



The Stotty School News 6.12.2024



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Diary dates for the week ahead



Diary Dates for next week	
Monday 9 th December	Private Music Lessons with Mrs Leverett Williams Lunchtime Choir Club Corve Class Momentum Gymnastics Session Gymnastics After School Club 3.15pm to 4.15pm
Tuesday 10 th December	Tag Rugby After School Club FoSPS EGM in the school hall @ 7.30pm
Wednesday 11 th December	Lacon Sports Coach PE for Severn & Rea Class Lego After School Club Handball After School Club
Thursday 12 th December	School Christmas Dinner - Festive non-uniform day - donation to FoSPS for Christmas Raffle Teme and Rea Class Multi Skills Festival at Lacon - within the school day Multi Activities After School Club
Friday 13 th December	Lunchtime computing club
Upcoming Diary Dates	
Wed. 18 th December	Nursery Christmas Stay & Play @ 1.30pm
Thurs. 19 th December	KS1 Christmas Celebration @ 1.30pm
Fri. 20 th December	KS2 Christmas Celebration @ 1.30pm Last day of term

Christmas Dinner - Thursday 12th December



Thursday 12th December: Christmas Dinner Day

This will be a festive non-uniform day - donation of item for FoSPS Christmas raffle.

The menu will be - Turkey / Roast potatoes / Pigs in blanket / Sprouts / Carrots / Stuffing ball / Gravy

or the vegetarian option is Broccoli cheese / Roast potatoes / Quorn sausage / Sprouts / Carrots / Stuffing ball / Gravy

pudding will be cake

These changes will not show on the menus on Arbor - Therefore if you order roast chicken your child/ren will receive Turkey / if you order the baked cauliflower cheese your child/ren will receive broccoli cheese.

(Jacket potatoes / tuna wrap will not be available)

Job Vacancy



We have a vacancy for a 'Teaching Assistant Level 2 and Play Supervisor' at Stottesdon C of E Primary School.

Please find attached advertisement, job description and application form.

Supervision of children at drop off and collection times



Could we remind parents to ensure their child/ren are supervised at all times during collection and drop off at school please.

The Parish Council has received a concern that children are sometimes unattended and they are worried a child could possibly slip through the gate onto the road. We would hate for an accident to occur, so please be vigilant at all times.

Parking




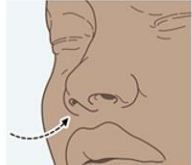

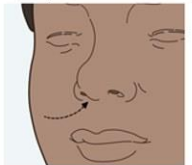
If parking in the bus stop by the school at the end of the school day, could we please ask parents not to park in there for longer than necessary as it is needed for the Secondary school bus for it's drop off.

A parent of a secondary school pupil has raised concerns as the bus driver struggles to find space to drop off in the village and be able to turn around due to vehicles parking there.

