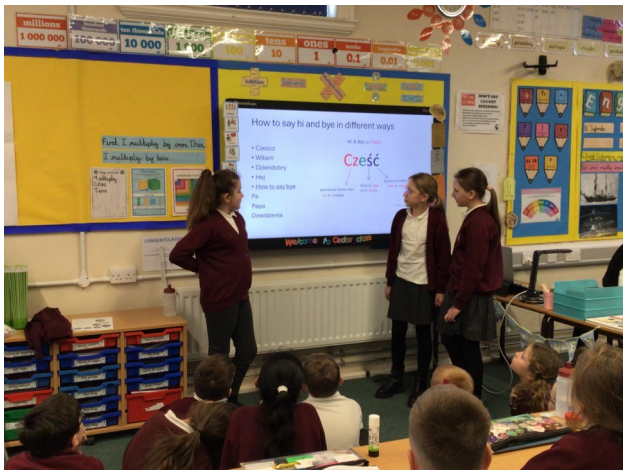
Newsletter

Friday 31st January (No. 19)

Message from Mr Marshall

We are fortunate as a school to have such diversity within our community. There are many different languages spoken and many different cultures and ethnicities represented. We think this diversity is a strength of our school. Wherever we can we use the idea of diversity to help children learn about and understand the world they live in. We do this because it helps children become successful citizens now and in the future.

The main learning theme for this term has been 'I am a Global Citizen'. The children have been investigating how the lives of children and families around the world can be very different from their own. As well as learning about different languages, cultures and geography from around the world, they have focused on modern issues that affect children globally. They are also learning about the impact that humans have, both positive and negative, on Planet Earth. Children have also had the opportunity to develop their geography field skills and map skills by investigating our local community.



Uniforms

The children look extremely smart in their uniforms. Thank you for your support with this. If there are any parts of the uniform you are unsure about you can find out more information on the school website.

Just a couple of reminders:

Jewellery and Makeup

The only items of jewellery allowed in school are simple stud earrings, no more than one in each ear. Make-up and nail varnish are not allowed to be worn in school.

All long hair should be tied back with a suitable hair tie, appropriate for school.

Trainers

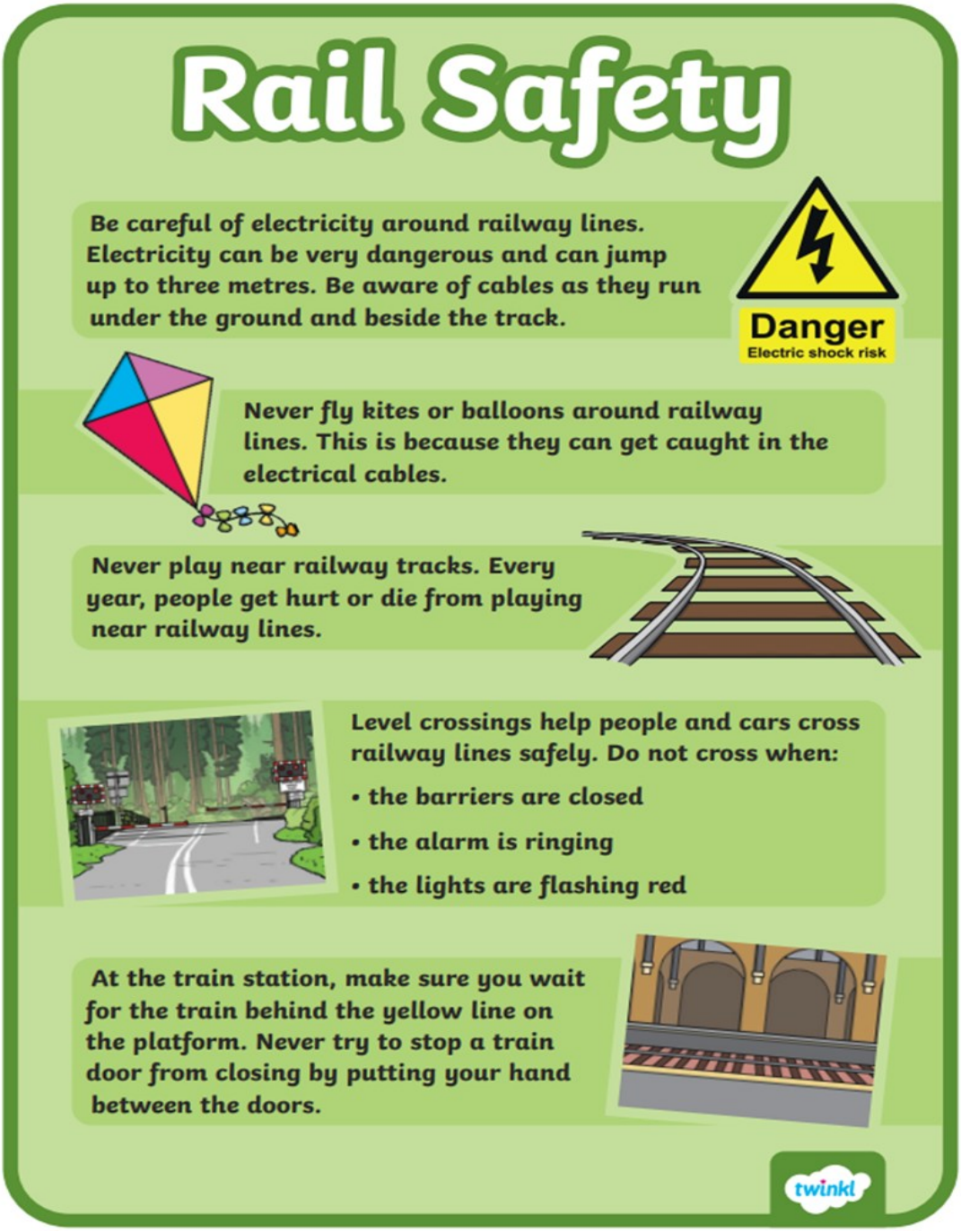
We are currently seeing an increasing amount of trainers being worn into school. The expectation is that children wear smart black shoes to school.

