

NEWSLETTER

What a week it has been! With record-breaking temperatures, we have put a range of measures in place to support everyone during these challenging conditions. Thank you to all of our staff for their care and flexibility, and to you as parents for your understanding and support—it is greatly appreciated. We are hopeful that next week will bring a return to more normal routines as we look forward to celebrating St Peter's Day on Monday and enjoying Sports Day on Friday.

Our Christian Values

"Have you ever had a really bad day?"

"What did you do when things went wrong?"





Thankful Prayer

Dear God,

We know that you love us and always want the best for us.

Help us to look for the things for which we can give thanks.

Amen



This week, as part of our Christian value of thankfulness, we have been thinking about being grateful even when things feel really difficult. We reflected on the story of Paul and Silas, who chose to pray and sing to God despite being in a very challenging situation. Their example reminds us that thankfulness isn't just for the good times—it can help us stay positive, find strength, and support one another even when things are hard.

Bratton's Bright Stars



Bratton's Bright Star Award

Awarded 26.06.26

Class	Pupil (First Name)	Reason why a Bratton Bright Star
Bratton 1 Academic	Faye	For her curiosity and interest in the world around her.
Bratton 1 Citizenship	Lilly P	For being a kind and caring friend.
Bratton 2 Academic	Mason	For being a kind and caring member of Bratton 2.
Bratton 2 Citizenship	Rex	For his amazing contribution to keeping the classroom tidy and safe.
Bratton 3 Academic	Livy	For amazing effort retelling The Storm Whale.
Bratton 3 Citizenship	Jessica	For being an amazing role model and always being kind and considerate to others.
Bratton 4 Academic	Jax	For his amazing retell of The Storm Whale. You exceeded your writing targets!
Bratton 4 Citizenship	Treasure	For always being helpful in class and thinking of ways to support your friends.
Bratton 5 Academic	Olivia	Always producing amazing work. You try so hard in all areas of your learning, and you have made great progress.
Bratton 5 Citizenship	Rian	Always showing kindness to everybody. You are a fantastic role model to others.
Bratton 6 Academic	Mace	For showing dedication in all areas of your learning and extra effort in English writing this week. Well done Mace.
Bratton 6 Citizenship	Jasmine	Being consistently kind to everyone, a wonderful friend and a fantastic all-round role model. Well done Jasmine.
Bratton 7 Academic	Bratton 7	For being incredible authors this week. Everyone has written an amazing retell of George's Marvellous Medicine with fantastic description and handwriting. You should all be incredibly proud of yourselves. Well done Bratton 7!
Bratton 7 Citizenship	Robbie	For always being a caring and funny member of the classroom. Everyday you come into school with a smile and this week you have grown in confidence. You are a great team player and have been a superstar this week. Well done Robbie!



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Class	Pupil (First Name)	Reason why a Bratton Bright Star
Bratton 8 Academic	Evelyn	For producing some amazing writing including all the skills that we have been learning. Evelyn, you have produced some beautifully creative writing that is also extremely accurate. Well done.
Bratton 8 Citizenship	Illia	For always being polite and thoughtful towards adults around school. Illia is always ready to help and patient when he needs to ask or answer a question.
Bratton 9 Academic	Alice	For her exemplary retell skills and being a superb example of a Bratton 9 student.
Bratton 9 Citizenship	Maxwell	For making the right decisions this week and pushing hard in his English comprehension.
Bratton 10 Academic	Toby J	For his excellent effort during English this week, writing a fantastic description of a riverside animal.
Bratton 10 Citizenship	Jacob	For being a patient, kind and caring friend. You are also willing to help your friends and adults in school.
Bratton 11 Academic	Nanditha	For your wonderful artwork. You have used layering effectively.
Bratton 11 Citizenship	Amelia	For demonstrating a nurturing nature towards and making others feel included.
Bratton 12 Academic	Vian	For your eagerness and enthusiasm when learning about the Victorians and workhouses in English this week.
Bratton 12 Citizenship	Leilah	For always having a big smile on your face and being such as positive presence in the classroom.
Bratton 13 Academic	Brody	For his vast improvement in presentation and handwriting in all lesson - your books are looking so much neater.
Bratton 13 Citizenship	Lily	For always being a helping hand to others, around the classroom and around school to other members of staff.
Bratton 14 Academic	George	Making a super effort to 'explode the moment' in writing to produce an excellent piece of work. ↑
Bratton 14 Citizenship	Emily H	Consistently demonstrating our school values by always being ready, respectful and safe and being a super role model for other pupils.

