

Newsletter

Friday 24th October 2025

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Dates for the Diary...(Full academic year/term dates on school website)

HALF TERM 27TH OCTOBER-31ST OCTOBER 2025

Thursday 6th November Junior STEAM Club 3.30- 4.30pm

Thursday 13th November Careers Fair 2.30pm- 6.00pm

Thursday 13th November Year 9 & 10 Bronze & Silver DofE Session

Wednesday 19th November Curriculum Day

Wednesday 19th November Year 9 Bronze Training Day

Thursday 20th November Year 7 Parent Information Evening 6:00—7:00pm

Thursday 27th November Year 9 Parents Evening 4:00—6:30pm

Tuesday 2nd December GCSE Certificate Afternoon 3:30-5:00pm



Word and number of the week Beginning

Monday 3rd November



CONFIDENTIAL SUPPORT FOR THE RURAL COMMUNITY

Shropshire Rural Support

https://

www.shropshireruralsupport.org.uk/

Any School Absence

We have now set up an email account which is dedicated to attendance.

If your child is absent from school please email attendance@marywebbschool.com or telephone the absence line on 792100 option 1 by 8.30am on each day of their absence.

The absence email is also to be used to report any appointments throughout the day. Your child will be marked as unauthorised if we do not have a reason for their absence. Any unauthorised absence will be referred to the Education Welfare Officer

MEDICATION FOR STUDENTS

Please remember if you are sending medication into school for a student, it must be accompanied by an 'Administration of Medicine' consent form. This form is available to download from our website under 'Letters and Downloadable Forms', or can be collected from the School Office.

All medication must be in the original container and have the student's name on the prescription label. Medication must be handed into Reception where it will be stored safely.

Students are not permitted to carry medication.

The only exceptions are inhalers and epipens, for which we hold consent forms.

<u>Please note</u> without your permission we cannot administer your child's medication.

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Mary Webb School Role of Honour

The following students have achieved above the expected number of house points this week through outstanding effort, positive attitude and dedication.

Congratulations and Well Done!

Student Name	Reg	Positive Points
Shepherd, Henry	8P	37
May, Alexander	9C	36
Cameron, Elena	7P	27
Carter, Tildy	7C	27
Edwards, Maisie	7P	28
Perry, Gia	7P	26
Wright, Archie	9P	25
Shaw, Eleanor	9L	24
Shaw, Isobel	9L	24
Simpson, Archie	9P	24
Taylor, Rosie	8C	24
Yeboah, Excellence	7P	24
Evans, Elsa	9P	23
Gore, Teri	8C	23
Koziel, David	9W	23
Lewis, Oliver	8C	23
Margerison, Connor	9C	23
Gawthorne, Izzy	7T	22
Griffiths, Maggie	7P	22
Maddox, Poppy	9W	22
McFall, Joseph	9P	22
Morris, Matthew	11C	22
Norlander, Isobel	9L	22
Richardson, Emily	8L	22
Ward, Finlay	8W	22
Butler, Millie	8L	21
Chadney, Theo	7T	21
Corbett, Mia	9P	21
Owen, Scarlett	7P	21
Owens, Freya	11C	21
Pugh, Lyla	7P	21
Thomson, Eva	8L	21
Wakenshaw, Tyler	9P	21
Young, Sebastian	9L	21

