

24th January 2025

We were delighted to welcome overseas students from Concord College to school this week to perform dances and songs from their home countries. See photos on page 5!

Next week, pupils in Cound Class have been invited to take part in a multisports event with other local primary schools at William Brookes School. A letter came out to Cound Class yesterday.

We are trialling a new booking system for activities and events using Microsoft Forms for you to be able to book children onto activities and events online - please give us any feedback about the new system from your perspective, thank you!

I know that everyone will have been pleased to hear the news of the safe arrival of baby Gruff Williams last Thursday. We are looking forward to a visit in school soon.



Ms M Hunt Executive Headteacher - Edge Schools Federation Headteacher - Church Preen Primary School

This half term's value COURAGE

Courage doesn't always roar. Sometimes courage is the little voice at the end of the day that says I'll try again tomorrow.

(Mary Anne Radmacher)

UPCOMING EVENTS

SPRING TERM January 29th Cound Class PE multiskills - William Brookes School **January 30th** Cound Class Toy Museum visit (in school) **February 11th** William Brookes Dance Festival (Severn Class) 5:30pm February 12th Severn Class Concord College visit February 14th Celebration Assembly 2:45pm - all welcome February 17th - 21st HALF TERM HOLIDAY March 6th World Book Day March 27th Parent Meetings (from 2pm) April 11th

Celebration Assembly 2:45pm (all welcome) LAST DAY OF TERM

April 14th - 25th EASTER HOLIDAY

SUMMER TERM

April 28th Pupils back in school May 5th BANK HOLIDAY - school closed to pupils May 12th - May 15th Year 6 SATs tests May 16th Cound Class Bikeability May 23rd Celebration Assembly 2:45pm - all welcome May 26th - 30th HALF TERM HOLIDAY June 12th-13th Pioneer residential visit Year 3 / Year 4 2nd-4th July Arthog outreach residential visit Year 5 / Year 6 18th July LAST DAY OF TERM

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School Meals

			Week	1 Menu			
		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Spri
a daily Baked to DF) eese F)	Main 1	Beef hotpot (GF, DF)	Cottage pie (GF)	Premium roast beef in gravy (GF, DF)	Pork sausages (DF)	Fish Goujons (DF)	6th/ 3rd/ 10th/2
	Main 2	Macaroni cheese (V)	Vegetable gratin (V, DF)	Cauliflower Cheese (V, GF)	Cauliflower curry with rice (V, DF, GF)	Baked Potato (V, GF, DF)	Ple
éese vith the of the	Sides	Croquette potatoes (V. GF. DF) Sweetcorn (V. GF. DF) Broccoli (V. GF. DF)	New potatoes (V, GF, DF) Baked beans (V, GF, DF) Cauliflower (V, GF, DF)	Roast potatoes (V, GF, DF) Carrots (V, GF, DF) Cut green beans (V, GF, DF)	Mashed potato (V, GF) Baked beans (V, GF, DF) Mixed vegetables (V, GF, DF)	Chips (V, GF, DF) Sweetcorn (V, GF, DF) Peas (V, GF, DF)	yog avail
	Dessert	lce cream (V)	Syrup sponge (V)	Apple crumble (V, DF)	Chocolate sponge (V. GF. DF)	Ice cream (V)	GF = DF =

			2 Menu		
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main 1	Chicken goujons (DF)	Beef lasagne	sliced turkey in gravy (GF, DF)	Chicken korma (GF)	Breaded Cod (DF)
Main 2	Bean chilli with rice (V, GF, DF)	Tempeh katsu curry (V, DF)	Macaroni cheese (V)	Vegetarian hotpot (V, GF, DF)	Baked Potato (V, GF, DF)
Sides	Chips (V, GF, DF) Sweetcorn (V, GF, DF) Baked beans (V, GF, DF)	Saute potatoes (V, GF, DF) Spring vegetable medley (V, GF, DF)	Roast potatoes (V, GF, DF) Carrots (V, GF, DF) Sweetcorn (V, GF, DF)	White rice (V. GF, DF) Vegetable medley (V, GF, DF)	Chips (V, GF, DF) Carrots (V, GF, DF) Baked beans (V, GF, DF)
Dessert	ice cream (V)	Ginger pudding with orange sauce (V)	Jam sponge (V)	Chocolate sponge (V, GF, DF)	ice cream (V)

Cound Class



Linked to our Literacy text 'Billy and the Beast' by Nadia Shireen, Reception have created a recipe for a Terrible Soup. Look at their fantastic shared writing!

Severn Class

It has been an extremely busy and rewarding last two weeks in Class Severn. In the classroom, the children have continued to work with great enthusiasm and commitment in all of their subjects.

In Maths, the children have been working hard on their number skills, with topics involving the four operations featuring heavily for all year groups. English lessons have continued to focus on The Tempest, and the children have been writing storyboards and letters in bottles as well as polishing up on their grammar skills. We have started to head off into the Solar System in Science, and have investigated various aspects of Ancient Rome in History. A Roman workshop has been booked for 27th February (details to follow), which should really help to bring the topic to life.

DT has involved the study of 'shell' structures, and the children have been learning how to strengthen simple paper constructions and make nets.

The main focus in PE is gymnastics and the children are learning about 'extension' and 'tension' when balancing and travelling, and we have been outside studying common garden birds in preparation for the RSPB Big Garden Birdwatch as part of Outdoor Learning.

Last Thursday, a number of our lucky Year 5 and 6 pupils attended a multi-school netball session run by England coaches and the class has continued to learn Gru's Dance from Despicable Me for the upcoming dance festival at WBS on 11th February. They also enjoyed watching dancers from Concord College performing for the school on Wednesday morning and we have been invited to Concord College on the 12th of February to watch their dance show.

Reminders:

Could Year 5 parents please remember to return permission slips for the Techathon Challenge at Shrewsbury High School on 24th February by Monday 27th January.

PE kits in school for PE on Thursday afternoons.

CONCORD COLLEGE DANCE AND SONG Performance







Stars of the Week





Safer Internet Day

Online safety training for parents and guardians by West Mercia Police

Learn more about the dangers of kids being online and how you can help to keep them safe.

Join our free one hour online parent awareness session to give yourself a head start in an ever changing digital world.

Date: Tuesday 11 Feb 2025 Time: 10am Location: Microsoft Teams via Eventbrite

Sign up to the Eventbrite session by clicking on the following link: https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/online-safety-child-exploitationsession-for-parents-and-guardians-tickets-1123477364039?aff=oddtdtcreator



Protect our children!



Remember, 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. Find us on Facebook, Instagram or X. Call 01743 254400 or email ShropshireFIS@shropshire.gov.uk