Interoception & Communication

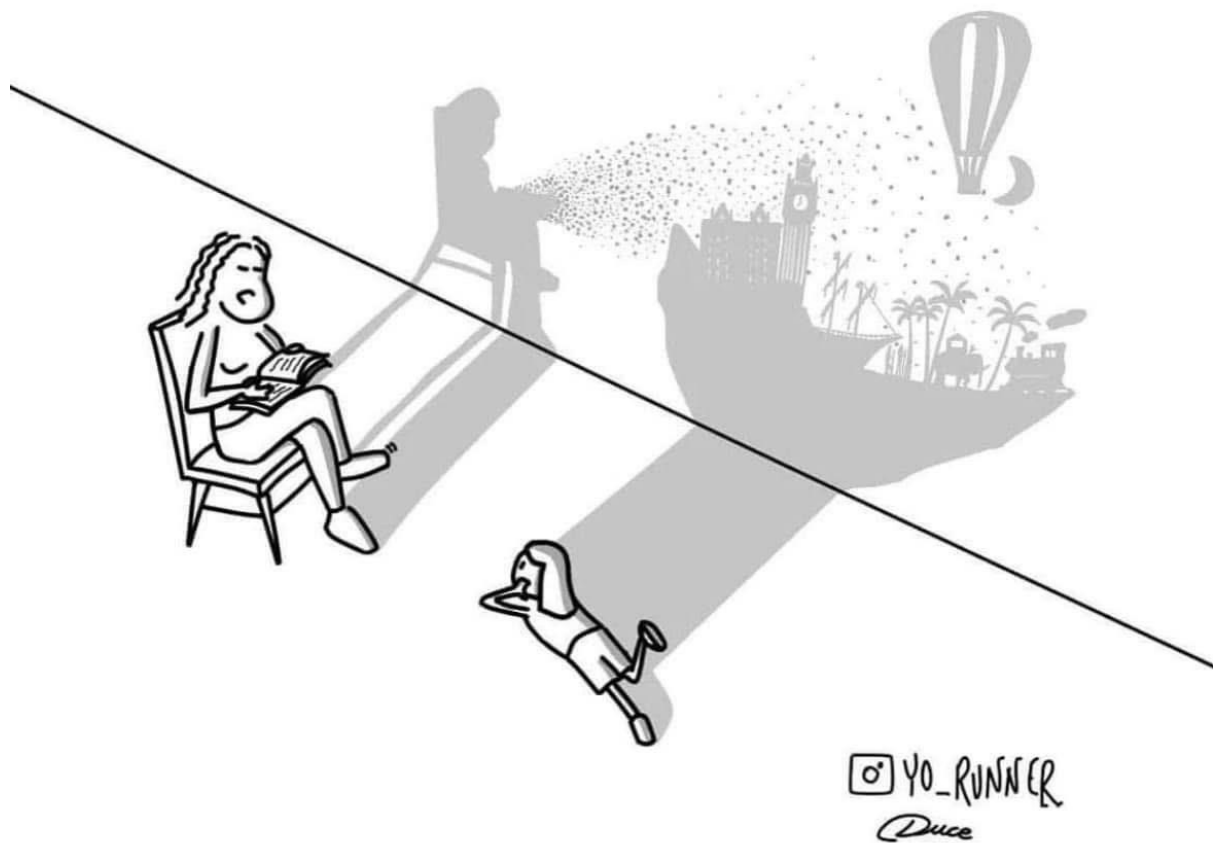


Following on from staff training as part of our PINS project (Partnerships for Inclusion of Neurodiversity in Schools) we have started doing exercises that help children learn to identify internal changes in their own body linked to emotion, temperature, toileting, feelings of hunger/thirst/sickness necessary for self-regulation. This 'reading of our internal signs' is crucial for everyone. Take a look at the exercises below. We are doing 4 a week - can your children tell you about them? Have a go at them at home and develop a language to talk about 'body sensing'. A link to the activities is here (scroll down): : [Interoception Activities](#) twice a day (just 30 seconds of doing and talking)

<p>Activity 9: Feeling temperature- *complete on a day when the temperature outside is different to inside.</p> 	<p>Activity 10: Deep Breathing</p> 	<p>Activity 11: Belly Breathing *large space needed Hall / PE</p> 	<p>Activity 12: Focus Breathing</p> 
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Celebrating Reading





Reading

Reading with children is one of the most powerful gift parents can give. The development of language, creativity and cultural understanding from reading, discussing and sharing is HUGE so if you are giving this gift thank you for helping to keep this powerful, essential activity 'alive'. Reading is also very powerful as it reducing stress (for the child and the adult!).

