

# Longden CE Primary School and Nursery Newsletter - Wednesday 13th November 2024



The children on our School Council have been talking about some of the things they would like to focus on this year. The first thing they mentioned was fundraising and the charities we could support. One of the big charity events in the UK is Children In Need, and the School Council would like us to take part this year. We would like to invite the children and staff to wear 'own clothes' this Friday in return for a donation on ParentPay. Please don't feel you have to go out and buy anything, children can wear whatever they like and it doesn't have to be official merchandise!

Children In Need Non-Uniform Day **Friday 15th November**

Safer Schools - a message from Ian Bartlett

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**Safer Schools**

*I recently attended an enthusiastic Safer Schools meeting at Longden CE Primary School and Nursery. Safer Schools is a safeguarding, security and safety process and this was an annual update meeting following the school's accreditation in 2009.*

*A thorough, positive and productive meeting. We reviewed security/safety, analysed parent/carer/pupil feedback, considered any school issues and planned for the future. An important aspect is listening to the views of parents/carers and pupils. As previously, the survey feedback was reassuring, informative and useful but overwhelmingly, it was excellent.*

*As part of the Safer School process, we reviewed any incidents/issues at the school of the past year and it was good news, no incidents since the previous meeting in 2023.*

*I was particularly impressed by the hard work of Mrs Johnson and governors in preparation for the Safer School meeting and it is a good reflection of the school's hard work in maintaining the Safer School accreditation. A future meeting is planned for Autumn 2025 and the school received an updated Safer School certificate in recognition of the school's responsible approach to security, safety and safeguarding. Congratulations!*

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**Ice Cream Orders now OPEN for Sleeping Beauty at Theatre Severn-  
Friday 10th January 2025**



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*Pupils (and adults!) have the option of ordering an ice cream at the theatre on Friday 10th January. Cost is £2.60.*

*Please specify choice in notes on ParentPay.*

Choices are: Vanilla Ice Cream Tub, Chocolate Ice Cream Tub, Orange Calippo and Sorbet  
(Dairy Free)

## Updated Menu from 11th November 2024

### Menu Week 1






MENU					
LONGDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL MENU WEEK ONE: 11 <sup>th</sup> Nov, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec, 13 <sup>th</sup> Jan, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Feb, 10 <sup>th</sup> & 17 <sup>th</sup> Mar 2025					
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
THE MAIN EVENT	Beef Burgers 	Chilli Con Carne 	Traditional Roast Pork 	Pasta Neapolitan(V) or Macaroni Cheese 	Chicken Nuggets 
ON THE SIDE	Herby Diced Potatoes	50/50 Rice or Pasta Nachos	Yorkshire Pudding & Tasty Gravy	Garlic Bread	Chips or Pasta
TO FINISH	Pasta, Sweetcorn Baked Beans Salad	Crusty Bread Cauliflower, Sweetcorn	Roast Potatoes New Potatoes Broccoli, Peas	Green beans, Carrots/Salad	Sweetcorn Green Beans Baked Beans
AVAILABLE DAILY	Fruit Muffin	Chocolate Shortbread	Fruit Jelly	Strawberry Mousse	Assorted Cookies
Available Daily: Healthy Side Salad, Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit Pots Pre order only Jacket Potato Cheese/ Beans <u>Vegetarian options are available upon request- Please speak to the school office for more information</u>					








# Menu Week 2

# MENU

LONGDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL MENU WEEK TWO: 18<sup>th</sup> Nov, 9<sup>th</sup> Dec, 20<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10<sup>th</sup> Feb, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> Mar, 14<sup>th</sup> April 2025

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
THE MAIN EVENT	Butter Chicken Curry  Naan Bread 50/50 Rice	Big Breakfast  Sausage Scrambled Eggs	Traditional Roast Chicken  Yorkshire Pudding and Tasty Gravy Cauliflower Cheese	Toad in the Hole  Mashed Potatoes	Breaded Salmon Fishcake  Chips or Pasta
ON THE SIDE	Sweetcorn Peas Salad	Baked Beans Mushrooms Crusty Bread	Roast Potatoes Mashed Potatoes Carrots & Peas	Carrots Green Beans Salad	Baked Beans Peas & Sweetcorn Salad
TO FINISH	Fruit Jelly	Iced Sponge Cake	Angel Delight	Cornflake Cake	Eton Mess
AVAILABLE DAILY	Available Daily: Healthy Side Salad, Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit Pots Pre order only Jacket Potato Cheese/Beans <u>Vegetarian options are available upon request- Please speak to the school office for more information</u>				

