Newsletter

Thursday 13th November (No. 10)

A message from Miss Fisher

Over the last week, we have been learning about Remembrance Day and what it means. The children have been finding out about the importance of the 11th November in 1918 and when the agreement to end WW1 was made (Armistice).

The children and I joined on Tuesday at 11am for our own minutes silence to reflect on the courage and sacrifice of men, women and animals, who have served in the Armed Forces, in any war or conflict. It was wonderful to celebrate the different artwork produced by the children and also read some heartfelt soldier's letters written by our eldest learners.

Newtown will remember them.



Safeguarding

Are you a parent or carer of a neurodivergent child or young person?

If so, you might be interested in booking a place on Wiltshire Council's 'Supporting My Neurodivergent Young Person' course. There is no cost involved.

The focus of Supporting My Neurodivergent Young Person is to understand the reasons which may lead to certain behaviours or responses and practical strategies to try. The course content is designed primarily for parents/carers of young people who are in mainstream schools.

Sessions cover key areas such as understanding neurodivergence, communication and social interaction, developing attention, sensory differences and behaviour.

Your child or young person may be on the Needs Led Profiling Tool or awaiting investigation of possible autism and/or ADHD on the Neurodevelopmental Pathway. They do not need to have any diagnosis of autism or other special educational need or disability.

Click on the following link to find out more information or scan the QR code below.

https://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/local-offer/SMNYP

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Course information

Free

Book your place: SMNYP course and booking information (You must be a Wiltshire resident, and there is no charge to Wiltshire parent/carers, families or school staff)

- How to get a place +
- Who can book this course +
- Which course you should book +
- Location, duration and what to bring +
- The people who deliver the course +
- Who can attend the sessions +
- What happens in a session +
- If you have additional needs +
- How to cancel your booking +





Breakfast Club And Wraparound Care



How does Newtown's Breakfast Club and Wraparound Care run?

- Breakfast Club is open from 7:30am until 8:30am during the term time apart from INSET days. Includes a good breakfast (cereal/toast with milk or juice) and run by staff that the children know.
- Wraparound Care runs from 3:15 to 4:15pm (session 1) and / or 4:15 to 5:30pm (session 2) with flexibility to book a sports club for the first hour.

How much will it cost me to send my child to the Breakfast Club or Wraparound Care?

- Each breakfast club session will cost £2.50
- Wraparound Care costs £4 per hour (£8 for both sessions)

How to book Breakfast Club or Wraparound Care

- If you would like your child to attend any before or after school sessions, please book on Scopay. Your Scopay account requires funds to be transferred in (e.g. similar to a pay as you go mobile phone) before sessions can be booked.
- Please contact the school office if you need to register for a Scopay account.









Come and join us!



CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

AT BETHESDA BAPTIST CHURCH

22ND NOVEMBER
10:00AM - 12:30PM

Get into the holiday spirit and find the perfect gifts for everyone on your list at our Christmas Craft Fair!

Admission is free, and everyone is welcome!

WHAT TO EXPECT

- Craft & Tabletop Stalls
- Tea & coffee
- Nativity scene to take your own picture in
- Most stalls will be cash only

For more details, please call 01225 712299 or visit bethesdabaptistchurch.co.uk/trowbridge-christmas-craft-fair

Bethesda Baptist Church, Gloucester Road, Trowbridge, BA14 0AA

St James' Church Trowbridge

Christmas Tree Festival

Tuesday 2nd to Saturday 6th December 2025
Open daily 10am until 5pm (4pm on Saturday)



All Welcome - Free Admission
Refreshments available

ST JAMES' CHURCH TROWBRIDGE

www.stjamestrowbridge.co.uk | 07565 917441

For the attention of all parents

Will your child be four years old before September 2026?

You must apply for a primary school place

Apply online at **wiltshire.gov.uk** or complete an application form, available at all Wiltshire Council offices.

The deadline for applications is

12 midnight, 15 January 2026

All forms must be returned to the school admissions team at County Hall, Trowbridge, Wiltshire.

Contact customer services on **01225 713010**

For more information or to request our guide to finding a primary school place in Wiltshire.

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Congratulations to Ash Class who are top of the leader board this week!

Please encourage your child to log on and play.

Home - Times Tables Rock Stars

Attendance

142 children had 100% attendance in the last week, you are awesome!

Oak were the best at being in & on time every day last week.

Well done Oak class!

2 Penalty Notice Applications have been made so far this academic year.

Absence line 01225 752678 option 1

Superstars



Octavia,
Poppy,
Erin,
Samuel,
Gideon &
Aarav

Dates for Diary	
18/11/2025	Maple Class - Space Day (children can wear their own clothes linked to space)
19/11/2025	Willow Class visiting Aldi Supermarket
20/11/2025	Ash Class visiting Stonehenge
02/12/2025	Maple Class visiting St. James' Church Christmas Tree Festival
04/12/2025	Christmas Fayre (3:30pm - 5:00pm)
09/12/2025	St. James' Church Service - 2.00pm - all welcome!
10/12/2025	KS1 Nativity - 9.15am
11/12/2025	KS1 Nativity - 9.15am
16/12/2025	Christmas Dinner Day
16/12/2025	Christmas Jumper Day
17/12/2025	Cinema & school disco during school day - whole school
18/12/2025	Christmas Carols around the tree - all welcome! (details to follow)
19/12/2025	Last day of term 2
05/01/2026	TD Day - school closed to children
06/01/2026	First day back at school
12/01/2026	Beech Class visiting The Roman Baths