



Newsletter

Friday 19th December 2025
admin@marywebbschool.com



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

Monday 22 nd Dec —5 th Jan	Christmas Holiday
Tuesday 6 th January	Start of the New Term
Thursday 15 th January	Year 9 Options Evening
Monday 26 th January	GCSE Poetry Live Trip
Wednesday 28 th January	Curriculum Day
Wednesday 28 th January	Bronze Accompanied Training Day
Thursday 29 th January	Year 10 Parents Evening



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week
5th January 2026

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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.

Please note without your permission we cannot administer your child's medication.

www.marywebbschool.com

HAF—Winter Holiday Fun and Food in Shropshire

We are excited to share details about the **Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) Programme**, which offers **fun activities and healthy meals** for children and young people during the school holidays.

Free and Paid Places Available

- **Free places** are available for children and young people who are **in receipt of benefits-related Free School Meals (FSM)** - you will receive a **unique booking code** in a separate email if you are eligible.
- **Paid places** are also available for children and young people who are **not eligible for HAF**. These paid places are generally **heavily subsidised** and have been highlighted in the **What's On Guide** (sent via Parentmail).

SEND Opportunities - HAF providers are running holiday clubs with places available for **children and young people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND)**. These places are at settings offering **mainstream programmes** alongside a range of children and young people. These SEND-friendly opportunities have been highlighted in the **What's On Guide** (sent via Parentmail).

Important information before booking a place for a child with SEND:

- Please **contact providers directly** before booking to discuss your child's needs and ensure the activity is suitable.
- Currently, the HAF programme is **unable to fund 1:1 support**. Any child requiring 1:1 support must have this funding and support in place before attending.

How to book:

- All bookings are made **directly with the organisations running the clubs**.
 - Families eligible for HAF will need their **HAF code** when booking (sent via Parentmail).
- The What's On Guide also includes links to additional SEND resources and services. You can also view the guide and a searchable holiday club listing online:

👉 <https://next.shropshire.gov.uk/holiday-activities-and-food-programme-haf/haf-holiday-clubs/>



Winter Holiday Fun and Food in Shropshire **Book Now!**

Over the Winter holidays, HAF eligible children and young people aged 4 (reception class) to 16, are invited to attend free clubs happening across the county.

Food and drink will be provided at all the clubs.

A unique code and information about how to book a free place at a holiday club/s will be provided from school.

"Safe, enjoyable, fun and great to have somewhere for children to be." Parent.

Many holiday clubs have paid spaces available for those not eligible for HAF. Find out more:

Web: www.shropshire.gov.uk/haf

Email: HAF.programme@shropshire.gov.uk



SANTA TRAIL RUN

FORD VILLAGE HALL

**21ST
DECEMBER**
REGISTRATION OPENS 10AM
STARTS AT 11AM
PRIZES FOR
1ST 2ND & 3RD PLACE

**ROUTE
5K**

SHORTER ROUTE
FOR FAMILIES



ADULTS £5 | UNDER 16 £2
INCLUDES A SANTA HAT, MINCE PIE & HOT DRINK

FORD VILLAGE HALL, FORD SY5 9LU

JOIN THE FESTIVE FUN!
RUN, WALK, OR SLEIGH YOUR WAY TO THE FINISH LINE
ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE VILLAGE HALL

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	Reg	Positive Points
Lonsdale, Olivia	8C	51
Taylor, Rosie	8C	48
Thornley, Richie	8C	46
Jones, Chloe	8C	43
Marston, Amy	8C	43
Thomson, Eva	8L	41
Gore, Teri	8C	40
Lewis, Oliver	8C	40
Karsa, Fyllia	8C	38
Mansell, Jasmine	8C	38
Lewis, Emily	8C	35
Durham, Harvey	8L	34
Baynton, Floella	8C	33
Hughes, Alfie	8C	32
Lowrie-Herz, Lincoln	8L	32
Plomer, Archie	8C	32
Price, William	8C	32
Butler, Millie	8L	29
Richardson, Emily	8L	29
Byrne, Ella	8L	28
Davies, Evie	8L	28
Evans, Martha	8C	28
Leighton, Flo	8P	29
Edwards, Thomas	8L	28
Mansell, Sophia	11L	28
Hilton, Lily	8L	26
James, Isabel	11P	26
Corbett, Mia	9P	25
Evans, Isabelle	8C	25
Griffiths, Lola	11C	25
Highfield, Charlee-Ann	11C	25
Platt, Ollie	11P	25

