

APLEY NEWS

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Happy New Year and a warm welcome back to everyone. I hope you have enjoyed the Christmas break.

I am delighted to be taking on the role of Acting Headteacher for the next two terms and I know that we will continue to enjoy and build on our previous successes, with a focus on ensuring our curriculum is engaging and that we maintain our high expectations and high standards of behaviour.

I would like to welcome three new teachers to the Apley team, Mrs Rachel Nightingale in Year 2, Base 4, Miss Emma Bloore in Year 3, Base 10 and Miss Rebecca Wade in Year 3, Base 9. I hope they enjoy working with us.



Our website will be updating over the next term, please look out for changes to the curriculum page to see what the offer is for your child's year group.

Remember, if you have any worries or concerns then please do not hesitate to speak to your child's class teacher, myself or any member of our Senior Leadership Team, who are Mrs Yvonne Thorpe (Acting Deputy Head), Mrs Sam Williams, Mr Daniel Taylor and Miss Lucy Smith. Mrs Thorpe will also be taking over the SENCo role from this term.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Ellen Smith

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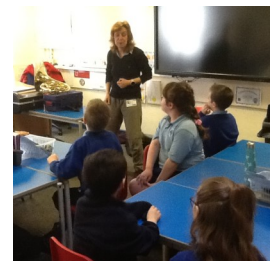
Year 4 and Year 5 are looking forward to Swimming lessons this term.

Swimming lessons start next week on Wednesday 15th January.

Please remember to bring your kits.

Year 3 enjoyed their first music lesson of the term.

They are learning how to play brass instruments and all had fun trying to make a sound using a trombone and a cornet.



Please can we remind you that unless your child is attending an after school club that the school day finishes at 3.15pm.

If you are running late to collect your child please inform school as soon as possible. Any child not collected on time will be put into the Hub. The Hub reserves the right to charge for late collection in order to cover staff time. A fee of £5 will be charged for the first 15 minutes and a further £5 for any subsequent 15 minute period.





COMING JANUARY 2020:

Munchies Monday

55's & over Luncheon Club
Engage with other local residents whilst enjoying a 2 course meal
£4 per person @ 12:30pm



After School Family Cooking Club
Learning about different foods, how to prepare a meal & desert and understand the importance of healthy eating, whilst enjoying quality family time together.
****£4 per family Max 8 families @ 3:30pm until 5:30pm**

To attend either groups, you will need to register your interest to reception a minimum of 5 days before. All children must be accompanied by an adult/guardian. Please highlight any allergens or dietary requirements you may have at the point of registering
****Based on a family of 4 (small additional fee for larger families)**

For Further information, Please contact reception on 01952 897111 or reception@theleegatecentre.co.uk

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Apley families can have the first week free if they Quote ApleyWoodPS as a booking Reference.

DATE	EVENT
Tuesday 14 th January	Base 5 Parent Lunch - 11.30am
Wednesday 15 th January	Year 4 First Swimming Session—AM
Wednesday 15 th January	Year 5 First Swimming Session—PM
Thursday 16 th January	Big Breakfast Themed Lunch
Friday 17 th January	Year 2 Break Time Cake Sale
Monday 20 th January	Young Voices - LG Arena Birmingham
Tuesday 21 st January	Base 6 Parent Lunch - 11.30am
Thursday 23 rd January	Parents English Workshop - Years 2,3 & 4 at 2.15pm
Thursday 30 th January	Year 1 Parent Phonics Workshop at 2.15pm
Thursday 30 th January	Shropshire Falconry Visit to see Reception Children
Friday 31 st January	Year 3 Break Time Cake Sale
Monday 3 rd February	E-Safety Week
Tuesday 4 th February	Base 3 Parent Lunch - 11.45am
Monday 10 th February	Parent Consultations
Tuesday 11 th February	Base 4 Parent Lunch - 11.45am
Wednesday 12 th February	Parent Consultations
Thursday 27 th February	Parent Maths Workshop Years 1-6 2.15pm-3.00pm

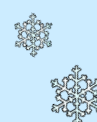
COLD WEATHER PROCEDURES

In the event of any severe weather, listen to BBC Radio Shropshire (96.0) or look at the following Telford & Wrekin website:

<http://apps.telford.gov.uk/snowline>

If the school is closed you will be sent a text.

PLEASE DO NOT PHONE THE SCHOOL.



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15 January 2020

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