

WROCKERS' WEEKLY

This Half Term's Value — Wisdom

Friday 22nd May 2026

Values Award - Wisdom

These superstars have been chosen by their class teacher to receive our special 'wisdom' badge in recognition of their wonderfully wise choices, which have helped all in our school community to live a life in all its fullness. Well done to you all of you; you have made us very proud. Wear your badges with pride!



Dates for your diary

Mon 1st June

Children return to school normal time and normal uniform

Tues 2nd June

SEN & transition coffee morning 9:45am school hall

Tues 2nd June

Swimming starts for year 5 and year 6 during the morning. Please ensure kit is brought into school first thing

Thursday 4th June

Pedestrian training 4M during the school day. See letter

Friday 5th June

Pedestrian training 4D during the school day. See letter

Homework Awards

We are delighted to share some wonderful news about our recent Homework Awards Assembly. Two children from each class received special recognition for their fantastic homework efforts—what an achievement! It has been truly inspiring to see such a wide range of creative and thoughtful work. Pupils have produced everything from detailed models and research projects to impressive writing and imaginative artwork. Their enthusiasm and pride in their work have really shone through. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all parents and carers for your continued support. Your help with homework projects, spellings, reading, and multiplication tables makes a real difference and helps our children to succeed. We are incredibly proud of all our children for their commitment and dedication. Their hard work is enabling them to make excellent progress and to flourish both in and out of the classroom. Well done to everyone involved!





Perfect Piano
G received her certificate this week for her debut Piano exam. We are all very proud of her - well done :-)



The Wrockwardine Wood CE Junior School “Living life in all its fullness” challenge.

This week’s challenge is to:

Make an obstacle course in your garden out of household objects :)

We would love to see your photos please email them to: a3129@telford.gov.uk or DoJo to your class teacher.



PE Summer 2

Please see the chart below for your child’s PE days next half term! Please could pupils come to school on these days wearing school PE kit - guidance on this is available on the school website in the uniform policy. (see separate letter for forest school details)

Day	PE Session	
Monday	Indoor PE 3LB Outdoor PE 6S	Indoor PE 3H Outdoor PE 6KS
Tuesday	Indoor PE 4M Outdoor PE 5G	Indoor PE 4D Outdoor PE 5B
Wednesday	3LB Forest School	3LB Forest School
Thursday	Indoor PE 5H Outdoor PE 3LB	Indoor PE 5G Outdoor PE 3H
Friday	O PE 4D I PE 6St	O PE 4M I PE 6S

Ballers



What you need: 1 ball, 1 wall, 4 markers and 2 players, a timer

How to play:

- Throwing: Throw the ball against a wall and catch the rebound. How many can you catch in 1 minute?
- Catching: Stand opposite a partner. Each successful catch earns a point. How many points can you earn in 1 minute?
- Dribbling: Dribble around markers placed in a zigzag pattern. Time how long it takes to complete the course without touching the markers. Can you beat your own time with each attempt?
- Kicking: Set up a goal using two markers and practise kicking into the goal from different distances. Take turns to be the goal keeper. How many goals can you score in 1 minute?



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Active Families



MFL Phrase of the Week!

Here is our French phrase of the week!
We hope you enjoy practising and learning it at home!



Comment ça va ?

How are you?



☀ Attendance League – Week Ending 22nd May 2026 ☀

A big well done to everyone for your efforts with attendance this week! 🙌


We are very pleased to celebrate 3LB and 4D, who both achieved an excellent 98% attendance, earning their place at the top of the league and securing their dojo points – fantastic commitment! 🎉

However, we have seen high levels of absence across the school this week, and we encourage everyone to keep working towards improving attendance.

As we head into the break, we wish everyone a restful half term so that we can return refreshed and ready to smash our attendance target next term! 💪

We look forward to welcoming everyone back, including our Wellbeing Welcome on the first day back, to help everyone settle in and start the new term positively.

ATTENDANCE LEAGUE			
Week ending: 22.5.26			
Class	This week's %	Target achieved	Dojos
3H	90%	👎	0
3LB	98%	😊	3
4D	98	😊	3
4M	94%	👎	0
5B	92%	👎	0
5G	89%	👎	0
6S	87%	👎	0
6KS	87%	👎	0



🦔 A Heartwarming Hedgehog Rescue

We're delighted to share a lovely story from our school grounds that has brightened everyone's day.

Recently, a small hedgehog was discovered on the school fields looking very unwell and malnourished. It was clear that the poor creature needed help, and we are incredibly grateful to Mrs Williams, who kindly stepped in to care for him.

Mrs Williams took the hedgehog home, where he has been given a safe, warm environment and plenty of food. We are pleased to report that he is now eating well and settling in happily. He has made himself at home in Mrs Williams' wildlife-friendly garden patch, where he can explore and recover at his own pace.

