

# LUDLOW PRIMARY SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER



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### Celebration Time

Congratulations to the following children who were celebrated in Assembly on Friday 23rd May 2025. Well done all!

Poppy Overall

Martina Pretta

Skylar Sandiford Freya Angell

Dima Matviichuk

Lauren Cooper

Ollie Logan

Connor Edwards

Lucas Locke

Dino Joshy

Keagan Wilding

Esmee Burns

Billy Powell-Bevan



### Nursery Spaces

If your child is aged 3 or 4, spaces are still available from September, in our Acorns Nursery.

Please call into school for an application form or call us to book an appointment to speak to Mrs Gill, the Nursery Manager.

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### Online Privacy

It is important to develop an understanding of how you can protect your child's privacy online. Any personal information shared online creates a digital footprint and it is vital that we control who sees what.

#### What are Privacy settings?

Privacy settings are tools available on most social media apps, websites, and games. They allow users to control who can view what they share online.

#### What can we do to support our children with their online privacy?

**Talk to your child regularly:** Talk to your child about what is personal information and to think about what they share online. Personal information includes their name, address, current location and the school they attend. This also includes information within photos or videos that they may share, for example does it show their current location?



### Texting dictionary from Internet Matters

Internet Matters have created a list of text language terms to help you understand some of the text slang that your child might be using. Find out more here:

<https://www.internetmatters.org/resources/text-dictionary/>

For the full report please see our website:

[online-safety-newsletter-primary-june-2025\\_pdf\\_ludlow.pdf](#)

### SEND

We are pleased to inform all parents that we have a new SEND lead starting in September.

Clare Sankey is an experienced practitioner, who has worked in a number of schools as well as for Herefordshire local authority, she will be with us 4 days a week.

In the meantime, Mrs Mather will continue to lead SEN provision this term with the help of Mrs K Pearce from the Wellbeing team.

If you need to contact either Mrs Mather or Mrs Pearce, please do so via the school office.



### **Clee View Parents**

Could we please ask that, as you are within the school premises when you collect your child/children from the playground at the end of the day, that you refrain from using your mobile phone. This is in accordance with our policy and for safeguarding purposes.

Could we also ask that parents are not riding scooters while on the premises.

### **Sandpits Road Parents**

As a gentle reminder, the drop off and collection for Sandpits Road is a driveway leading into a carpark where staff and visiting professionals park their cars.

Can we please ask that while waiting in the carpark at any time, parents, carers and children keep away from these cars to avoid any damage and for health and safety reasons as outlined in the school's risk assessment. This includes standing in front of the cars as this also means, it makes it very difficult for staff to see you at handover.

Thank you for your cooperation with these matters.

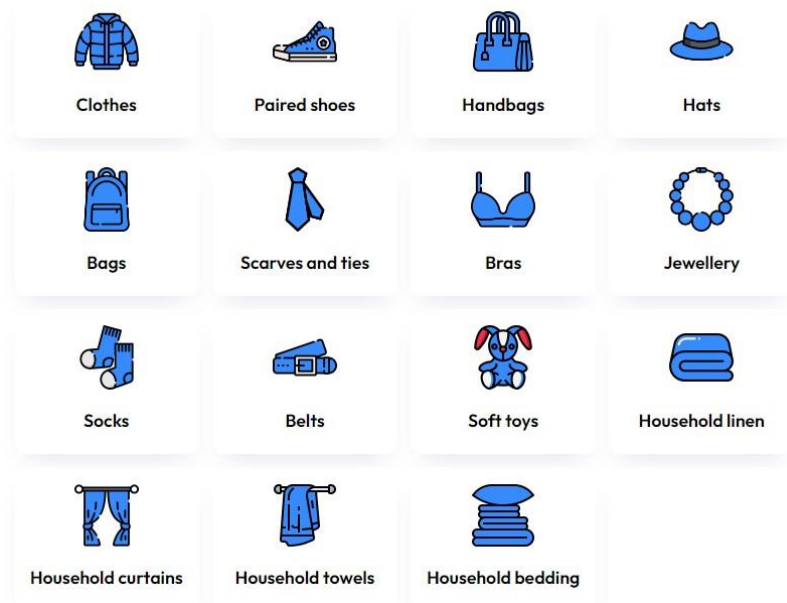
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## Bag2School - Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June

If you have any of the following items your household no longer needs, please pop them in a bag and drop at either site on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> June. These will then be collected and weighed by Bag2School. The items are sent to different countries, so it is a great way to help others whilst raising funds for the school. The PTA will kindly use this money to help pay for trips, gifts etc for all the children in our school.