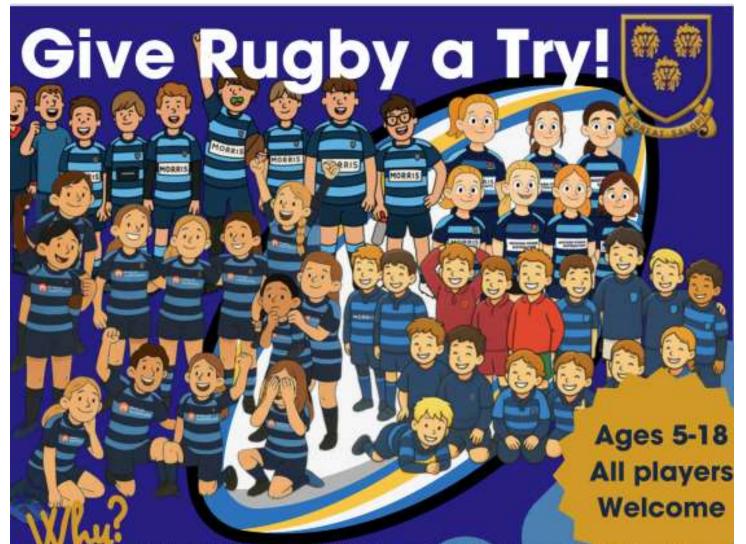


Rea Valley Foodbank's Service Referrals

Please do help us. We know that there are local people out there who could benefit from our service, so please do encourage them and refer them on to us as we can help with some of the basics of a weekly shop. We can help those in financial need in an emergency or ongoing basis. We have a simple referral form for you to use on our website Getting A Referral | Rea Valley Food Bank We are friendly and non-judgmental and Foodbank users, and their carers, are welcome to stay for a coffee and chat if they wish.

Rea Valley Foodbank is open Tuesday 10am-12pm at Holy Trinity Church, Minsterley and Thursdays at St George's Church, Pontesbury.

If you have any queries about our service, please contact Rev. Greg Smith on 07902 794653 email: reavalleyfoodbank@gmail.com



Build Character Rugby grows respect, teamwork, and confidence - skills for life, on and off the pitch.

Safe. Supportive. Fun. Qualified coaches, age-appropriate training, and smiles all round. Every child develops at their own pace.

Friends for Life Join a club where rugby builds bonds that last long after the final whistle.

Fitness Made Fun No boring drills - just games, laughter, and great exercise disguised as play.

More Than Rugby Tours, socials, and club events - memories made on and off the field.

Give It a Try! No experience needed. Bring enthusiasm - we'll do the rest.

Sunday AM Boys (u6-u16) Girls (u6-u11)
Sunday PM Girls (U12-U16)
Midweek varies by age group







Go to https://shrewsburyrufc.rfu.club/ for more details.



TOGETHERNESS



An update on

WELLBEING FOR EVERY SCHOOL PARENT

Your NHS learning space created by psychologists

October 2025

As the new term is now well and truly underway, we're delighted to share some helpful resources for parents experiencing all the big emotions of growing children.

<u>Tagetherness</u> is the new face of **inourplace**, the NHS emotional health digital learning hub funded in your area to provide your family with **free access** to expert learning about childhood development, wellbeing, brain changes, and much more to help you to connect with your children and make sure they thrive.

Here's a quick round up of what we think is great on Togetherness for this half term.

The parent pathway to better relationships and behaviour



Understanding your child: from toddler to teenager

Online learning journey to empower your parenting anytime, anywhere Adolescence: Tools for teens to help protect mental health



Learning resources on teenage brain development

Including teen reviews of the online learning pathways for young people

(bitesize e-learning)

(series of 1 minute video reviews)

5 things to protect your mental health whatever happens



Togetherness ideas for World Mental Health Day 2025

Ideas to help care for your wellbeing everyday and the secret to emotional resilience

(3 minute read)

Falling out and making up: parent relationships



Life skills for arguing and healthy grown up relationships

Resources to help you model falling out and making up for your children

(short films and quick reads).

Thinking about SEND and emotional wellbeing?



Understanding your child with additional needs

Online learning pathway to help you connect with your unique child

(bitesize e-learning)

Expert insights for your parenting: meet our Togetherness team



Follow us on TikTok or Instagram

Short films on sleep, toddler tantrums, school behaviour, teenagers and much more

(bitesize video content)

FREE ACCESS

You're receiving this update as your school is based in a free (pre-paid, funded) access area for togetherness.co.uk

Find the <u>Free Access Checker</u> in the pathway library to unlock free online learning that could change your relationship with your child for the better.

Evidence based - Created in the NHS - Private and available anytime, anywhere

Follow Togetherness on social media









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www.togetherness.co.uk

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togetherness@uhb.nhs.uk

Food Technology Plea- Can you help us?

We kindly welcome donations of the following containers and lids to support our pupils in Food Technology lessons.













Sweet and choclate tubes such as Heores, Haribo and celebrations.

GU dessert pots and pringle tube lids.