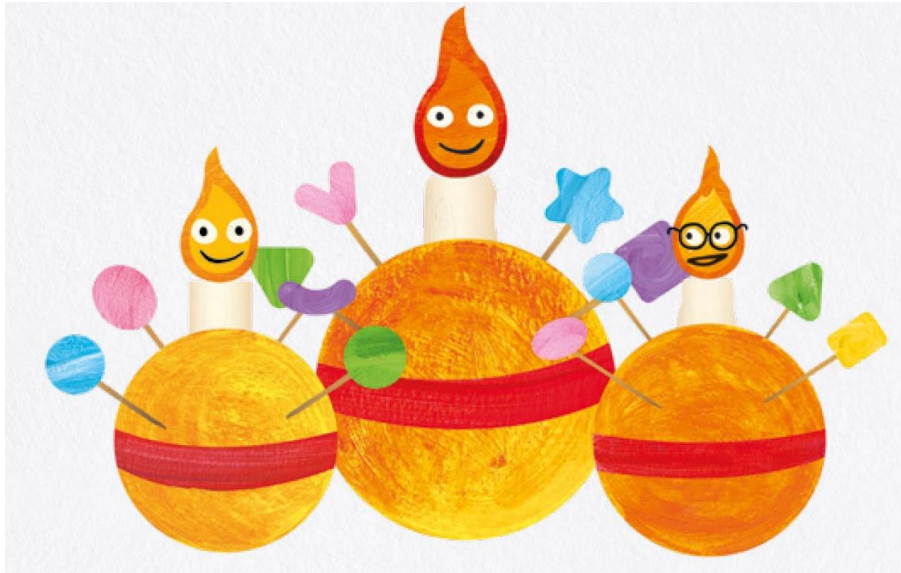
Teme: 85%

Rea: 87%

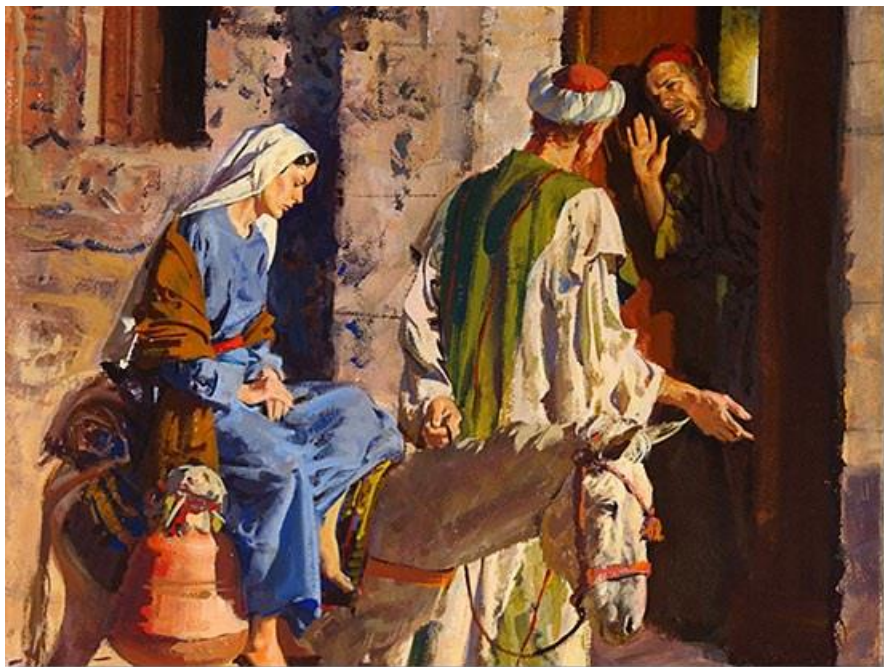
Corve: 79%

Severn: 90%

Our Worship / Reflections this week:



Tuesday: Corve class helped us think about the Christingle: its meaning, symbolism and where the tradition started (Bishop in Germany).



Wednesday: Open the book bought us the story of Mary and Joseph travelling to Bethlehem and it being so busy they struggled to find somewhere to stay.



Thursday: Phase assembly focused on the season of advent (the four weeks leading up to Christmas and the arrival of Jesus).

School Governor

Please find below an introduction to our recently appointed Governor, Mrs Sarah Home.



Sarah is a director of Willowdene Rehabilitation, a local rehabilitation service providing specialist interventions across the criminal justice and health sectors.

She previously worked as a secondary science teacher before taking a role developing training opportunities at Willowdene. Sarah is passionate about the value of education and lifelong learning.

Sarah has a background in medical research and trained as a secondary science teacher. She joined Willowdene in 2005, providing numeracy and literacy training to adults at risk.

Sarah is responsible for managing 40 members of staff and working with a number of agencies to achieve the best outcomes for the most at risk in our society. Safeguarding children and adults is a priority within her work whilst promoting physical, mental and emotional wellbeing.

Sarah has four children and has enjoyed seeing three of her children flourish during their time at Stottesdon.

WhatsApp

Please find below a guide for parents and carers regarding WhatsApp

The infographic is titled "WhatsApp A Guide for Parents & Carers" and is presented as a social media post from "sillyschooleducation". It features a green background with white text boxes and icons. At the top right, it shows an "Age Rating 13+" icon. The main content is organized into several sections: "Privacy", "Messaging", "Contacts", "Group Chats", "Location", and "Check". Each section contains specific advice for parents and carers. At the bottom, there is a general tip about encouraging children to report any online discomfort. The infographic is branded with "Silly School Education" and "Silly School Education" logos.

