

# Dear Parents/Carers

We demonstrate our Values of *Trust, Respect, Honesty, Kindness, Friendship and Generosity* at Prees C.E. Primary School and Nursery in all that we strive to achieve each day.

# PREES SCHOOL NEWS

Monday 1st July	PE - Year 2, Year 1, Year 5 and Reception Year 6 Transition Day to SJT or Thomas Adams
Tuesday 2nd July	Whole School Move Up Day PE - Nursery Year 6 Transition Day to SJT or Thomas Adams
Wednesday 3rd July	PE - Year 4, Year 2 and Year 3 Year 6 Transition Day to SJT
Thursday 4th July	PE - Reception, Year 1, Year 4 and Year 5 Outdoor Learning Nursery Class
Friday 5th July	PE - Year 3 and Year 6 Outdoor Learning Year 1

*Please can children come to school in their PE kit on PE days and bring a spare pair of socks to change into as the grass can be wet. Can children come to school in Outdoor Learning clothes (a long sleeved top, long trousers, wellies and a waterproof coat).*

**\*\* Year 6 Children are to come to school in their School uniform and bring their PE kit with them on the days they have PE \*\***

**Please note that there is a change of PE sessions this week due to move up day.**

### Dates for your Diary

Monday 1st—Tuesday 2nd July	Year 6 transition days at Thomas Adams
Monday 1st—Wednesday 3rd July	Year 6 Transition days at Sir John Talbots
Tuesday 2nd July	Whole School Move Up Day
w/b 8th July	Olympic Week
Thursday 11th July	Year 6 Leavers' Service at St Chads Church, 2pm Disco - KS1: 6pm - 7pm ; KS2: 7.15pm - 8.30pm
Monday 15th—Wednesday 17th July	Year 6 Residential visit
Thursday 18th July	Break up for Summer holidays

### Holiday Club



Holiday Club will once again be running during the Summer Holidays. Bookings should be made on sQuid.

Parents/Carers using the Childcare Scheme/Vouchers should book by emailing [knight.j@prees.shropshire.sch.uk](mailto:knight.j@prees.shropshire.sch.uk)

The club will be running on the following dates from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. at a cost of £12 per day.

Friday 19th July

Monday 22nd July—Thursday 25th July

Monday 29th July —Thursday 1st August



## Shropshire Family Information Service

Cycling is a great way to keep active and boost your wellbeing. Why not plan a bike ride with the family, Shropshire has some great family friendly cycle routes, check them out here: <https://orlo.uk/FufJf>

You can find more inspiration and a list of all things cycling on our Family Information Directory <https://orlo.uk/nkm7E>



## Do your children eat little — no veg?



Does getting them to try new veg feel like a never-ending battle? Simply Veg have a brand new FREE course to guide you through 7 simple steps to helping your child eat one more veg by the end.

Sign up here:

<https://www.simplyveglearning.org.uk/>

## Things to Do and Places to Go during the School Holidays

There's another school holiday just round the corner, and we know how some families can find the holidays a challenge with the juggle of work and keeping the children entertained.

If parent carers are looking for things to do and places to go, then the Shropshire Family Information Service Directory is the place to visit for fun during the school holidays.

Hold Ctrl and Click on the links below for more information:

There's also the [Actio activity offer](#) for those children and young people who are registered for [All In Programme](#) and Autism West Midlands have events for teens and the whole family, you can find out more about and book on [Autism West Midlands events page](#).

## Contact Telephone Number

If you need to contact Breakfast Club or Wrap Around Club outside school hours please ring:

01948 800307



## **\*\* [School Transport](#) \*\***

Your child may be eligible for school transport if they are in Reception Class to Year 6 and fulfil certain criteria. Applications can be submitted online at:

<https://www.shropshire.gov.uk/school-transport/available-support/>

Scroll down and click on Primary.

## School Meals

Hot school meals are available daily at a cost of £2.35 (£1.65 for Nursery children) and payable via sQuid.

Children in Reception Class, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to universal free school meals.

*Your child may be entitled to free school meals if you are in receipt of certain benefits.*

*Please visit the site below to check if you are eligible to apply.*

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>

Thank you.

## St Chad's Church

**Would your children like to attend church sometimes? Would you like to bring your children to church but worry that they are expected to sit still and listen?**

Why not try the **special family service** at St Chad's Church

on the third Sunday of the month at 10.50am?

Come and get involved with a craft activity and coffee/ chat time then the service begins at 11.00am. The service often involves young people, if they wish, and is more interactive, shorter and no one minds if a young person wants to return to their craft or speaks or wriggles! This service builds on successful Crib and Baptism services and the congregation are happy to see young people involved. Why not come along?

The next **Family worship** service is on Sunday **21<sup>st</sup> July** at 10.50am.

We look forward to welcoming you!

### Stay, Play and Chat

Prees C.E. Primary School & Nursery  
every Wednesday

9.00am - 10.30am (during term time)

Children from 0-5 years, parents, carers, grandparents, friends, we look forward to you joining us on a Wednesday in our school hall.

Sessions are free.

### Starting Nursery in September

If your child will have had their 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday by the 31<sup>st</sup> August they can join Nursery in September 2024.

Please contact the office if you require a registration form.

Thank you.

### Shropshire Larder - a resource for people in Shropshire

The Shropshire Larder is a community information resource, bringing together the support available in Shropshire for people on low incomes.

Take a look at their website for further information on the following:

- How to access emergency food
- Where to access low cost or free food in Shropshire
- Advice on eating well on a budget
- Where to get local help with money issues



<https://www.shropshirelarder.org.uk/>

### Parenting Helpline

Parenthood can be extremely rewarding and enjoyable. It can also be demanding, frustrating and exhausting. Shropshire Council's Parenting Team is here to support parents and carers to raise healthy, well-rounded children in a loving and stable environment.

Do you have any questions around child development and parenting?

Why not call our Parenting Helpline where one of our trained Parenting Practitioners will be ready to listen? Call 01743 250950 - Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9am to 12.30pm.

If you would like to find out about other services the Parenting Team offers please email: [Parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk](mailto:Parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk)

If you are concerned about someone's safety

In an emergency dial 999, but for other calls to the police please ring 101. To report a safeguarding concern by phone ring the **First Point of Contact team** on 0345 678 9044

Monday to Thursday 9am to 5pm, and Friday 9am to 4pm.

If you have urgent adult safeguarding concerns outside of these hours, please phone the **Emergency Social Work Duty Team** on 0345 678 9040.

### Parking around the Cenotaph

Out of courtesy to our neighbours, can we ask that you do not block or park in front of gateways around the Cenotaph, the residents require access to and from their properties at all times please. We appreciate that parking is difficult around our school but there is a car park half way up Church Street behind the Baptist Church. Thank you.