### Items that can be donated:



Martina Pretta from our 3Oak class is donating her hair to the Little Princess Trust. She and her family are looking to raise money for this charity. Please find the link to her fund me page if you would like to make a donation:

[https://www.justgiving.com/page/martina-pretta16?utm\\_medium=FR&utm\\_source=EM](https://www.justgiving.com/page/martina-pretta16?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=EM)



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JustGiving  
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### Contacting Teachers and Senior Leaders

If any parent has a concern to raise with a teacher or senior leader, we respectfully ask this is done via the school office or  
admin email – [admin@ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk](mailto:admin@ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk)  
and not Dojo or individual email addresses.  
This will enable your query to be dealt with more effectively and efficiently.

Thank you

### Childcare through the DFE

The DFE have launched a new site for parents to check if you are eligible for free childcare:

<https://www.gov.uk/check-eligible-free-childcare-if-youre-working>

There is also a childcare account that parents must log into every three months to ensure they get free childcare if they are working or for Tax-Free Childcare:

<https://www.gov.uk/sign-in-childcare-account>

### Contact via Dojo

If you have concerns about any incident in school which involves your child, please do not message class TAs through Dojo or by any other means. Please direct all queries to the class teacher.

Please do not message outside of normal office hours, as staff do not receive notifications in the evenings or at weekends.

Thank you

#### **Online Safety Teaching Resources**

Internet Matters offer free learning materials to help keep children safe online on their website:

<https://www.internetmatters.org/schools-esafety/>

#### **Group Chats**

A collection of activities to use with children aged 9-13, to explore safe and responsible use of group chats.

<https://www.childnet.com/resources/group-chats/>



## Shropshire Parenting Help and Support Line

**01743 250950**

Mon - Thurs, 9.30am - 4.30pm  
Fri, 9.30am - 3.30pm

No judgment, just support.



## Does your child struggle with their Sleep?

### Free Sleep Tight Groups

Join us on one of our virtual or face-to-face groups which run for 5 weeks and:

- Find out why sleep is important for our health and emotional wellbeing
- Get support to help improve sleep and bedtime routines
- Meet other parents/carers to share and discuss experiences

Our next groups start:

Sleep Tight SEND Monday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2025 from 12.45pm to 2.45pm  
Virtually Via MS Teams

or

Sleep Tight Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2025 from 9.15am to 11.15am  
Virtually via MS Teams

SEND groups are for parents/carers of children who might have special educational needs and disabilities, no formal diagnosis is needed to attend the groups.

To book a place email [Parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk](mailto:Parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk) or call 01743 250950

Find out more here



## How Ofcom is helping children to be safer online – a guide for parents

How will your child be kept safe under the Online Safety Act?

OFCOM have laid down new rules for tech companies to help keep our children safe online.

Please see the link below which will explain the changes you can expect, what you can do as a parent, and more about the new safety measures.



Check out the guide for parents here:

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## SEND Updates

### Bee U

The wait for an assessment through Bee U can be lengthy. Please see the following website for support available at any time (even with no diagnosis).

### [Support for neurodivergent children and young people 5-18 years](#)

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When children and young people have needs related to neurodiversity they may require support from a range of services. The information below sets out the range of support available in Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin.  
[stw-healthiertogether.nhs.uk](http://stw-healthiertogether.nhs.uk)

Kids is one of the support services available. Please see their website for details of the support available.

### [Shropshire Universal Autism Support Service - Kids](#)



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Who's it for? Parents/carers and children and young people 0-19 in Shropshire. The service also extends to provide training & signposting for professionals who support families in the community.

[www.kids.org.uk](http://www.kids.org.uk)

## **Term Dates 2024 – 2025**

### **2025**

Summer Term ends: Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2025

**As you will be aware, we are not able to authorise holidays in term time due to government legislation introduced in 2013. Please note that other schools in the area may be different as schools have the flexibility to plan their own PD days. This information will also be on our website.**

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## Dates for your Diary 2024-2025

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June - Bag2School Collection

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> June- Tempest Yr 6 Leavers group photos

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> June- Yr 6 Boys cricket at Ludlow Cricket Club

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June- Yr 2 Athletics at Ludlow School

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June- Yr 6 Trip to Crucial Crew- Bridgnorth

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup>- Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> June- Yr 6 Bikeability

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> June - Yr 2 Living History Day at Ludlow Castle

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> July- Yr 6 Induction Day Ludlow CE School

Wednesday 2nd July to Friday 4th July - Yr 6 Residential Trip to Manchester

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July- Yr 3 Trip to Judges Lodgings

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July- Years 5 & 6 Sports Day (PM)

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July - Sea Legs Pantomime for EYFS and KS1 at Sandpits Road

Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> July - Yr 5 Taster Day Ludlow CE School

Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> July- Years 3&4 Sports Day (PM)

Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> July- Reception/Years 1&2 Sports Day (PM)

Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July- Yr 3 & Yr 5 Tri golf at Ludlow Golf Course

Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July - End of year disco (more information to follow)

Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 Leavers Assembly (PM)

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July- Last Day of term