WhatsApp
A Guide for Parents & Carers

WhatsApp is a free messenger app. It uses the internet to send messages, images, documents, audio or video. The app offers end-to-end encryption, which means that all messages can only be read by the sender and the recipient.

Age Rating 13+

Privacy
Show your child how to adjust their privacy settings, such as hiding their profile photo, last seen status and about info. Set them to either of the following:
• My Contacts: available to contacts from their address book only
• Nobody: not available to anyone
Talk to them about not sharing their personal details online.

Messaging
Encourage your child to think about these things before they message:
• Is it kind?
• Is it true?
• Would your parents/guardians approve?
• Would you say it to their face?
• Have you asked permission to post photos?
• Have you used your online manners?
• You don't have to join in!

Contacts
Make your child understand that they should only connect with friends, family, or trusted individuals.
Teach them not to accept messages from unknown contacts.
Go over with your child how to add, block and report contacts.

Group Chats
If a child is added into a Group Chat, it may include people they don't know. This can put them at risk of being contacted by a stranger.
Go to Settings -> Privacy -> Groups. Select specific contacts that can add your child into groups.
Encourage your child to only join a group with people they know and trust.

Location
WhatsApp allows users to share their location with others.
If this feature is enabled, it could potentially let others track your child's location or discover their home address.
Speak to your child about keeping this feature disabled.

Check
Check in with your child regularly to review their phone settings.
Have an open dialogue about their WhatsApp usage and how often they are using the messaging app.
Encourage them to share what they're experiencing and periodically check that they are staying safe and happy online.

Encourage your child to come to you if ANYTHING online makes them feel uncomfortable, upset or worried.

Silly School Education

Winter HAF (Holiday & Food) Programme 2024



HAF
Holiday Activities and Food

**Winter Holiday Fun and Food in Shropshire
Book Now!**

Over the Winter holidays, HAF eligible children and young people aged 4 (reception class) to 18, are invited to attend free clubs happening across the county.

Food and drink will be provided at all the clubs.

A unique code and information about how to book a free place at a holiday club/s will be provided from school.

"Safe, enjoyable, fun and great to have somewhere for children to be." Parent.

Many holiday clubs have paid spaces available for those not eligible for HAF. Find out more:

Web: www.shropshire.gov.uk/haf
Email: HAF.programme@shropshire.gov.uk

The poster features a collage of children engaged in various activities: a girl kicking a soccer ball, a boy jumping, a girl holding a ball, and a boy holding a green vegetable. A girl in the foreground is holding a red Santa hat with a white pom-pom. The background is a light blue and purple gradient.

Bookings for the Winter / Christmas HAF programme are now open.

Please see attached booklet for more information regarding available activities and booking information.

SGN Christmas Holiday Club



SGN Christmas Holiday Club will be available on the following dates:

Monday 23rd December - 8am to 5.30pm - Baking mince pies

Monday 30th December - 8am to 5.30pm - Bike and scooter

Tuesday 31st December - 8am to 5.30pm - Tye Dye

Monday 6th January - 8am to 5.30pm - Baking cakes

Sessions are available to book via Arbor as per the attached booking form (this form only needs to be filled in for children who do not attend Stottesdon Gateway Nursery or Stottesdon CofE Primary School).

Please be aware that if there is not sufficient uptake to make the service viable, we may need to reduce opening - we will keep you informed should this be the case.


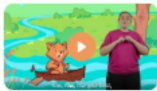

EYFS (Nursery and Reception) News

Nursery News 06.12.2024

Autumn 2 Term: Transport This week, the nursery children have learnt about transport that travels through the air. This week, we introduced listening for and saying the sound 'i'	
Talk 4 Writing Text:  The Train Ride	Nursery Rhyme of the Week:  Row, Row, Row Your Boat <small>https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/^[1]</small>
Nursery Christmas Stay and Play Wednesday 18th December 2024 1:30pm School Hall Come along for a festive afternoon of singing and christmas crafts... and maybe Father Christmas might pop in to say Hello.	