Respecting school uniform expectations is an important aspect of behaviour and conduct within school. It is also part of our behaviour policy. It is great to see your continuing support with these expectations - it is very much appreciated.

Safeguarding

Rail Safety

Last weekend, you may have read on local pages on social media about young people trespassing on the railway lines and messing about near the tracks. Please take a few minutes to have a look at the poster below, reminding yourself and your family about why railways can be so dangerous.



FRIENDS OF NEWTOWN SCHOOL

Willow & Sycamore



Thursday 13th February

£3.50 per child

for popcorn, drink, and a film!

3:30pm – 4.40pm

Showing:

Room on the Broom & Tiddler



FRIENDS OF NEWTOWN SCHOOL

Maple, Chestnut, Beech, Cedar & Oak



Thursday 13th February

£3.50 per child

for popcorn, drink, and a film!

5:00pm – 6:30pm

Showing:

Wallace and Gromit

Vengeance Most Fowl



Wiltshire Young Musicians

ROCK BAND WORKSHOP

FEBRUARY 19TH 2025
TROWBRIDGE

FOR ALL KS2 GUITARISTS AND UKULELE PLAYERS

FOR ANYONE WHO HAS HAD WHOLE CLASS DJEMBE, SAMBA OR UKULELE

A FUN FILLED WORKSHOP TO CREATE A ROCK BAND!

END THE SESSION WITH A GIG FEATURING LIVE BANDS

TO SIGN UP OR FOR MORE INFO CONTACT:
INFO@WILTSHIREYOUNGMUSICIANS.ORG.UK



www.wiltshireyoungmusicians.org.uk/

Braeside Education Centre

February Half Term Activity Days!

£40 per day

Adventure - Challenge - Fun

For ages: 8 – 12 years
(Siblings up to 14 years)

Drop Off - 8:30am – 9:00am
Pick Up - 4:30pm – 5:00pm

Monday 17th – High Ropes Day
Leap of Faith, High All Aboard, Crate Stacking, Parallel Poles



Tuesday 18th – Survival Day
Fire Lighting, Shelter Building, Survival Craft



Wednesday 19th – Climbing Day
Climbing Wall, Zip-Wire, Abseiling



Thursday 20th – Mixed Activity Day
Archery, Life Line, Low Ropes, Orieenteering



Please book online by visiting
www.braeside-education.co.uk/holiday-club

Contact us for more details;
01380 722637
info@braeside-education.co.uk

Braeside Education Centre

Activites will run in groups, in rotation, throughout the day.

Superstars



Zoe, Elijah, Lola, Sonny, Maryanne, Oscar & Victoria

Attendance

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

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

Well done Cedar Class!

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







Absence line 01225 752678 option 1

Dates for Diary

04.02.2025	Beech & Cedar Class swimming
13.02.2025	Movie Evening
14.02.2025	Last day of term
24.02.2025	First day of term 4-children back to school
12.03.2025	Newtown celebrating World Book Day
01.05.2025	Beech & Cedar Class Carymoor trip