## Menu Week 3

LONGDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL MENU WEEK THREE: 25 <sup>th</sup> Nov, 16 <sup>th</sup> Dec, 6 <sup>th</sup> Jan, 27 <sup>th</sup> Jan, 17 <sup>th</sup> Feb, 10 <sup>th</sup> Mar, 31 <sup>st</sup> Mar 2025					
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
THE MAIN EVENT	Tomato & Mascarpone Pasta or Mac 'N' Cheese  Toasted Ciabatta Bread	Meatballs in a Rich Tomato Sauce  Garlic Bread	Traditional Roast Pork Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy  Seasoned Stuffing & Tasty Gravy	Chicken & Cheese Quesadilla  50/50 Rice or Pasta	Selection of Pizza  Potato Wedges Pasta
ON THE SIDE	Baked Beans Peas & Sweetcorn Salad	Carrot & Broccoli Salad	Roast Potatoes Mashed Potatoes Carrots & Cauliflower	Green Beans Sweetcorn Baked Beans, Salad	Baked Beans Peas & Carrots Salad
TO FINISH	Fruit Topped Waffle	Sparkling Fruit Jelly	Iced Sponge Cake	Chocolate Brownie	Assorted Cookies
AVAILABLE DAILY	Available Daily: Healthy Side Salad, Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit Pots Pre order only: Jacket Potato Cheese/ Beans Vegetarian options are available upon request- Please speak to the school office for more information				

## Swimming Lessons 24/25 - Year 6 Lessons commencing Wednesday 13th November 2024

*We are changing the organisation and delivery of swimming lessons from September 2024. We will continue to go to Shrewsbury School for lessons but these will now start for children in Year 4 and 5 for eight weeks. This will mean that these year groups have dedicated sessions to develop their competence and proficiency in the water.*

*Any Year 5 children who are unable to swim 25 metres at the end of these blocks will be offered additional small group lessons in Year 5 & 6.*

*We know that younger children may be disappointed to not be going swimming with school, but we hope that by having smaller, focused groups with more lessons provided, the children will benefit greatly from these new arrangements. **Year 6 will commence their lessons on Wednesday 13th November.***

*Please check ParentPay to provide consent and a contribution towards the cost of these lessons. We are again this year subsidising 50% of the cost of these lessons. If you are unable to make a contribution please contact Mrs Johnson or Mrs Bradshaw to request support. Thank you*

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<b>LONGDEN SWIMMING SCHEDULE 2024-25 AY</b>				
<b>Year Group</b>	<b>Weeks in Block</b>	<b>Dates</b>	<b>Weekday</b>	<b>Session Time</b>
Year 4 and 5	1	11/09/2024	Wednesday	11.15am-12.15pm
Year 4 and 5	2	18/09/2024	Wednesday	11.15am-12.15pm
Year 4 and 5	3	25/09/2024	Wednesday	11.15am-12.15pm
Year 4 and 5	4	02/10/2024	Wednesday	11.15am-12.15pm
Year 4 and 5	5	09/10/2024	Wednesday	11.15am-12.15pm
Year 4 and 5	6	16/10/2024	Wednesday	11.15am-12.15pm
Year 4 and 5	7	23/10/2024	Wednesday	11.15am-12.15pm
Year 4 and 5	8	06/11/2024	Wednesday	11.15am-12.15pm

## Use of the school driveway and car park - staff and authorised visitors only



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*Please remember to park on Plealey Lane when bringing your child(ren) to and from clubs **before** and **after the school day**. The school drive is busy with staff and authorised visitors throughout the day. We want to avoid pedestrians and vehicles using this access at the same time, and so reducing the number of vehicles using this access is of benefit to us all.*

*Thank you for your understanding.*

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## Clubs for Autumn Term 2 - available to book now on ParentPay!

