

Dear Parents and 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.

Monday 15th June	PE - Year 3, Year 4 and Year 6 Whixall Moss visit - Year 5
Tuesday 16th June	PE - Nursery, Reception and Year 1 Swimming - Year 6
Wednesday 17th June	Taster Day at Thomas Adams School - Year 5 Play, Stay and Chat in the hall 9am - 10.30am PE - Year 2 and Year 3 Outdoor Learning - Nursery
Thursday 18th June	Swimming - Reception and Year 1 PE - Year 2 and Year 4
Friday 19th June	Educational Visit to Shrewsbury - Year 3 and Year 4 PE - Year 5 and 6 Outdoor Learning - Year 1

Can children please come to school in their PE kit on the days they have PE. Thank you.

PREES SCHOOL NEWS



Sports Day

We have rearranged our Sports Day for Thursday 2nd July—weather permitting.

Please see details below.

KS1 children's sports begin at 9.30am - 11.30am

Lunch at 11.45am - 12.25pm

KS2 children's sports begin at 12.30pm - 3pm.

Menu for Sports Day

Sausage or vegetarian sausage and chips, with a rocket lolly.

Parents and carers are welcome to purchase a lunch from school on the day (you do not need to pre-order) at a cost of £3.50 or bring a picnic lunch.

Friends of Prees School will kindly be selling refreshments during Sports Day.

You are welcome to bring your own chairs/mats.

We kindly remind parents, carers and visitors that smoking and alcohol are not permitted on the school grounds during Sports Day. To protect the privacy and safety of all children, please refrain from taking photographs or videos during the races.

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.

Dates for your Diary

Monday 15th June	Year 5 - Educational visit to Whixall Moss.
Wednesday 17th June	Play, Stay and Chat 9am—10.30am in the hall Year 5 - Thomas Adams Taster Day Year 3 - Reading the Game
Friday 19th June	Year 3 and Year 4 visit to Shrewsbury
Monday 22nd June	Year 6—Sailing
Wednesday 24th June	Play, Stay and Chat 9am—10.30am in the hall SEND - Coffee and Chat Year 3 - Reading the Game
Thursday 25th June	Careers' Fair – Year 6 Careers' Day for all other classes
Friday 26th June	Summer Fair — after school
Monday 29th June	Move Up Day for all classes in school
Wednesday 1st July	Year 3 - Reading the Game Play, Stay and Chat 9am—10.30am in the hall
Thursday 2nd July	Sports' Day
Wednesday 15th July	Leavers' Service for families of children in Year 6 at 2 p.m. at St Chad's Play, Stay and Chat 9am—10.30am in the hall
Friday 17th July	Year 6 - visit to the Houses of Parliament
Monday 20th—	
Wednesday 22nd July	Year 6 residential visit
Thursday 23rd July	Break up for summer holidays
Friday 24th July— Friday 14th August	Holiday Club

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 becomes 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.

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.

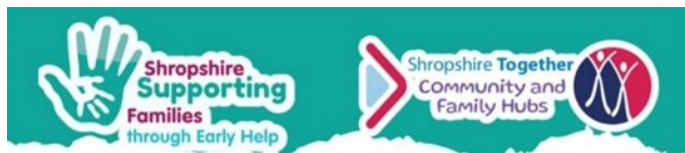
Free School Meals

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>



COFFEE & CHAT Wem



3rd Thursday of each
month

13.00-14.45



Wem Library, 3 High St, Wem, Shrewsbury SY4 5AA

You can get free information, advice and support on all aspects of family life, at our Early Help Family Drop-In. You can chat, have a coffee and see how we can help. We support families with children aged 0-19 years (up to 25 years for young people with special educational needs and disabilities) We aim to make it easier for you to ask for help and get support when you need it.

REFRESHMENTS WILL BE PROVIDED

PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN SEALED CUP/TRAVEL MUG



shropshire.gov.uk/early-help



SHREWSBURY REPAIR CAFE

Your radio doesn't work?
Your jumper has a hole in it?
Your ornament is broken?