REA VALLEY FOODBANK

Christmas & New Year Opening

★ Open for existing users, or if you want to come contact us or get referred, see below. ★

Call Greg
07902 794653
or Richard
07922 830488,
email or
message us.

Holy Trinity Church, Minsterley TUESDAY	St George's Church, Pontesbury THURSDAY
16 December Open as usual]]]+ Xmas extras]]]	18 December Open as usual]]]+ Xmas extras]]]
23 December Open as usual]]]+ Xmas extras]]]	25 December CLOSED CHRISTMAS DAY
30 December Open as usual	1 January NEW YEAR'S DAY Open as usual
6 January Open as usual	8 January Open as usual

Ask your GP,
school,
nursery,
social/health
worker,
housing
provider or
other support
agency.

www.reavalleyfoodbank.co.uk



Grange Primary School 
Part of the Marches Academy Trust

Winter Holiday Programme

**Grange
Primary School,
Shrewsbury**

**December
22nd, 29th, 30th
and 31st**

**9am to 1pm
with lunch
included**

**Sports, arts and crafts, quizzes,
dance, games, drama and more**

Book a place now at
4-all-foundation.classforkids.io

Please email HAF@4all.foundation to enquire about eligibility for free places (including for children who are eligible for Free School Meals).



Non-funded places are £8 per session, to include lunch



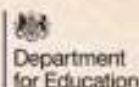
Winter Holiday Programme 2025



Winter Party day!

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Non-funded places are £16 per session, to include food.



Winter Holiday Programme 2025

**Admaston House,
Telford**

**I Can 2 members
only**

**Mon 22nd December
10am to 2pm**

**Arts and crafts, dance, music,
drama and more**

Book a place now at
4-all-foundation.classforkids.io



**Telford & Wrekin
COUNCIL**



**Department
for Education**



Longlands Primary School 
Part of the **Marches** Academy Trust

Winter Holiday Programme 2025

**Longlands
Primary School,
Market Drayton**

**December
22nd, 29th, 30th
and 31st**

**9am to 1pm,
to include
lunch**

**Sports, arts and crafts, quizzes,
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Winter Holiday Programme



**Lower Heath
Primary School,
Whitchurch**

**Tues 30th and
Wed 31st
December**

**9am to 1pm
with lunch
included**

**Sports, arts and crafts, quizzes,
dance, games, drama and more**

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Winter Holiday Programme 2025

**Pontesbury
Public Hall,
Main Road**

**Mon 22nd and
Mon 29th
December**

**8.30 – 4.30,
breakfast and
lunch included**

**Sports, arts and crafts, quizzes,
dance, games, drama and more**

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Winter Holiday Programme



December 2025

Sports, arts and crafts, quizzes, dance, games, drama and more

Grange Primary School, Shrewsbury: 22nd, 29th, 30th and 31st, 9am – 1pm

Harlescott Grange Community Hub, Shrewsbury: Winter Party Day, Monday 22nd, 9am – 4pm

Longlands Primary School, Market Drayton: 22nd, 29th, 30th and 31st, 9am – 1pm

Lower Heath CE Primary School, Whitchurch: 30th and 31st, 9am – 1pm

Pontesbury Public Hall: 22nd and 29th, 8.30am – 4.30pm

Sir John Talbot's School, Whitchurch: 22nd, 29th, 30th and 31st, 9am – 1pm

Tilstock CE Primary School CE, Whitchurch: 22nd and 29th, 9am – 1pm

Bushcraft trips: foraging, shelter building, fire- craft and navigation

For primary school children, leaving from Longlands Primary School: 23rd and 30th, 9am – 5pm

