

Newport C.E. Junior School SEND



newsletter - Summer 2026

Summer Term's News

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to a busy Summer term. With the days warming, we hope for a fun packed term with sports day and Green day.

We have lots of changes coming up over the next three years with the implementation of the SEND white paper. More information on this can be found on the Telford SEND parent newsletter April 2026, which has a link below.

The next coffee afternoon will be on Thursday 21st May at 2pm. We have family hubs attending to share what is available to families in Newport.

Termly focus

This term's focus is transition and how best we can support our children.

Summer term can be a difficult time for some children with upcoming transition, whether it is a new school or a new class with new faces and environments to get used to.

We have a range of transitional support that we offer including: parent, new teacher/old teacher and SENCO meeting to share information to the new staff towards to end of summer term, additional visits planned to a new setting for those leaving us for secondary or those joining (as well as visits for children transferring in school to

a new year group), social stories and transition interventions.

Transition day in July will give your child the opportunity to meet their new teacher in the classroom they will be in. The children will complete transition work with their old class as well as with their new on the day to prepare them for September.

As part of the transition process, we also invite parents to meet with the class teacher their child is leaving, the new teacher they will be going to and the SENCO. The review meeting will look at target setting and give you the opportunity to be part of the handover discussion of how best to support your child in school as they move year group.

Please look out for the letter in June to book an appointment.

For those children in Year 6 who will be leaving us, they will have visits arranged to meet with the local secondary team and members of secondary school will be visiting school to observe children and meet them in an environment they are comfortable in. Parents can request a meeting with the secondary and primary school before their child moves in July. These meetings can also be requested for those children joining us from the infant settings.

If you have any concerns in the meantime, please contact the class teacher or SENCO directly.

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Kooth is an online forum available to children 11 years plus (Year 6 children and into secondary school). They focus on working with children to develop a strong emotional wellbeing. The service offers free, safe and anonymous support and counselling. They are experienced with helping children with anxiety concerns including those around transition.

Kooth will be holding an assembly with the Year 6 children in late June. The children will be shown how to log on and create a user account. Year 6 teachers will be in contact with more details closer to the time.

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Local offer:

<https://www.telfordsend.org.uk/site/index.php>

Telford and Wrekin SEND parent newsletter:

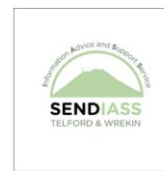
[Parent Carer Support Zone](#)

There is a New to SEND? Tab on the local SEND website that offers lots links and support for parents and families.

Parents Opening Door's
Parent Carer Forum



SEND Information Advice
and Support Service



Telford and Wrekin Family
Hubs



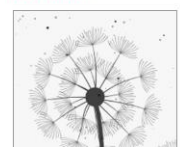
Telford All Age Autism Hub



Challenging Perceptions



Dandelions



Bee U has changed! It is now known as CAMHS -STW. School and the GP can still support you with referrals to this agency. There are new pathways open. Further details will be out shortly.

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