Longden CE Primary School & Nursery					
After School Sports and Activity Clubs Autumn Term 2 (w/c 4th November - w/c 9th December 2024)					
Day	Club	Details	Time	Cost	Age Groups and Tutors
Tuesday	Football	The group will be split into three teams based on age/ability (YR1/2; Y3/4; YR5/6)	3:15pm-4:15pm	£3.50 per session	For Years 1- 6: run by Passmaster coaches
Tuesday	Loopy Loos Drama	Drama and Performing Arts Club	3:15pm-4:15pm	£3.50 per session	For Years 3-6: with Lucy Lowrie-Herr
Wednesday	Jammy Dodgers	'Jammy Dodgers' - a multi skills fun club with small sided games. Run by an experienced PE coach, Sasha, from Passmasters	3:15pm-4:15pm	£3.50 per session	For Reception, Year 1 and Year 2: run by Passmaster coaches
Wednesday	Ukulele Club	Years 2 and 3 from beginner level (max of 15 children)	3:15pm-4:15pm	No charge	Years 2 and 3: with Mr Higgs
Thursday	Livewires	Inclusive fun club from Reception to Year 6, aimed at children with disabilities or those who may need a little encouragement to participate in sport. Child-led fun games and activities with a focus on keeping fit and active whilst building friendships.	3:15pm-4:15pm	£3.50 per session	For Reception to Year 6: run by Passmaster coaches

Please note: To sign up for any after school clubs please log into ParentPay and click on the Yellow Banner on the homepage. All clubs are available to book in blocks every half term. Please book before the start of each half term to ensure your child's name is on the register. \*All clubs will run from w/c 04/11/2024 until w/c 09/12/24. Please note we accept tax free childcare vouchers for payment of sports and activity clubs. Please enquire at the school office for further information.

See details of all clubs for this half term on our website here<sup>1</sup>

## MyNametags

Fed up of scouring lost property and want to make sure your children's belongings make their way back home for a change, whilst also raising valuable funds for resources and experiences that benefit all of the children at Longden?

The PTA have teamed up with MyNametags, a great company that produce custom name stickers, who will donate 24% of the value of every order back to the PTA.

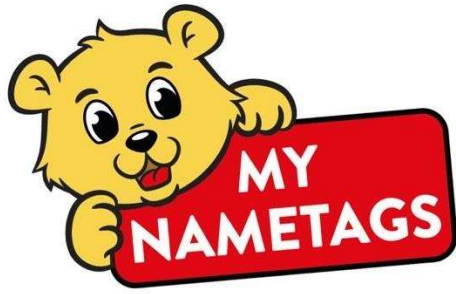
Last time we checked there was also something in it for you - we found a 15% discount code although no guarantees how long that will work :)

Enter **VOUCHER15CODES** in the discount code box at checkout first then further down, tick the box that asks if you have a school id, and enter **108853** in the box after it (if it's not pre-populated).

<https://www.mynametags.com/affiliate?id=108853>

Top Tip: enter your mobile number as the second line on the name label - it's surprising the number of times you'll be reunited with your children's belongings when strangers find them at the park/pool/Attingham and will then text or call!

<sup>1</sup><https://primarysite-prod-sorted.s3.amazonaws.com/longden-shropshire/UploadedDocument/dfd77b50-92a6-4e05-a1db-183cebe8b711/after-school-sports-and-activities-clubs-info-as-at-25.10.24.pdf>



Forest School - things we always need!



School Uniform - Lost Property and Preloved Uniform

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**Lost Property** - after just a few weeks into term there is already a large amount of lost property in school. If you are missing things please **check the box under the counter in the library**. Please ensure all items are labelled so we can reunite items with their owners.

*Pre-loved uniform - there is now a clothes rail in the reception lobby where items of pre-loved uniform are available. Please pop and help yourself as required. We welcome donations of any preloved uniform. Please ensure items are washed, thank you.*

## Longden CE Primary School and Nursery - Terms and Holiday Programme 2024-25

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<https://www.longden.shropshire.sch.uk/term-dates-and-school-opening-hours/>