For secondary school children, leaving from Sir John Talbot's School: 22nd and 29th, 9am – 5pm

Book a place now at

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Non-funded places are £8 for half-day sessions, including lunch, and £16 for full-day sessions, including breakfast and lunch



Sir John Talbot's school 
part of the Marshes Academy Trust

Bushcraft Trips

**Foraging, fire-craft, navigation,
shelter building and much more**

**Leaving from the entrance of
Sir John Talbot's School**

Monday 22nd and Monday 29th December

9am to 5pm

Open to all secondary school pupils

Book a place now at
4-all-foundation.classforkids.io

Please email HAF@4all.foundation to enquire about eligibility for free places (including for children who are eligible for Free School Meals).



Non-funded places are £16 per session, to include food



Sir John Talbot's school 
part of the Mantles Academy Trust

Winter Holiday Programme

**Sir John
Talbot's School,
Whitchurch**

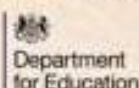
**December
22nd, 29th,
30th and 31st**

**9am to 1pm
including lunch.
Ages 4 - 11**

**Sports, arts and crafts, quizzes,
dance, games, drama and more**

Book a place now at
4-all-foundation.classforkids.io

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Winter Holiday Programme 2025



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Winter Holiday



Programme

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Primary School,
Whitchurch**

**Mon 22nd and
Mon 29th
December**

**9am to 1pm
with lunch
included**

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Bushcraft Trips

**Foraging, fire-craft, navigation,
shelter building and much more**

**Leaving from the entrance of
Longlands Primary School**

Tuesday 23rd and Tuesday 30th December

9am to 5pm

Open to all primary school pupils

Book a place now at
4-all-foundation.classforkids.io

Please email HAF@4all.foundation to enquire about eligibility for free places (including for children who are eligible for Free School Meals).



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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



Mary Webb School &
Science College



Post 16 open/taster events

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



Shrewsbury
College

School Leaver Roadshow: Shrewsbury

📅 22 September 2025
🕒 4:00pm-8:00pm

[MORE INFO](#)

Open Evening 2025: English Bridge Campus #1

📅 14 October 2025
🕒 5:00pm-8:00pm

[MORE INFO](#)

Open Evening 2025: London Road Campus #1

📅 23 October 2025
🕒 5:00pm-8:00pm

[MORE INFO](#)

Open Evening 2025: Welsh Bridge Campus #2

📅 6 November 2025
🕒 5:00pm-8:00pm

[MORE INFO](#)

Open Evening 2025: Welsh Bridge Campus #1

📅 14 October 2025
🕒 5:00pm-8:00pm

[MORE INFO](#)

Open Evening 2025: English Bridge Campus #2

📅 6 November 2025
🕒 5:00pm-8:00pm

[MORE INFO](#)



North Shropshire
College

Next Open Events

North Shropshire College Open Event -
Wednesday 11th February 2026



Walford
College

Next Open Events

Walford College Open Event - Saturday 7th
February 2026

marches school 
part of the Marches Academy Trust



Open Evening

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

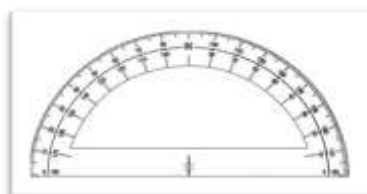
- As always, if you have any questions about these events or college applications. Please contact Mrs Wilkinson via email on:
victoria.wilkinson@marywebbschool.com



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.

Parentpay

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.