1 - [1] <https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/>

Reception News 06.12.2024

Autumn 2 Term: Transport	
<p>This week, the reception children learnt about mixing blue and red (primary colours) together to make purple and learnt about transport that travels through the air. We have been using our observational skills to notice what is the similar or different with transport from the past and present.</p>	
<p>Talk for Writing:</p>  <p>Naughty Bus</p>	<p>Nursery Rhyme of the Week:</p>  <p>Row, Row, Row Your Boat</p> <p>https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/31</p>
<p>This week's phonics: Review Week</p>  <p>Tricky Words: we me be she the</p>	

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Reception Class Vision Screening

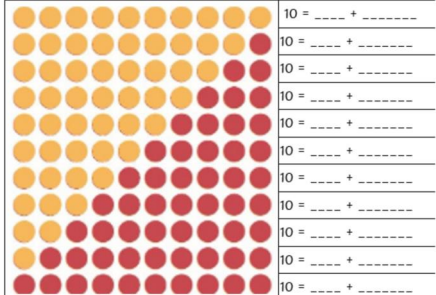


On Thursday 18th December the school Orthoptist will carry out a routine eye test on children who are in Reception Class.

If you agree to your child being screened you do not need to take any action.

If you wish to 'opt out' please complete the attached form and return it to the school office as soon as possible please.

Rea Class

Rea Phonics	
<p>This week, year one have been reviewing sounds and words learnt so far this term. In year 2 we have been revising our Bridge to Spelling rules.</p>	
Homework	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading Homework is to listen to your child read at least four times over the week. • Practise your play lines for the Twinkly Nativity. • Numbots or times tables rock stars for 15 minutes throughout the week. 	
Maths	
<p>In maths this week, we have been:</p>	
<p>Year one – Mastering Number</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recapping bonds to 7. 	
<p>Year two – Mastering number</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Doubling numbers from 6 to 10, considering the double five hiding inside.. 	
<p>Main maths lesson. We have been relating addition and subtraction representations.</p>	
Year 1	Year 2
<p>Particular focus on bonds to 10</p>	<p>Particular focus on bonds to 10 and their related facts.</p>
	<p>If 8 + 2 = 10 Then 80 + 20 = 100</p>

Shropshire Fire & Rescue visit



On Monday this week Teme and Corve class welcomed Scott Guilbert, an on-call Firefighter from Ludlow Fire Station.

Corve class are doing a non chronological report on the Fire and Rescue service following his visit.

Board Games



Do any of you have any unwanted complete board games that you would be willing to donate to the school?

We are thinking of running a board games after school club next half term, it would be good to have a bigger selection of games for the children to choose from.

We would welcome any unwanted games if you want to clear out space in a cupboard.

Shropshire SEND




Please take a look at [Shropshire's SEND Newsletter \(Issue 31 - November 2024\)](#) which is co-produced by Shropshire Council, Shropshire Integrated Care Board and PACC. The newsletter aims to provide easy access to key information for SEND families, as well as an opportunity for parent carers to hear from each other about their experiences.

Shropshire SEND Local Offer.


The [Shropshire SEND Local Offer](#) is a single place for information, services, and resources for children and young people aged 0-25 with special educational needs and / or disabilities, their families, and the practitioners who support them. It's been designed with a family's needs at the heart of the process.

Parenting Signposts

Understanding Your Child Groups - Autumn 2024



- Would you like to know more about your child's development?
- Do you need help and support to understand your child's behaviour?
- Would you like a chance to meet with other parents and carers with children of a similar age?



UNDERSTANDING YOUR CHILD GROUPS

From Toddler to Teen

Understanding Your Child SEND starts on Monday 30th September 2024
from 9.15am to 11.15am Virtually via MS Teams

Understanding Your Child starts on Monday 30th September 2024
from 3.00pm to 5.00pm at Mardol Hub, Shrewsbury, SY1 1PR


Understanding Your Child SEND starts on Wednesday 2nd October 2024
from 9.15am to 11.15 at Louise House, Shrewsbury, SY3 9JN

Understanding Your Child starts on Wednesday 2nd October 2024
from 12.45pm to 2.45pm Virtually via MS Teams


Understanding Your Child starts on Thursday 3rd October 2024
from 9.15am to 11.15am at Wilfred Owen School, Shrewsbury, SY2 5SH

The groups are delivered Virtually via MS Teams or Face to Face at a venue in Shropshire.
All our groups run for 10 weeks from the start date excluding the School Holidays
SEND groups are for parents/carers of children who might have special educational needs and disabilities, no formal diagnosis is needed to attend the groups.


