

# 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 24th March	PE - Year 3, Year 5 and Year 6
Tuesday 25th March	PE - Nursery, Reception and Year 1
Wednesday 26th March	PE - Year 2, Year 5 and Year 6 Stay, Play and Chat 9am - 10.30am in the Hall
Thursday 27th March	PE - Year 1 and Year 2, Year 3 and Year 4 Outdoor Learning Nursery and Reception Class
Friday 28th March	PE - Reception and Year 4 Outdoor Learning Year 1 and Year 2

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) on Outdoor Learning days. Thank you.

## Holiday Club

Holiday club will run again during the Easter holidays on Monday 14th, Tuesday 15th, Wednesday 16th and Thursday 17th April and Tuesday 22nd, Wednesday 23rd and Thursday 24th April for children aged 3 - 11 years.

Cost £12 per day from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m.

Children will need to bring a packed lunch and a water bottle.

Bookings should be made available on ParentPay. Parents/Carers using the Childcare Scheme/ Vouchers should book by emailing knight.j@prees.shropshire.sch.uk



Thank you for your kind donations for Comic Relief.

Your raised an amazing

**\*\* £152.22 \*\***

Join the Class of 2025!

Junior Bake Off

...is looking for brilliant bakers, ages

9 - 15 for the next new and exciting series!

Applications close Sunday 23rd March

[applyforjuniorbakeoff.co.uk](http://applyforjuniorbakeoff.co.uk)



### Dates for your Diary

Saturday 22nd March	Clive Cross Country
Wednesday 26th March	Play, Stay and Chat 9am - 10.30am (in the hall)
Wednesday 2nd April	Early Help Coffee and Chat 12noon - 3pm Everyone welcome
Monday 7th April	Play, Stay and Chat 9am - 10.30am (in the hall) Easter Journey Day Easter Service at St Chad's Church at 2pm
Friday 11th April	Break up for Easter holidays
Monday 14th - Thursday 17th April and Tuesday 22nd April - Thursday 24th April	Holiday Club
Monday 28th April	Children return to school
Monday 5th May	Bank Holiday - children not in school
Tuesday 6th May	Children return to school

### 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 our **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.

### Facebook

Our school has a Facebook account - Prees CE Primary School and Nursery.  
We use the account to share some of the amazing things that the children undertake in school.  
Thank you.

### Child Absence

Please telephone school (01948 840209) by 9.00am if your child is unwell and will not be attending that day. If leaving a message, can you please provide the exact reason why your child is absent. If we have not heard from you by 9.15am we will telephone you and follow-up with a text message. If we have still not heard from you by 10.30am we will telephone and text again as this is then a safeguarding concern.

We shall also be contacting parents of Nursery children who do not attend, for whatever reason, on days that we are expecting them. This is a health and wellbeing safeguarding check.

Thank you for your support.

### MESSAGING

Most communications are sent by email via sQuid. Please make sure that we have the most up to date contact information for you. Please let us know of any changes to your key details.

As a matter of routine, any injury above the neck means that a text is sent home as well as the 'bump note'. All other minor accidents will be recorded and a note sent home with your child. If anything is considered more serious than a minor injury we will always telephone you. Thank you.

### **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.

Any queries please contact Mrs Powell.  
Thank you.

### **Free School Meals**

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

Children in Nursery to Year 6  
may be eligible

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

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

### 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/>



### Worrying About Money

Worrying about Money? Please use the link below to find guidance and advice regarding money worries that may be affecting you and your family:

<https://www.worryingaboutmoney.co.uk/shropshire>