Attendance and Punctuality

26.6.26
Congratulations!

Third Place Bratton 2 97.12%

Second Place Bratton 7 97.41%

First Place **With 97.92%**
 Bratton 12

Congratulations to..
5 classes with 0 LATES

B4 B1 B12

B9 B8

House Points

499 house points! 4th place!	Haughmond! 	Stiperstones! 3rd place 561 house points	
 Caer Caradoc!	2nd place! 613 house points!	1st place! 866 house points!	 Wrekin!

Keeping Our Children Safe – Attendance Reminder



As part of our safeguarding procedures and in line with *Keeping Children Safe in Education*, it is essential that we know where every child is each day.

- If your child is absent, you must call the school every day to report the reason
- Phone lines open from 8:15am
- Absences must be reported by a parent or guardian
- We are unable to accept emails for reporting absence
- This process is part of our legal safeguarding duties, not just school preference

If we do not receive a call, our admin team will need to follow this up by contacting you. This takes valuable time that could otherwise be spent supporting pupils and school operations, so your cooperation is very much appreciated.

Thank you to all families who consistently follow this procedure and support us in keeping every child safe.

Keeping Safe in the Sun

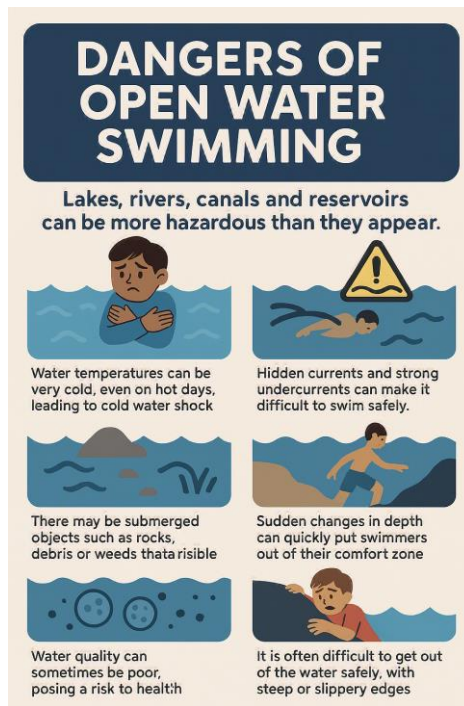


To continue supporting our sun safety approach, we are sharing this reminder of the measures we have in place. While we do not expect temperatures to remain as high, we will continue to take sensible precautions to keep everyone comfortable and safe:

- ✓ Children should continue to wear PE kit to stay cool]
- ✓ Please ensure children bring water bottles and, if helpful, a small fan
- ✓ Reduced gatherings across the school to avoid large groups in warm spaces
- ✓ Planned, regular hydration times for all children throughout the day
- ✓ Shortened outdoor playtimes and limited physical activity where necessary
- ✓ Use of shaded areas when outside
- ✓ Alternative arrangements for outdoor PE if conditions require

Thank you for your continued support in helping us keep all children safe and well.

Dangers of Open Water Swimming



As the weather gets warmer, we would like to remind families about the dangers of open water swimming. We have been talking about this in school to help children understand the risks and how to stay safe around water. Lakes, rivers, canals and reservoirs can be far more hazardous than they may appear.