To book a place on one of our groups or for further information on the groups we run please contact the Parenting Team by: Emailing: Parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk or call us on telephone: 01743 250950
All our groups are free to Shropshire Council residents.



www.shropshire.gov.uk

 Shropshire Council

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 SOLIHULL APPROACH

UNDERSTANDING YOUR CHILD GROUPS
From Toddler to Teen

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Understanding Your Child starts on Monday 30th September 2024 From 1.00pm to 3.00pm at St Lawrence Primary School, Church Stretton, SY6 6EX

Understanding Your Child starts on Wednesday 2nd October 2024 from 1.00pm to 3.00pm at Ludlow Infants School, Ludlow, SY8 1HG


Understanding Your Child starts on Wednesday 2nd October 2024 from 12.45pm to 2.45pm Virtually via MS Teams

Understanding Your Child starts on Friday 3rd October 2024 from 1.15pm to 3.15pm at Christchurch Primary School, Cressage SY5 6DH

The groups are delivered Virtually via MS Teams or Face to Face at a venue in Shropshire. All our groups run for 10 weeks from the start date excluding the School Holidays

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Sleep Tight Work Shops

Does your child struggle with their Sleep?

Free Sleep Tight Groups

Join us on one of our virtual or face-to-face groups which run for 5 weeks and:

- Find out why sleep is important for our health and emotional wellbeing
- Get support to help improve sleep and bedtime routines
- Meet other parents/carers to share and discuss experiences

Our next groups start:

Sleep Tight SEND Thursday 16th January 2025 from 9.30am to 11.30am

at Keystone Academy, Shrewsbury, SY3 8XQ

Sleep Tight Wednesday 22nd January 2025 from 12.45pm to 2.45pm

at Crowmoor Primary School, Shrewsbury, SY2 5JJ

Sleep Tight SEND Wednesday 5th March 2025 from 12.45pm to 2.45pm

Virtually Via MS Teams

Sleep Tight Thursday 6th March 2025 from 9.15am to 11.15am

Virtually via MS Teams

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Find out more here





 Shropshire Supporting Families through Early Help

 Shropshire Council

Parenting Help & Support Line

Shropshire Parenting Help and Support Line

01743 250950

Mon - Thurs, 9.30am - 4.30pm
Fri, 9.30am - 3.30pm

No judgment, just support.



Shropshire Family Information Service

 Hello from the **Family Information Service** (FIS for short). Our job is to give you the info and resources you need to help your family life run a little smoother. We can help with:

- Childcare - finding it and advice on paying for it
- Local baby and toddler groups
- Events, clubs, activities, and fun things to do in the school holidays, for all ages
- Getting parenting and family support
- Finding health and wellbeing support

We cover everything and anything to do with family life, so if you have a question, chances are we'll be able to help, or if we can't, we'll point you in the direction of someone who can.

Follow us on social media for all the latest news and info.

 @ShropshireFamilyInfo
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www.shropshire.gov.uk/fis

What is Shropshire Family Information Service:

The Shropshire Family Information Service (FIS) is a brilliant universal service. The FIS brings together loads of useful, local information for families, to help take the stress out of things like finding:

- Childcare or baby and toddler groups
- Holiday clubs, events and things to do as a family
- Parenting, relationships, and emotional health and wellbeing support
- Cost of Living info and advice

FIS use our social media channels to bring families news, events and handy information, which links through to our [Family Information Directory](#). Families are welcome to contact us directly for help with anything to do with family life. We have created a brand new short video to explain who we are and what we do. You can view it here on YouTube https://youtu.be/7t1jBqJJI8?si=LeOiNag8_LeSPzX0

What we would love you to do:

1. Follow us on social media. We use social media as a key tool for reaching parents and professionals, so give us a follow and we will follow you back.

[Family Info Service Facebook](#)

[Family Info Service Instagram](#)

[Family Info Service Twitter](#)

2. Subscribe to our newsletter <https://orlo.uk/5RvZN>

Solihull Approach - Understanding Your Child

Please watch the video in the link below - it explains brilliantly how good the parenting courses are:

[otdef_s02_O6b Full ugc2b \(youtube.com\)](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=otdef_s02_O6b)