It's wonderful to see how quickly he has begun to regain his strength, and he already seems much happier and more content in his new surroundings.

We will be sure to keep you updated on his progress as he continues to recover. For now, it's safe to say he is enjoying his second chance and thriving in his new home!

A big thank you again to Mrs Williams for her kindness and care—what a fantastic example of looking after our local wildlife. 🦔💚



Big Book Swap!

We are so grateful to you all for the amazing support you have shown towards the Big Book Swap this week! We hope your children have enjoyed swapping the books they no longer need for some fresh ones and hope they love reading them! Thank you everyone and happy reading!



Year 6 Mosque Visit

On Wednesday, Year 6 visited our local Mosque in Wellington. During our visit, we were able to learn lots of essential facts and information about the Muslim religion. We enjoyed observing afternoon prayer and were able to ask lots of really useful questions to develop our understanding of this religion and their beliefs. We learnt about how body posture can be a form of respect and that Muslims follow specific rules within their religion to show their respect to God. The man who educated us was extremely kind and was able to impart lots of knowledge about mosques in general. We really enjoyed our visit.

Year 6



On Thursday, Mr Chatwin, one of our governors, came to talk to us about his career. He told us that he is an engineer and explained what he does for his job. We learnt that you have to dig down to find bedrock so that a building can stand safely on the ground without falling. He also showed us a structure made out of marshmallows and spaghetti that he had made at the weekend. This helped us understand how strong a building can be. He explained that using lots of spaghetti and triangles made the structure stronger. We had made these in class too, but his was definitely better and stronger than ours!

At the end of his talk, lots of us wanted to be engineers when we grow up. Thank you Mr Chatwin for coming and teaching us about what you do for a living.

By Nancie and Maddison

STEM Ambassadors Inspire Future Innovators

This week, our pupils took part in an exciting STEM workshop led by STEM Ambassadors from Fujitsu. The session gave children a brilliant insight into what Fujitsu does as a global technology company, as well as the huge range of STEM careers and different pathways available in the world of science, technology, engineering and maths.

To put their learning into action, pupils began with a lively STEM tower challenge, using only marshmallows and spaghetti to build the tallest free-standing structure they could. The room was full of teamwork, problem-solving and plenty of laughter as towers wobbled, collapsed and were rebuilt stronger than before.

Next, the children took part in a design challenge where they were asked to create an invention that solved a real-life problem. Their ideas were wonderfully imaginative, ranging from helpful robots to clever decision-making devices and many other creative solutions.

To finish, pupils presented their inventions to the Fujitsu STEM Ambassadors in a Dragons' Den-style pitch, explaining how their designs worked and why they would be useful. The ambassadors were incredibly impressed by the children's confidence, creativity and clear thinking.

It was a fantastic workshop that truly inspired our young learners and helped them see how STEM skills can shape the future.

We were delighted to welcome a police officer into school this week for a special visit! The children were fascinated to learn about the important work that the police do in our community and the many different roles they carry out each day.

During the visit, the officer spoke about the core values of the police, including honesty, respect, fairness, and responsibility. The officer also explained the wide range of duties involved in policing, from helping people in emergencies to keeping communities safe.

One of the highlights of the visit was seeing and learning about the different pieces of equipment that police officers use. Pupils were especially excited to have the opportunity to try on the officer's hats!

Overall, it was a fantastic experience that helped to inspire curiosity and deepen our understanding of community roles. We would like to extend a big thank you to our visiting officer for giving up their time and making the session so enjoyable for everyone.



Engineering and Me Teams Call

In our Teams meeting called "Engineering and Me", we learned how science and engineering are connected. The speaker was a structural engineer who has worked in different roles. He now works for London Underground and has also carried out structural work near Big Ben, showing how engineers contribute to important real-life projects. We discussed how engineering affects everyday life and realised that without engineers, we wouldn't have safe buildings, transport systems, or modern technology. We also explored historical examples such as the pyramids in Egypt, which show impressive early engineering, and the Romans, who were skilled builders. They used strong designs like arches and built roads and aqueducts across the world. Overall, the session showed how important engineering is in both the past and present.



Me at Work in London Today



Engineering and Me

David Sockett
Civil Engineer



STEM
AMBASSADORS

Year 5 Trip to Shrewsbury. A Wonderful Day of Learning and Fun



Our Year 5 children had a fantastic day on Wednesday on their trip to the beautiful town of Shrewsbury. Blessed with lovely weather, the children made the most of every moment, combining exploration, learning and outdoor enjoyment.

The day began with a visit to The Dingle, a stunning, sunken garden within Quarry Park. The children enjoyed wandering through the colourful displays of flowers, peaceful pathways and water features. It was a wonderful opportunity for them to appreciate nature and take in the beauty of this historic and well-loved space.