Charlie Bigham ramekins

Instead of placing these items in your home recycling bin, please consider donating them to school and give them a second life. Your contributions will help pupils safely store and transport culinary creations home. Pupils can drop donations off at Food Technology.

Many Thanks Mrs Harrison

Food Technology Update

It has been fantastic to see Key Stage 3 and 4 pupils busy creating delicious dishes in Food Technology over the last couple of weeks.



A couple of friendly reminders to help keep things running smoothly:

- Please ensure all pupil jumpers are clearly named. Pupils remove jumpers before cooking, and this will help us return any misplaced jumpers quickly.
- Please ensure all containers are labelled. Pupils should bring a container with their name on it to safely take home their culinary creation each lesson.

Finally, a reminder to pupils to ensure they collect their creations at the end of the school day. Any leftover creations will be kept until the end of Friday only.

Thank you for your continued support and hope you have enjoyed the creations coming home. There will be no cooking the week before half term to allow cleaning of the food room.

Many Thanks Mrs Harrison



NEW PLAYERS NEEDED!





Bayston Hill Juniors are recruiting new players for our girl's teams

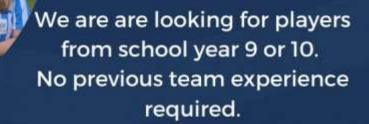
Make friends, learn new skills and have fun with girls' football

facebook.com/baystonhilljuniorsfc or message Vicky 07887 76829











IF YOUR DAUGHTER IS INTERESTED
PLEASE COME ALONG TO A SESSION
CONTACT JASON ON 07950 329339
OR EMAIL GIRLS.SAHAFC@GMAIL.COM



We are delighted to announce that the school has achieved the Gold STEM club quality mark. This is in recognition of the exceptional provision our school offers to young people by enriching the STEM curriculum. In addition to our usual STEAM day activities and the STEAM awards celebrations, 2024-25 saw the school triumph as winners in:

- The Shrewsbury sixth form STEM challenge
- West Midlands First tech robot challenge
- Faraday challenge
- Best design in the RAF glider competition
- Second place in the finals of the STEM challenge taking place at Manchester University.

We have also had 5 students from Year 10 accepted onto the STEM potential program at Shrewsbury School in conjunction with Imperial College London, this is in addition to the 4 students from Year 11 who are already enrolled.

Congratulations to all students who have been involved with extra-curricular STEAM activities as your enthusiasm and hard work have helped the school achieve the award. Also, a massive thank you to all staff involved with STEAM provision at the school.

Mrs Jones Director of STEAM & Subject Leader of Science



Welcome to the Mary Webb 'Enrichment & Enhancement' (E&E) programme. Here you can find information about our extra-curricular activities, clubs and subject support sessions that take place at Mary Webb School.

The purpose of the E&E programme is to offer students of all abilities a variety of activities, support sessions and clubs that they can access during lunchtime and after school. Whether they are sporty, musical, artistic, dramatic or would like further subject support; this programme will provide students with the opportunity to learn and develop new skills, discover new interests or unlock hidden talents in an inclusive, fun or relaxed learning environment.

We want the E&E programme to be shaped by the voices of our students. We are open to new and different suggestions and so we encourage and welcome any students to come forward and share their ideas.

The E&E programme is also working to build and develop better links with our local community clubs and groups, providing our students with further opportunities to engage in other activities outside of school. We welcome organisations to also support the delivery of our E&E programme activities, whether it be taster sessions or a short-term delivery that will enhance the variety of activities we have on offer to our students. If you are an organisation that would be interested in being part of the E&E programme, please do get in touch!