The advertisement features the NHS logo at the top right. Below it, the text reads 'ONLINE COURSES FOR PARENTS, GRANDPARENTS, CARERS AND TEENS'. A central graphic shows a smartphone displaying the 'inourplace' app interface, with a callout bubble stating 'Enjoy a fresh new look on mobiles'. To the right of the phone, a list of course topics is shown in a vertical stack: '...pregnancy, labour, birth and your baby', '...your baby', '...your child', '...your child with additional needs', '...your teenager's brain', '...your feelings (for teenagers only)', and '...your relationships'. Below this list is a purple speech bubble that says 'and much more!'. At the bottom left, there is a QR code and instructions: 'Do you live in the Shropshire or Telford & Wrekin area? Locally funded. 1. Scan QR or visit www.inourplace.co.uk 2. Enter the Access Code* 3. Begin learning'. An 'Access Code: DARWIN18' is provided in a yellow box. At the bottom right, there is a purple box with a ribbon icon and the text 'PREPAID'. A small note at the bottom center states '*Sign in or registration required'. A language selector is set to 'English' with a note 'more languages available powered by Google Translate'. A speaker icon indicates 'optional voice-over where available'.

Bridgnorth Community Information Drop In Sessions

Family Drop-In

Here to help

Free information, advice and support

You can chat, have a drink and see how we can all help you with:

- Family Life
- Children's health and wellbeing
- Drug and alcohol support
- Housing Support
- Domestic abuse support
- Financial advice
- Home fire safety
- Healthy living advice
- Help with getting back to work

Bridgnorth Youth Centre
45 Innage Lane, Bridgnorth WV16 4HS

Every Tuesday from 1.30pm—4pm



Supporting 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.

Shropshire Council www.shropshire.gov.uk

Shropshire Supporting Families through Early Help

Highley Community Drop In Sessions

Community Drop-ins

How can we help you?

Come along to:
Highley Library, Halo Severn Centre, Bridgnorth Road,
Highley, WV16 6JG

The fourth Friday of each month
9.30am-12.30pm



Free information, advice and support around;

- Housing support
- Getting older
- Family Life
- Domestic Abuse
- Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities (SEND) support
- Parenting support
- Finance support
- Healthy living, and much more!

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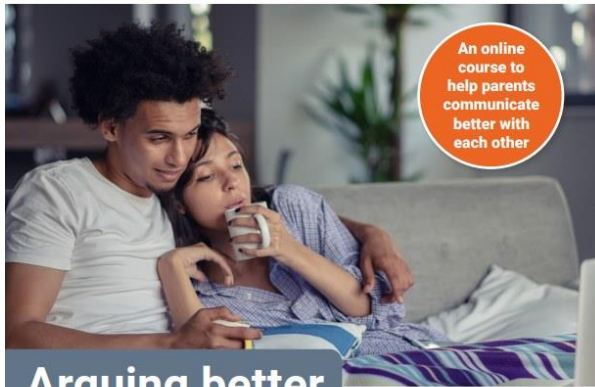


Introducing the Separating better app, a **free** self-guided mobile app for separating parents, designed to facilitate a smoother separation journey and promote positive co-parenting. This app is filled with expert advice, video resources, practical parenting, and budgeting plans, as well as co-parenting tips. It offers an easy-to-follow journey where you can track your progress and unlock app sections as you go.

Find out more and download the mobile app, now:

https://www.oneplusone.org.uk/separating-better?utm_source=referral&utm_medium=social&utm_campaign=sbaffiliate

For face to face support, go to [Getting on better | Shropshire Council](#) and select Free Courses and Workshops.



An online course to help parents communicate better with each other

Arguing better

Disagreements are a normal part of life, and most couples argue from time to time. How you deal with disagreements can make a big difference to you, your partner, and your children.

This free online course can help you learn to manage difficult conversations, avoid conflict, and improve things for your whole family.



Create your free account at www.oneplusone.org.uk/parents or scan the QR code
To access the course, you will need a good internet connection and a smartphone, tablet, or computer.



An online course for separating parents to help manage conflict and minimise the impact on children

Getting it right for children


When separated parents argue, it's common for children to feel like they are caught in the middle. This free online course is designed to help separated parents communicate better with each other and parent co-operatively after parting.

You will learn positive communication skills like staying calm, seeing things differently, and speaking for yourself so that you can sort out disagreements with your child's other parent and find solutions together. You can do the course on your own, at your own pace.



Create your free account at www.oneplusone.org.uk/parents or scan the QR code
To access the course, you will need a good internet connection and a smartphone, tablet, or computer.






An online course for new and expectant parents

Me, You and Baby too

Tiredness and stress are common when you're caring for a baby. If parenthood is leading to more arguments between you and your partner, this free online course could help.