- Water temperatures can be very cold, even on hot days, leading to cold water shock
- Hidden currents and strong undercurrents can make it difficult to swim safely
- There may be submerged objects such as rocks, debris or weeds that are not visible
- Sudden changes in depth can quickly put swimmers out of their comfort zone
- Water quality can sometimes be poor, posing a risk to health
- It is often difficult to get out of the water safely, with steep or slippery edges

We encourage all families to continue these conversations at home and remind children to only swim in safe, supervised environments.

Baby Congratulations



We are delighted to share the wonderful news that Mrs Haymour is having a baby! This is such an exciting time for her, and we know you will join us in sending our warmest congratulations.

Mrs Haymour is taking extra care, especially in this heat, and we are making sure she is well looked after in school. We look forward to supporting her over the coming months and sharing in this special journey.



Rescheduled Sports Day & Picnic Lunch Friday 3rd July

Key stage 2 Sports morning- start: 9.15am

Reception and Key Stage 1 Sports afternoon- start: 1.15pm

Key Stage 2 children will go back into class at the end of their Sports morning to rehydrate and grab their lunches. If you are staying for lunch or joining us from 12pm, when the field is clear, pick your spot! Picnic blankets and camping chairs are useful!

At 12pm, please could 1 adult joining a child for picnic lunch make their way to the wing door where you would usually collect from at home time. Staff will then dismiss your child to you. At 1pm lunch time staff will ring the big bell. This is the signal for children to line up on the playgrounds where they will be collected by class teachers. Key Stage 1 children will come back outside with their classes to start their Sports afternoon.

Reception, Y1 and Y2- Big playground

Y3 and Y4- Sundial playground

Y5 and Y6- Back playground

Lunchtime staff will be on hand to supervise children not joining visitors for picnic lunch.

We hope you have a fantastic time during Sports day, a lovely picnic with your children and that the weather is kind to us!

Pupils We Are Proud Of



  Shropshire School Champions!  

A huge congratulations to Harry and Jackson, who proudly represented Telford at the Shropshire Primary Schools Swimming Gala.

Swimming against the very best primary school swimmers from across the county in years 5 & 6, Harry and Jackson played an important role in helping Team Telford retain the title of Shropshire County Primary Schools Champions – a fantastic achievement!

Both boys demonstrated outstanding determination, teamwork and sportsmanship throughout the competition, and should be incredibly proud of the way they represented not only Telford, but also St Peter's Bratton Primary School and Wellington Swimming Club.

This success is a testament to the dedication they show in training and the commitment they bring to every competition.

Congratulations, Harry and Jackson, on becoming Shropshire Schools Champions!

Everyone at Wellington Swimming Club is incredibly proud of your achievement and we look forward to seeing what you accomplish next.   

Whatever your plans this weekend, we hope you have a wonderful time. We are also looking forward to England's final match—an exciting moment to enjoy together! Next week, we will be celebrating St Peter's Day on Monday and our much-anticipated Sports Day later in the week. Thank you, as always, for your continued support—take care and keep safe.





What a hot week we have had! In Reception, we have been trying our best to stay cool whilst rehearsing for our Graduation Ceremony next week.

We would like to share our wonderful Literacy learning from last couple of weeks!

Our focus text has been the Hungry Caterpillar. We have been sequencing the story, describing the Hungry Caterpillar and even becoming peckish caterpillars ourselves and trying some delicious fruits. Some of us were even brave enough to try a pickle!



Welcome to Year 1



We have had a lovely week in Year 1 despite the heat. The children have enjoyed music sessions in Squirrel School, and we have been keeping cool with Tip Tops to help manage the warm temperatures. Lunchtimes have been relaxed, with children staying out of the sun while enjoying jigsaws and playing board games together.





Diary Dates

Diary Dates for 2025 2026

[Updated Diary Dates 25/26](#)