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September 2024		October 2024		November 2024		December 2024		January 2025	
M	2 9 16 23 30	M	7 14 21 28	M	4 11 18 25	M	2 9 16 23 30	M	6 13 20 27
T	3 10 17 24	T	8 15 22 29	T	5 12 19 26	T	3 10 17 24 31	T	7 14 21 28
W	4 11 18 25	W	2 9 16 23 30	W	6 13 20 27	W	4 11 18 25	W	1 8 15 22 29
Th	5 12 19 26	Th	3 10 17 24 31	Th	7 14 21 28	Th	5 12 19 26	Th	2 9 16 23 30
F	6 13 20 27	F	4 11 18 25	F	1 8 15 22 29	F	6 13 20 27	F	3 10 17 24 31
S	7 14 21 28	S	5 12 19 26	S	2 9 16 23 30	S	7 14 21 28	S	4 11 18 25
Su	1 8 15 22 29	Su	6 13 20 27	Su	3 10 17 24	Su	1 8 15 22 29	Su	5 12 19 26

February 2025		March 2025		April 2025		May 2025		June 2025	
M	3 10 17 24	M	3 10 17 24 31	M	7 14 21 28	M	5 12 19 26	M	2 9 16 23 30
T	4 11 18 25	T	4 11 18 25	T	1 8 15 22 29	T	6 13 20 27	T	3 10 17 24
W	5 12 19 26	W	5 12 19 26	W	2 9 16 23 30	W	7 14 21 28	W	4 11 18 25
Th	6 13 20 27	Th	6 13 20 27	Th	3 10 17 24	Th	1 8 15 22 29	Th	5 12 19 26
F	7 14 21 28	F	7 14 21 28	F	4 11 18 25	F	2 9 16 23 30	F	6 13 20 27
S	1 8 15 22 29	S	1 8 15 22 29	S	5 12 19 26	S	3 10 17 24 31	S	7 14 21 28
Su	2 9 16 23	Su	2 9 16 23 30	Su	6 13 20 27	Su	4 11 18 25	Su	1 8 15 22 29

July 2025		August 2025	
M	7 14 21 28	M	4 11 18 25
T	1 8 15 22 29	T	5 12 19 26
W	2 9 16 23 30	W	6 13 20 27
Th	3 10 17 24 31	Th	7 14 21 28
F	4 11 18 25	F	1 8 15 22 29
S	5 12 19 26	S	2 9 16 23 30
Su	6 13 20 27	Su	3 10 17 24 31

Shropshire Council	
School Day	190
School Holiday	57
Bank Holiday	8
PD Days	5

2024/2025	
Autumn 1st Half	38 days
Autumn 2nd Half	35 days
Spring 1st Half	29 days
Spring 2nd Half	35 days
Summer 1st Half	18 days
Summer 2nd Half	38 days
Staff Total	195 days
Pupil Total	190 days

(Pupils required to attend for 190 days)

## Key Longden Calendar Dates for the 24/25 academic year

An overview of all the key dates of events and activities throughout the 24/25 academic year is now available on our website: <https://longden-shropshire.secure-primariesite.net/term-dates/>

Dates for the diary - Autumn Term

Chestnut Class Visit the Flaxmill - **Tuesday 26th November 2024**



PTA Wreath Making - **Wednesday 27th November 2024**



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***Date: Wednesday 27th November***

***Time: 7-9pm***

***Location: School Hall***

***Price: £20***

*We are so excited to be holding a Christmas Wreath making Workshop at School this year!*

*Come and join the fun on Wednesday 27th November, 7-9pm.*

*Spaces are limited, so please book your space/s via ParentPay by Friday 22nd November.*

*We look forward to seeing you there!*

*From the PTA Team :-)*

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## Grown Ups Christmas Social



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***Friday 13th December***

***Time: 8-11pm***

***Location: Longden Village Hall***

***Price: £10***

*Kick off the Christmas festivities with our adults only social evening - a chance to relax and mingle with our fellow parents and carers!*

*Line up the childcare, invite others along, and join us for a pop up bar at Longden village hall.  
We'll have a delicious selection of beverages, including wines from Tanners.*

*Tickets cost £10 and include a first drink of your choice and some accompanying nibbles! On sale on ParentPay now.*

*Feel free to organise a taxi home and leave the car behind at the end of the night!*

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## Christmas Performances - **Mon 16th & Tue 17th Dec 24**