With tips and advice on how to talk about difficult topics, share stress, and prevent arguments, this short course will help you and your partner navigate challenging times together.



Create your free account at www.oneplusone.org.uk/parents or scan the QR code
To access the course, you will need a good internet connection and a smartphone, tablet, or computer.

Health Visiting Information

Every family with children under 5 has access to a health visitor.

Families can access advice and support up until the age of 5 years old by calling **The Single Point of Access on 0333 358 3654**.

If parents don't want to talk to someone, they can send a text and one of the team will get back to them on **07520 635212**

This is a Monday to Friday service 09:30am until 4pm where a Health Visitor is on the line to offer the appropriate advice and support and referrals can be made to the appropriate practitioner.

If parents need extra support or support for potty training, behaviour, sleep, eating we have two Healthy Child practitioner who they can be referred to who will come out to their home or to a clinic to support the family with these issues.

This referral can be completed through the single point of access and sent to the appropriate team.

If it is specialised targeted work the family will be seen by a Health visitor for example low mood or complex development issues, safeguarding or specialised referrals.

All children are seen universally at one years and at two years and they are offered a full health growth and development review via a letter with an appointment.

These are now completed at Cleobury Mortimer Health Centre, Ludlow or Bridgnorth depending on where they live.

Celebrating Children's Achievements



The children representing all the hard work and positive attitudes in our school this week.



Numbots:

Rea: **Harriet Foster**



Times Tables Rock Stars:

Corve: **Lucas Kench**

Severn: **Noah Wilson**



Spelling Bee:

Bronze: **Arthur, Florence, Isabella C, Walt, Eva & Kai**



Sports Stars:

Teme: **Kitt and Alfie** for graceful partner movements for snow dance.

Corve: **Rosie & Phoebe** for coaching their partner to improve their netball skills, giving lots of positive encouragement / **William & Lincoln** for their consistent focus and always being ready to listen to the instructions given / **Esther & Isla** for their enthusiasm and determination to practice and improve their performance.

Severn: **Harrison** for tactical play / **Maxwell** for great umpiring / **Jenson Strong** for great marking.



Pride and Presentation: Award for pupil focus on presentation of work across the curriculum.

Teme: **Alfie** for his neat labelling.

Rea: **Ophelia** for her handwriting session work.

Corve: **Esther** for her final copy of her story.

Severn: **Ruby** for her English work.



Great Sentence using words of the week:

Teme: I am sat **between** Bella Evans and Finley. **Bella W**

Rea: The angels sang '**hallelujah**' to the shepherds. **Phoebe R**

Corve: I went to Egypt to see a **pyramid**. **Lucas**

Severn: When I slept in, I was **discombobulated** because I was going to be late for school.

Hollie



Class Achievers:

Teme: **Luke** for his positive behaviour choices.

Rea: **Eva** for focusing on adding detail in her independent writing / **Tara** for her great understanding of subtraction in maths.

Corve: **Leon, Otilie** and **Oliver** for their excellent debugging when doing an 'if and else' algorithm

Severn: **Bella C, Ruby** and **Samuel** for their story writing in English.



Growing Acts of Kindness

Children will be selected each week (up to one per year group) for acts of kindness.

Growing Acts Of Kindness

This is our kindness tree.

It is our symbol to celebrate acts of kindness in our school.

Each week adults will nominate people across the school for acts of kindness.

These acts can be anything from picking up a coat to inviting someone to play your game.

Nominated people will be announced in achievers.

Nominated people will pop their name on a leaf and attach it to our kindness tree.

Help us grow kindness 😊

Help our school be full of kind acts 😊

Thank you to our Chair of Governors for donating our tree.

Reception: **Finley** for his lunch time manners

Year 1: **Halsey** for sharing with others and taking turns well in our school trip.

Year 2: **Ella** for always considering the others around her. Never rushing to be first, never boasting (even when she has done really well) showing great humility - such as lovely kind quality.

Year 3: **Lincoln** for helping Mrs Jones to clear up in the classroom.

Year 4: **Sofia** for helping to pick up the Lego even though she hadn't been playing with it.

Year 5: **Ellie D** for helping Mrs Meredith, who had her hands full, by opening the door for her and offering to help carry some items into school.

Year 6: **Lana** for picking up the paper towels that were on the floor in the corridor.