS are running over the summer holidays. If you sign up to their newsletter you will always hear first what new events they are running and what support they can offer for families.

01952 458047

support@podstelford.org

Autism Hub

The Autism Hub has now expanded to support families of children on the ASD waitlist, not just those families with a diagnosis. They offer:

- Workshops
- Family support <https://www.podstelford.org/>
- Family play session
- Online training



[Here is the link](#) for their leaflet or go to:

www.telfordautismhub.org.uk

Telford & Wrekin Family Hubs

Telford Family Hubs support families who need signposting and enable them to access services. They also support with Early Help Assessments. If there is something you're struggling with, they are fantastic at knowing the right services and support and always offer a great listening ear. They also have a number of activities running over the summer holidays (see the next page for more details).

Family Hubs will be running drop ins through the holidays at **Southwater Library Children's Section every Wednesday 9.30am—12.30pm.**

During **Term Time**, they also have drop ins at **Donnington Community Hub 10am-12pm.**

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Family Hubs run different sessions each week of the summer holidays. Please visit www.telfordfamilyhubs.co.uk to see their full offer for the 6 weeks and beyond.



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FAMILY HUBS

FAMILY HUBS WHAT'S ON

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| Monday 21st July | Dawley Town Hall, Breakfast club - TF43JR | Advice & Support Drop In 9:30am-11:00am |
| Tuesday 22nd July | Hollinswood Neighbourhood Centre Drop in - TF3 2EW | Advice & Support Drop in 10am-12noon |
| Wednesday 23rd July | Southwater library, -children's section, | Advice & Support Drop In 9:30am-12:30pm |
| | Telephone Advice & Support - Call 01952 385465 to book a slot | Booked calls between 1:30pm-4:00pm |
| Thursday 24th July | The Hub Newport TF10 7BH | Advice & Support Drop In 10am-12noon |
| | Telford Town Park- located near visitor centre/splash pad. | Advice & Support Drop In 11am-1pm |
| Monday 28th July | Damson Family Hubs Launch Donnington Community Hub, St Matthews Rd, TF2 7RB | Free fun family activities 10am-12noon |
| Tuesday 29th July | Hollinswood Neighbourhood Centre Drop in - TF3 2EW | Advice & Support Drop In 10am-12noon |
| Wednesday 30th July | Southwater library, -children's section | Advice & Support Drop In 9:30am-12:30pm |
| | Telephone Advice & Support - Call 01952 385465 to book a slot | Booked calls between 1:30-4:00 |
| Thursday 31st July | The Hub Newport TF10 7BH | Advice & Support Drop In 10am-12noon |
| | Telford Town Park- located near visitor centre/splash pad. | Advice & Support Drop In 11am-1pm |

Telford and Wrekin produce their own SEND newsletter on their local offer. It is full of updates, useful training and links to other agencies.

[SEND News \(telfordsend.org.uk\)](http://telfordsend.org.uk)

Follow the link to read this month's update. If you register you can receive the newsletters straight to your inbox.