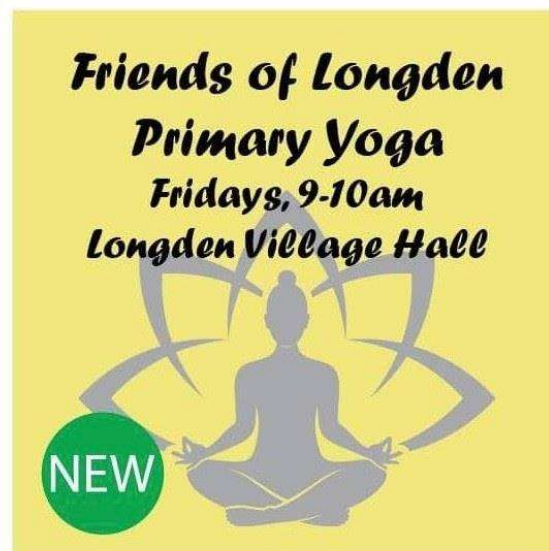
This year children will be taking part in performances as three groups.

Nursery performance is on Wednesday 18th December (in the afternoon, time to be confirmed)

Willow and Maple Class performances are on Monday 16th December at 2pm and Tuesday 17th December at 6pm.

Ash, Chestnut and Oak performances are on Monday 16th December at 6pm and on Tuesday 17th December at 1.30pm.

## Weekly Yoga



Start Date: Friday 15th November

Frequency: Weekly, during term time

Time: 9-10am

Location: Longden Village Hall

Price: £7 per class PAYG

Fancy improving your core strength and flexibility or just need a quiet hour in the week to focus on yourself for a change?

Friends of Longden Primary Yoga is starting on Friday 15th November with experienced instructor, Lizzie Daley signed up to lead the classes.

The one hour, all-abilities class will be held every Friday during term time at 9am in the Longden Village Hall.

Blankets, blocks and mats will be provided for those that don't have their own.

The cost is £7 per class on a pay as you go basis. Bank transfer or PayPal payments on the day please.

The first event, on the 15th November, will be followed by coffee and a croissant (suggested donation £3) for those that would like to stay for a natter afterwards.

After expenses, all profits will go to the PTA whose fundraising provides much needed resources and experiences that benefit all of the children at Longden Primary School.

Please join the Friends of Longden Primary Yoga WhatsApp group if you're hoping to join us sometimes, so that we can keep you informed of any class updates and answer any queries.

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/JggzJrYRGro2pTAAuztWi5>

**Friends of Longden Primary Yoga<sup>2</sup>**

WhatsApp Group Invite<sup>3</sup>

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# Christmas Fayre - Saturday 16th November 2024

A free event for the entire family to enjoy!

Cross Houses presents

# Christmas Fayre

At Cross Houses Community Centre

November 16th  
10am-4pm

- 30+ stalls
- Candles & glassware
- Face Painting
- Childrens Crafts
- Book stall
- Gifts
- Tombola

# Christmas Fayre at the Red Lion - Monday 2nd December 2024

## *Christmas Fayre*

The Red Lion,  
Longden Common



Monday 2nd December  
6pm - 9pm

A festive Evening to Enjoy,  
Start Christmas Shopping Or  
Treat Yourself!

*Stalls*

*Mulled Wine*

*Bar*

*Mince Pies*

*Christmas Cards*

*Christmas Music*

## Sealegs Puppet Show at Longden - **Thursday 19th Dec 24**



## Whole School - Sleeping Beauty Pantomime @ Theatre Severn - **Friday 10th Jan 2025**

Nativity The Musical, Barnes Theatre, Shrewsbury, Wed 18th  
December 2024 - Sun 22nd December 2024

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*One of our pupils, Rowan, will be appearing in this production. Follow this link to get tickets  
for this family show in December. Good luck Rowan!*

*Nativity! The Musical Tickets <sup>4</sup>*

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<sup>4</sup><https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/whats-on/shrewsbury/barnes-theatre/smtc-presents-nativity-the-musical/e-zmjmeb>

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# Nativity!

The Musical

*It's time to sparkle and shine!*

Barnes Theatre  
Shrewsbury

December 18th - 22nd 2024

# Passmaster Coaching - All Girls Development Squad



September 2024

## **Launch of all-girls development squad in Shropshire**

A Shropshire-based sports coaching company has launched a new all-girls football development squad to give U10 and U11 players greater access to advanced-level training.

The development programme, led by experienced professional UEFA B licence coaches, aims to help young female players develop their technical skills alongside their typical grassroots team.

The academy-style training programme, led by Passmaster Coaching, is run on Thursday evenings at London Road Sports Centre, Shrewsbury. The company is inviting a limited number of players to join the new squad. Players will also have opportunities to play development games against other teams.