Please find all the information for our **'Enrichment & Enhancement'** Programme on our website – www.marywebbschool.com/extra-curricular/

For any queries, please contact Miss Bailey, who co-ordinates the E&E Programme on eve.bailey@marywebbschool.com

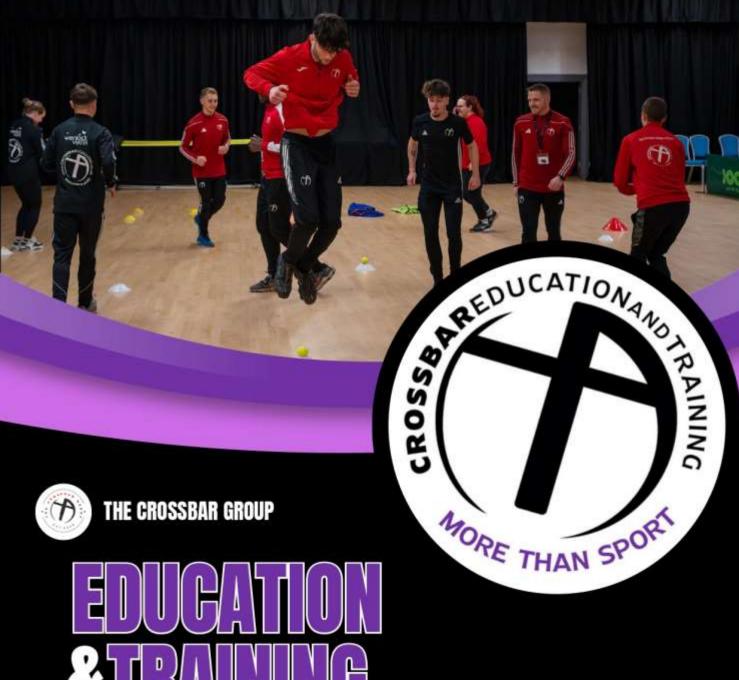


Extra-Curricular Activities @MW Live on school Website

WWW.MARYWEBBSCHOOL.COM/EXTRA-CURRICULAR



Keep up to date with all our Extra -Curricular activities



The Crossbar College of Sport 2026/27:

- NCFE Level 3 Sports coaching qualification
- Work experience in primary schools working alongside our Crossbar Sports Coaches
- Theory and practical lessons based at Lilleshall National Sports Centre
- · Transport and Crossbar team wear included
- Functional skills
- Career pathways and opportunities with Crossbar
- Educational Trips









Post 16 open/taster events

These aren't the only options available for you, many of our previous y11 students have attended these settings.



School Leaver Roadshow: Shrewsbury

22 September 2025 3 4:00pm-8:00pm

MORE INFO



Open Evening 2025: Open Evening 2025: English Bridge Campus Welsh Bridge Campus #1 # 14 October 2025 14 October 2025 (§ 5:00pm-8:00pm MORE INFO MORE INFO Open Evening 2025: Open Evening 2025: London Road Campus English Bridge Campus 7 23 October 2026 □ 6 November 2025 @ 5:00pm-8:00pm (9 5:00pm-8:00pm MORE INFO MORE INFO Open Evening 2025: Welsh Bridge Campus ☐ 6 November 2025 (5) 5:00pm-8:00pm

Next Open Events

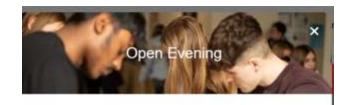
North Shropshire College Open Event – Wednesday 11th February 2026



Next Open Events

Walford College Open Event – Saturday 7th February 2026





Open Evening – Year 6 and Sixth Form Thursday 18th September 2025 from 4:30pm – 7:30pm.



Reaseheath College 25/26

- Saturday 27th September
- Saturday 18th October
- Saturday 29th November
- Saturday 31st January
- Tuesday 24th February (Evening)
- Saturday 21st March
- Saturday 25th April
- Saturday 13th June
- Events & Key Dates at Shrewsbury College
- info@scg.ac.uk
- North Shropshire College Open Event Wednesday 11th February 2026 HLNSC
- Walford College Open Event Saturday 18th October 2025 HLNSC
- info@nsc.ac.uk contact for both colleges
- Experience Reaseheath | Reaseheath College
- enquiries@reaseheath.ac.uk
- · Sixth Form Marches School
- admin@mar.mmat.co.uk
- As always, if you have any questions about these events or college applications. Please contact Mrs Wilkinson via email on:

victoria.wilkinson@marywebbschool.com

This free app could be the careers inspiration your creative young person needs It might not be 100% relevant for post 16, but there is definitely some nutritious food for "thought":

ERIC | Creative Career App

WE'VE FOUND ALL THE OPPORTUNITIES **YOU'RE** STRUGGLING TO FIND. Spending too much time looking for internships, entry-level jobs, training programmes, networking events, mentoring schemes, etc?