At lunchtime the group gathered for a picnic lunch in the park. There was a great sense of excitement as the children relaxed together, chatted with friends and enjoyed their lunches in the fresh air. It was lovely to see everyone making the most of the open space and sharing such a social part of the day.

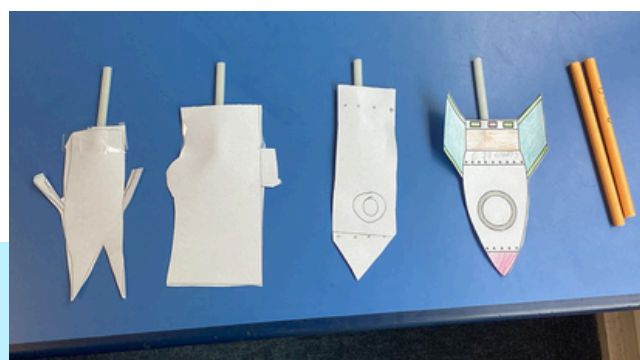
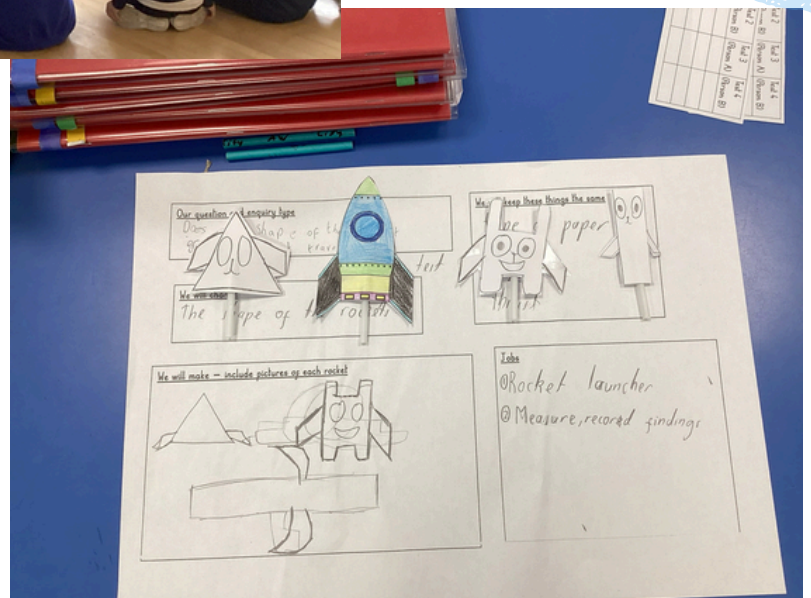
One of the highlights of the trip was the Sabrina River Severn boat trip. During the journey, the children learned all about the rich history of Shrewsbury, including fascinating facts about the River Severn and the important role it has played in the town over time. They were particularly interested in learning the names of the many bridges that span the river and how they have changed throughout history. It was an engaging and memorable way to bring their learning to life.

We were also delighted that Nala, our school dog, joined us for the day! She had a wonderful time exploring alongside the children, enjoying plenty of walks and enthusiastically playing ball. Nala especially loved the attention from the children and was a perfect companion throughout the trip. Overall, it was a truly enjoyable and enriching experience for all involved. The children represented the school beautifully with their excellent behaviour, curiosity and enthusiasm. We are very proud of them and hope they will remember this special day in Shrewsbury for years to come.

Science Day Takes Off!

On Tuesday, the whole school enjoyed an exciting Science Day packed with hands-on investigations and STEM challenges. The day began with a brilliant rocket-launching assembly, where pupils were introduced to the vocabulary: thrust, air resistance, aerodynamics and gravity. Throughout the morning, they then investigated what made a rocket fly the furthest. Children experimented with the materials they used, the shape of the rocket and the weight of the rocket. In the afternoon, pupils took part in a lively STEM tower challenge. Working in teams, they were given only paper and tape and tasked with building the tallest tower possible that could hold a glue stick at the top. The room was full of creativity, problem-solving and lots of laughter as children tested, rebuilt and improved their designs.

Science Day was a fantastic celebration of curiosity, teamwork and imagination. We were incredibly proud of how confidently the children investigated, experimented and shared their ideas.



SEN & Transition



COFFEE MORNING for Parents & Carers!



at Wrockwardine Wood CE Junior School.

Tuesday, June 2nd



8:45am - Look through your child's books
in the Hall



Followed by
Tea, Coffee & Biscuits!



Talks & Support from:



Our Mental Health
Practitioner

Discussing Worries & Anxieties



PODS
& Family Hubs

Information & Advice



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AGE RESTRICTIONS

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Instagram	Twitter	17+	18+
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