REVISION GUIDES FOR KS4 (YEARS 10 & 11)

Exam Body	Subject	Books	Guide	Level	Unit Price
PEARSON	PHYSICS	REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Physics Higher Revision Guide	Revision Guide	Higher	£6.00
PEARSON		REVISE Edexcel GCSE Physics Higher Revision Workbook	Work Book	Higher	£6.00
PEARSON		REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Physics Foundation Revision Guide	Revision Guide	Foundation	£6.00
PEARSON		REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Physics Foundation Revision Workbook	Work Book	Foundation	£6.00
PEARSON	CHEMISTRY	REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Chemistry Higher Revision Guide	Revision Guide	Higher	£6.00
PEARSON		REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Chemistry Higher Revision Workbook	Work Book	Higher	£6.00
PEARSON		REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Chemistry Foundation Revision Guide	Revision Guide	Foundation	£6.00
PEARSON		REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Chemistry Foundation Revision Workbook	Work Book	Foundation	£6.00
PEARSON	BIOLOGY	REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Biology Higher Revision Guide	Revision Guide	Higher	£6.50
PEARSON		REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Biology Higher Revision Workbook	Work Book	Higher	£6.50
PEARSON		REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Biology Foundation Revision Guide	Revision Guide	Foundation	£6.50
PEARSON		REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Biology Foundation Revision Guide	Work Book	Foundation	£6.50
PEARSON	COMBINED SCIENCE	REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Combined Science Higher Revision Guide	Revision Guide	Higher	£10.50
PEARSON		REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Combined Science Higher Revision	Work Book	Higher	£10.50
PEARSON		REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Combined Science Foundation	Revision Guide	Foundation	£10.50
PEARSON		REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Combined Science Foundation Guided	Work Book	Foundation	£10.50
PEARSON	COMPUTER SCIENCE	REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Computer Science Revision Guide	Revision Guide		£6.00
PEARSON		REVISE Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Computer Science Revision Workbook	Work Book		£6.00
PEARSON	STATISTICS	Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Statistics Higher Tier Revision Workbook			£3.50
PEARSON		Statistics Higher Tier Revision Guide and app			£3.50
PEARSON	MATHEMATICS	Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Maths Higher Tier Revision Guide	Revision Guide	Higher	£6.00
PEARSON		Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Maths Higher Tier Revision Workbook	Work Book	Higher	£6.00
PEARSON		Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Maths Foundation Tier Revision Guide	Revision Guide	Foundation	£6.00
PEARSON		Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Maths Foundation Tier Revision Workbook	Work Book	Foundation	£6.00
AQA	HUMANITIES	GCSE AQA Geography Revision guide	Grade 9-1		£3.50
AQA		GCSE Geography Knowledge Organiser & Retriever Bundle x2	Retriever Bundle		£4.50
PEARSON		GCSE Edexcel History 9-1 Revision guide	Grade 9-1		£3.50
PEARSON		GCSE Edexcel B Religious Studies	Grade 9-1		£3.50
AQA	ENGLISH	New GCSE English Language & Literature Exam Practice Workbook (includes Answers)	Grade 9-1		£3.50
AQA		GCSE English Literature AQA Poetry Guide: Power & Conflict Anthology	Grade 9-1		£3.50
AQA	SPANISH	GCSE Spanish Vocabulary AQA CPG Revision	Question Cards		£7.50
AQA		GCSE Spanish Complete Revision & Practice(NEW)	Revision Guide		£7.15
AQA		GCSE AQA Spanish Vocabulary Book	Vocab Book		£2.30
AQA		GCSE AQA Spanish Exam Practice Workbook	Work Book		£3.60
AQA	FRENCH	GCSE French Vocabulary AQA CPG Revision	Question Cards		£7.50
AQA		GCSE French Complete Revision & Practice(NEW)	Revision Guide		£7.15
AQA		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
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	SCIENCE	New KS3 Science Revision Guide – Higher (includes Online Edition, Videos & Quizzes)	Study Guide	Higher	£3.50
CGP		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	MATHS	Key Stage 3 Maths	Study guide	Higher	£3.50
CGP		Key Stage 3 Maths	Work Book	Higher	£4.00
CGP		Key Stage 3 Maths	Study guide	Foundation	£3.50
CGP		Key Stage 3 Maths	Work Book	Foundation	£4.00