"We wanted to give girls more opportunities to develop their technical skills, as the options are quite limited in Shropshire, and we were keen to promote the girls' game, which is growing all the time," said head coach and Passmaster director Lee Green.

"The programme is designed to complement any grassroots football teams or other sessions that players may already be attending, ensuring they continue to progress in a supportive and professional environment.

"Our goal is to help each child maximise their potential, allowing them to express themselves in every session."

The planned syllabus focuses on improving a wide range of technical skills, such as ball control, passing, dribbling and shooting, while enhancing players' overall understanding of the game.

The sessions are delivered by Lee Green and fellow coach Steve Green, who have extensive coaching experience developing young talent.

The parents of interested players are asked to email [contact@passmastercoaching.co.uk](mailto:contact@passmastercoaching.co.uk) with their child's name and the name of their current grassroots team.

Yours sincerely,

Tina Dean

Passmaster business manager

# Shropshire Parenting Help and Support Line

## 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 Workshops

Join us on one of our virtual or face-to-face workshops 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 Workshops start:

Sleep Tight on Thursday 19th September 2024 from 12.45pm to 2.45pm Virtually via MS Teams

Sleep Tight SEND Friday 20th September 2024 from 9.30am to 11.30am at Wilfred Owen School, Shrewsbury, SY2 5SH

Sleep Tight SEND on Thursday 7th November 2024 from 12.45pm to 2.45pm Virtually via MS Teams

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

Find out more here



## Raising any safeguarding concerns as a parent

- Please report your concerns to Shropshire First Point Of Contact on 0345 678 9021
- If you need to report concerns out of office hours please contact the Emergency Social Work Team<sup>5</sup> on 0345 678 9040 selecting option 1

You can also speak to:

- Protecting Vulnerable People (West Mercia Police): 0300 333 3000
- NSPCC: 0800 800 5000
- Childline: 0800 1111

You can also talk to Mrs Johnson in school.

If you want to report criminal behaviour, please telephone 0800 555 111 or go to <https://www.westmercia.police.uk/ro/report/ocr/af/how-to-report-a-crime/>

## Family Foundations for first time parents

**Baby on the way?**

**Feel confident with our Family Foundations group**

Is this your first baby together? Find out how Family Foundations could benefit your family, through one of our free, online, info sessions. Sessions will last 45 minutes with time for questions afterwards.

- Wed 6 Nov 2024, 5pm
- Mon 11 Nov 2024, 1pm
- Wed 13 Nov 2024, 9.30am
- Mon 9 Dec 2024, 1pm
- Fri 13 Dec 2024, 9.30am
- Wed 18 Dec 2024, 5pm

Email [parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk](mailto:parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk) to book




Find out more here

Shropshire Council

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<sup>5</sup><https://shropshire.gov.uk/emergency-social-work-team/>

## Shrewsbury Hockey Club



**ENJOY HOCKEY!  
AT SHREWSBURY  
HOCKEY CLUB**



Learn from fully qualified England Hockey accredited coaches.

**Children age 4-10** - Sundays at 10.30am-12pm.

**Children age 10+** - Tuesdays at 6-7pm & Wednesdays at 7-8.15pm.

Sessions at **Roman Road Sports Centre, Meole Brace School.**

✓ Beginners Welcome   ✓ Equipment Provided   ✓ Free Taster Session

  **ENGLAND HOCKEY**

Contact: James - 07837 708 773  
shrewsburyhc\_juniors@outlook.com  
www.shrewsburyhockeyclub.co.uk

## Free School Transport

Is your child attending the nearest and/or catchment primary school and living two miles or more from school? If so, they may be entitled to receive free school transport. Please read through the guidance notes below and following that, should you wish to apply, please follow the link below.

You can apply for either free school transport at a community school or school transport assistance on denominational (religious) grounds

In order to be eligible to receive free school transport the following criteria must normally be met:

- The pupil must be ordinarily resident in Shropshire
- The pupil must be in attendance at either the nearest, or catchment area school and live more than 2 miles away (for primary aged pupils) or 3 miles away (for secondary aged pupils). Distances are measured using the shortest pedestrian route between the home and school.

<https://www.shropshire.gov.uk/school-transport/available-support/primary/>