

MINSTERLEY MONDAY

The Weekly School Newspaper.

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Weekly Plan

		<u>Morning</u>	<u>Afternoon</u>	<u>After School</u>
Monday	Breakfast Club 8.00am Start		Forest School- Clee Class Clarinet Lessons – Year 5/6	Get Your Body Moving Club (Clee and Wrekin)
Tuesday		Toasty Tuesday- 20p a slice of toast at playtime.		Multi-Sports Club (Clee and Wrekin)
Wednesday			Recorder lessons- Year 3 Ukulele Lessons- Year 4 Brass Lessons- Existing Group	Martial Arts Club-KS2 Cooking Club- (Clee and Wrekin) Singing Club-KS2
Thursday			Tatton Park Visit- Long Mynd, Stiperstones and Lawley	Netball Training-KS2 (Invite only)
Friday			Percussion Lessons- Existing Groups with Mr Maher	Ball Sports Club- KS2

Key Stage 2 visit to Tatton Park

Children in Lawley, Stiperstones and Long Mynd class are visiting Tatton Park on Thursday 16th January. All children in these classes need to arrive at school for 7.50am to be registered before the bus arrives at 8.00am. Children will be back at school for 4.15pm to be picked up.

Pupil Premium Funding As a school, we receive an amount of funding called ‘pupil premium’ from the Government which is dependent on whether families are in receipt of certain benefits.

It is important for our school funding that if you are in receipt of any of the following benefits that you speak to the school office. This funding, if you are eligible, will directly benefit your own child.

- Universal Credit with an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400
- Income Support;
- Income Based Job Seekers Allowance;
- Income Related Employment and Support Allowance;
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration & Asylum Act 1999
- Guaranteed element of Pension Credit;
- Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for the four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- Child Tax Credit (with no Working Tax Credit) with an annual income of no more than £16,190

Sickness

It appears to be that time of year again when we have had several children off with a sickness bug. Child with diarrhoea and/or vomiting symptoms must stay away from school until they have been free of symptoms for 48 hours (the '48 hour rule') and feel well.

PTA Meeting

The next PTA meeting will be held on Friday 31st at 2pm. We welcome any new members to the group as we plan for the fundraising events for the spring and summer term.

Dinner Money

Please can you ensure that all Dinner money arrears have been paid before the end of term. All dinner money must be paid up front either weekly or daily using school money. If arrears for school meals accumulate above £25, parents/carers will be informed in writing of the amount that is owed and that no meals will be provided for their children if payment has not been received to clear the outstanding debts. If there are any significant arrears, Shropshire Council will be informed where legal proceedings may begin.

Children's Absences from school

If for any reason your child is unable to attend school you **must before 9.20am** either email admin@minsterley.shropshire.sch.uk, telephone the school office 01743 791398, or send a message with another adult. If you do not let us know we will then aim to contact the list of contacts for your child, in order of priority listed.

If we are still unable to make contact, we will then follow our safeguarding policy guidelines and report the absence & the fact we have been unable to contact anyone, firstly to the Education Welfare Office at Shropshire Council and if necessary, the Police.

Family Learning

This term family learning will be running a Family Maths Course for parents of children in Reception and Year 1. The course will start on Thursday 23rd January and will run every week until Thursday 19th March. From 1.00pm-2.00pm parents will be with the tutor and for the second hour of the afternoon children will join their parents to learn together. If you have not yet returned your forms and would like to be a part of this group, then please pop into the office. There are limited spaces available and will be given on a first come, first served basis.

Dates for Your Diary

Date	Event	Time
7 th January	First Day of Term	All Day
16 th January	Tatton Park Visit- Long Mynd, Stiperstones and Lawley	All Day
Monday 17 th February	Half Term	One Week
5 th March	World Book Day- Dress up as a book character	All Day
19 th March	Parents' Evening	2.00pm-7.00pm
Tuesday 31 st March	Egg Rolling	2.15pm-3.00pm
Monday 6 th April	Start of Easter Holidays	Two Weeks
Throughout May 2020	Key Stage One SATS	8.40am-3.00pm
Monday 11 th – Thursday 14 th May 2020	Key Stage Two SATS	8.40am-3.00pm
Monday 8 th June- Friday 12 th June 2020	Phonic Screen Check	8.40am-3.00pm

Community News

Minsterley Eisteddfod - Saturday 21st March 2020

Is your child a budding poet? Has your child written a great poem at home or at school? Why not enter their work into Minsterley Eisteddfod's Original Children's Poem Class? Classes for singing, speaking and instrumentalists also available. Full details on how to enter can be found on our website:

www.minsterleyeisteddfod.btck.co.uk

Closing date: 17th February 2020

Music Service- Woodwind Workshop

Shropshire Music Service is holding a Woodwind Workshop. If your child would like to attend, please ask the school office for a form. The workshop takes place on Saturday 29th February 2020 from 1.30pm-4.45pm at Oakmeadow Primary School. The cost is £15.00 per child and there is a free concert for parents at 4.30pm.