You don't need to do that anymore. We've done all the searching for you.

Our team scouts the internet every day and collects all the stuff scattered across the web that can help you build skills, experience and confidence... and we put it all on the ERIC app.

So all you need to do is open the app every day and browse the new opportunities we've found.

Learn about the which creative industries we cover here.





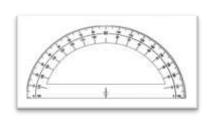




School Shop

Biro	20p
Handwriting Pen	30p
Pencil	10p
Record Cards	95p
Protractor	20p
Rubber	20p
Ruler	20p
Highlighter	65p
Post it Notes – Small	25p
Post it Notes – Large	45p
Dictionary	£5.50
Calculator	£7
Pencil Case (empty)	£1
Pencil Case Full	£3
(To include 2 pens, 3 pencils, 1 red pen, rubber, protractor, ruler and highlighter)	







Revision guides and workbooks available to purchase from the school shop

There are a variety of revision guides and workbooks which are available to purchase via Parentpay for collection by the student from student reception.

The selection of books and prices will be included each week in the newsletter, this will be updated to reflect any changes in price or guides available.

The list will also be available for students in their tutor groups and students can discuss any book requirements with their subject teacher.

<u>Parentpay</u>

When purchasing a book please refer to the price list included in the latest newsletter. Select the 'Revision Guides and Workbook' option.

In the notes field please enter the subject and whether it is a revision guide or workbook, and if the tier is Foundation or Higher. This will ensure the correct book is allocated to the student.

The price will always default to £10.50, please amend this to the correct amount from the latest price list within the Newsletter to ensure you are always paying the correct amount.

If you wish to buy more than one book a new transaction is required each time.

		New GCSE English Language & Literature Exam Practice Workbook		
AQA	ENGLISH	(includes Answers)	Grade 9 - 1	£3.50
AQA		GCSE English Literature AQA Poetry Guide: Power & Conflict Anthology	Grade 9-1	£3.50
AQA		GCSE Spanish Vocabulary AQA CPG Revision	Question Cards	£7.50
AQA	CDANICLI	GCSE Spanish Complete Revision & Practice(NEW)	Revision Guide	£7.15
AQA	SPANISH	GCSE AQA Spanish Vocabulary Book	Vocab Book	£2.30
AQA		GCSE AQA Spanish Exam Practice Workbook	Work Book	£3.60
AQA		GCSE French Vocabulary AQA CPG Revision	Question Cards	£7.50
AQA	FRENCH	GCSE French Complete Revision & Practice(NEW)	Revision Giude	£7.15
AQA	TILLINGIT	GCSE AQA French Vocabulary Book	Vocab Book	£2.30
AQA		GCSE AQA French Exam Practice Workbook	Work Book	£3.60
AQA	FOOD PREP	Collins GCSE Grade 9-1 Revision - AQA GCSE 9-1 Food Preparation & Nutrition Complete Revision & Practice: Ideal for the 2024 and 2025 exams (Collins GCSE Grade 9-1 Revision): Second edition	Grade 9 - 1	£6.00
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AQA	MUSIC	GCSE Music AQA Complete Revision & Practice (Audio & Online Edition)	Grade 9-1	£8.00

REVISION GUIDES FOR KS3 (YEARS 7, 8 AND 9)					
Exam Body	Subject	Books	Guide	Level	Unit Price
CGP		New KS3 Science Revision Guide – Higher (includes Online Edition, Videos & Quizzes)	Study Guide	Higher	£3.50
CGP	SCIENCE	New KS3 Science Revision Guide – Foundation (includes Online Edition, Videos & Quizzes)	Study Guide	Foundation	£3.50
CGP		KS3 Knowledge Retriever & Knowledge organiser (Bundle)	Bundle		£4.00
CGP		Key Stage 3 Maths	Study guide	Higher	£3.50
CGP	MATHS	Key Stage 3 Maths		Higher	£4.00
CGP		Key Stage 3 Maths	Study guide	Foundation	£3.50
CGP		Key Stage 3 Maths	Work Book	Foundation	£4.00