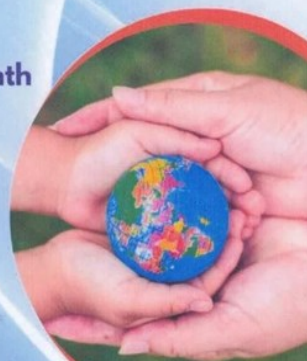


Bring it to the repair cafe
Have it fixed & repaired
Refreshments & cake

Shrewsbury United Reformed Church
Coleham Head

3rd Saturday every month
10am till 2pm

[shrewsrepaircafe](https://www.facebook.com/shrewsrepaircafe)



Repairing the World
One item at a time

Back2basics FAMILY FEST

AUGUST 3RD & 4TH

At Wellness Woodlands, Highley, Shropshire
£99 inc camping
£33 Family day ticket
Ticket inc 1 free Stone Age workshop

2 full days of outdoor fun & wild skills for
all the family

More info & tickets

Workshops in	Wellness
Stone Age	Wood fired
Bushcraft	saunas
Forest School	Yoga
Nature Crafts	Breath work
Graffiti	Demos, talks &
Singing	loads more

Wood fired pizzas
Evening BBQ
Bar
Live music

For more info
email: info@outback2basics.co.uk

TICKETS AVAILABLE NOW!

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BUILD CHALLENGES

ACTIVITIES FOR ALL AGES

CHARITY TOMBOLA

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20TH JUNE

WREXHAM UNIVERSITY SPORTS CENTRE

MORE LEGO THAN YOU CAN DREAM OF

WREXHAM BRICK FESTIVAL

SHREWSBURY
FOOD FESTIVAL

West Midlands Tourism Award Winners
'Festival of the Year' 2024, 2025, 2026

27 & 28 JUNE 2026

THE QUARRY PARK SHREWSBURY

It's way more than a food festival, it's a **great day out for all** with...

- Chef demos
- 2 stages of live entertainment
- 180 food, drink & homeware stalls
- Street food & bars
- Free kids activities
- Field to fork area
- Teach and Taste stage
- ...plus much more!

Championing local, quality producers and performers.

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BUY TICKETS

shrewsburyfoodfestival.co.uk

MEMORIAL STAIR CLIMB 2026

In memory of the 343 firefighters who made the ultimate sacrifice on September 11th 2001, FF Bradbury is taking on the challenge of climbing 110 floors (the height of the world trade centre) in full fire kit in Atlanta, USA



TO FIND OUT MORE
OR
TO DONATE SCAN BELOW

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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>

Leaflets are also available from:
<https://www.foodaidnetwork.org.uk/cash-first-leaflets>

Shropshire
family
Information Service

Info, advice and support,
for families in Shropshire

Find us on:



Shropshire Council

Risks of Auto saving

Does your child use the likes of WhatsApp, which may automatically download any image/video that is sent to them to their phone's own camera roll? We would advise switching this feature off.



Children may receive lots of photos/videos, particularly within group chats, that they have not requested. If auto download is allowed, then your child does not have control over what is being saved to their camera roll. Potentially, it may also be content that you would not want your child to have saved. Additionally, from a safeguarding perspective, if everything is automatically downloaded to your child's camera roll, it can become difficult to ascertain the source of the image.

How can I disable this feature?

If your child is using a platform that allows this, then there is usually an option to disable this feature, so your child has control over the images saved to their device. The option to disable will be within the settings of the App, here is how to do this on WhatsApp:

In WhatsApp, go to settings (click on 'You' in the bottom right).

Click on 'Chats'.

Toggle 'Save to Photos' to off.

"Retro – Photos with Friends" App

This is a photo sharing app, and it is rated as 13+ by the App store. The aim of the app is users share their photos with close friends only, like a photo journal. Whilst it is marketed as a safer alternative to other social media apps, you do need to be aware of the following:

Privacy and data access.

It does include group chats so there is still the potential for cyberbullying and peer pressure.

Users may feel safer sharing images as it is with close friends, but content can still be shared with others (through screenshots).

If your child is using this app, make sure you check that privacy settings are set up appropriately.

Storybooks and games from the BookTrust

BookTrust have a whole host of storybooks and games on their website. They have storybooks to read, story time videos to watch and kid's games to play.

<https://www.booktrust.org.uk/how-we-help/have-fun-at-home/storybooks-and-games/>

Omoggle

Omoggle is an online platform that is for adults only. However, you can simply lie and say you are over 18 to access it. The platform joins two strangers together and uses AI to rate their appearances in a "mog battle."

As you are paired up with a stranger and can see and hear them, there are serious safeguarding concerns and young people should not be accessing this site.

Find out more here: <https://www.waynedenner.com/omoggle-parent-guide/>

Would you like to read our Online Safety newsletter in a different language?

You can use the translate tool on our web version:

<https://www.knowsleyclcs.org.uk/june-2026-primary/>