



# Telford Junior School

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## SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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### Important Reminder – Allergies in School

Following a recent incident, we would like to remind all parents and carers that, to help keep our children safe, we ask that **no nuts, sesame seeds or lentils** are brought into school. Some pupils have severe allergies, and even small amounts of these foods can cause a serious allergic reaction.

When preparing packed lunches and snacks, please check ingredients carefully and avoid items containing nuts (including peanut butter, Nutella and other nut-based spreads), sesame seeds, lentils, or products that contain these ingredients. We also ask that this is taken into consideration if bringing in treats to celebrate birthdays or other special occasions.

We appreciate your support and cooperation in helping us maintain a safe environment for all children.

### World Cup Celebration Open Afternoon

We are delighted to invite families to our World Cup Celebration Week Open Afternoon on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June at 2.30pm. Throughout the week, each class will be researching and celebrating a different country, with pupils creating a range of exciting artwork inspired by their chosen nation. During the afternoon, parents and carers will have the opportunity to view the children's work and visit our newly completed building. Team Telford will also be hosting a raffle and serving refreshments on the playground, providing a wonderful chance for our school community to come together and celebrate the children's learning and achievements. We look forward to welcoming you.

### Year Group Padlets

Please follow the links below to your child's Year Group Padlet, for information about year group and home learning activities:

- ❖ [Year 3 Home School Partnership Padlet](#)
- ❖ [Year 4 Home Schol Partnership Padlet](#)
- ❖ [Year 5 Home School Partnership Padlet](#)
- ❖ [Year 6 Home School Partnership Padlet](#)



## Language Angels

We are excited to announce that **Telford Junior School** is taking part in a Language Angels challenge, the Glurbs Language Quest, where schools can win a school resources grant and we need your help! Our pupils are on a mission to boost our school's ranking by completing fun, curriculum-aligned language lessons in the Glurbs app. Designed by the team behind Language Angels, Glurbs features safe, structured, curriculum-aligned learning for children aged 4-12.

### How to join the mission:

1. **Download:** Scan the QR code below or search for "Glurbs" in your app store (Apple or Google Play).



2. **Register:** Join the competition by pressing on the "Language Quest" button and enter our unique school code **8XAQ7PS**.
3. **Enjoy:** Start learning and exploring! Completing planets and activities earns points for our school throughout the challenge and helps us move up the competition leaderboard!

The app is free to download and participation is completely optional. Thank you for supporting **Telford Junior School** and encouraging language learning beyond the classroom. For full details, please visit [www.glurbs.com](http://www.glurbs.com).

## Bringing Antarctica to Year 4

On Thursday, Year 4 were visited by Lynnette, an Antarctic Ambassador, to support their Geography topic on biomes and to link with their Science learning about food webs. Lynnette shared fascinating stories and photographs from her trip to Antarctica, bringing the children's learning to life.

Lynnette was impressed by the children's excellent listening skills, their understanding of advanced vocabulary and the thoughtful questions they asked throughout the session.

The children thoroughly enjoyed using their new knowledge to create some amazing follow-up booklets and posters, showcasing all that they have learned about this unique and important environment.



## Re-Opening of the School Library

We are delighted that our school library has now reopened, giving children the opportunity to once again choose and borrow library books alongside their class reading book. Staff have worked hard to create a welcoming and inspiring space, spending time tidying the library, removing outdated reading materials and replenishing stock with a range of exciting new books. The library is now a lovely environment for children to visit with their class, explore different genres and share a love of reading together. We look forward to seeing our young readers enjoy all that the library has to offer.



## Area Athletics



On Wednesday, around 60 children proudly represented Telford Junior School at the Local Area Athletics Competition, competing in a wide range of track and field events. Despite battling through torrential downpours for much of the day, our athletes demonstrated fantastic determination, resilience and sportsmanship, performing exceptionally well throughout. We are delighted that a number of children have qualified to represent the school at the Area Finals later this month. A special congratulations goes to Reet, Jaxon, Phoebe, Alex and Archie, who were all crowned winners in their respective events. We are incredibly proud of all the children who took part and represented the school with such enthusiasm. Well done, Team Telford!



## Year 6 Fundraising Day



Last Friday, our Year 6 children took part in a series of fundraising events to raise money for their end-of-year Fun Day. The day was a resounding success, with plenty of determination, teamwork and laughter on display.

Redwood took on the challenge of keeping the rowing machine going for the entire school day and achieved an incredible 53,857 metres. Willow had great fun taking part in their whacky races, while Spruce faced a real challenge (and provided plenty of laughs!) with their famous worm race.

A huge thank you to everyone who supported the event. We will now begin counting the money raised and look forward to using it to create a fantastic and memorable Fun Day for our Year 6 children, as they celebrate the end of their primary school journey.

With best wishes for the weekend,

Richard Siviter