Newsletter

w/c 2nd November 2026 – No 8

Fri 30/10	Order lunches by 12 am for w/c 02/11
Wed 28/10	Y4 £60 deposit due today for residential trip Order Tempest photos by today
Mon 2/11	October Breakfast Club Invoices due for payment UU Swimming 1 pm
Tue 3/11	YR & Y1 Woodland Work
Wed 4/11	order lunches for w/c 9/11 by 12 am
Thur 5/11	Book Fair 3.15 – 3.45 pm
Fri 6/11	Non Uniform Day - £1+ - My Dream Job …… (see poster) Cookery 9am • FW, YS, HH, MG, TG, FB, RG, BG • £2.50, tin, apron, special ingredients MU & UU Outdoor PE Kit & Trainers Reading Afternoon 2.45 pm Y2-4 Multi-skills 3.15 pm – 4 pm Last day to buy Poppy Merchandise

Book Fair

Please see the separate poster in the newsletter with all the details of the upcoming bookfair and how you can browse and pay for books with your children.

Tempest Photo Orders 28/10

Tempest have been in touch to confirm the exact last date that orders can be made online, with free delivery to school is 28th October.

Piano Lessons

Beth has some availability for piano lessons in school time for children aged 5 and up. £13.50 for 20 minutes or £20 per 30 minutes. If you are interested in your child having lessons, then please contact her on 07773507584 or beth.gray950@gmail.com

Poppy Appeal until 6/11

Please see the attached pictures of the Poppy Merchandise that is situated in the foyer, outside the office window. Children may bring money to school to purchase items with the help of staff. We can do this at breaktime or parents can assist before or after school. Recommended donations of £1.

Last weekend was our grounds day, thank you to all our volunteers who worked hard to make short work of tidying up our school grounds, they are looking amazing and ready for lots more activities and fun for the children. I hope you all have a lovely family time over half-term. The children have certainly earned a break after an intense few weeks. We are very sad to be saying goodbye to Mrs Holloway but wish her lots of joy and happiness on her maternity leave. We will be welcoming Mrs Shipton, who is joining the LU team. See you on the other side

Mrs Jordan and the Team

Maths Homework Pages

Lower Unit – Year 1	23-25
Middle Unit – Year 1	23-25
Middle Unit – Year 2	23-25
Upper Unit – Year 3	TTS
Upper Unit – Year 4	TTS

Christmas Shop 20/11 -30/11

The Christmas shop will reopen on November 20th and close at midday on November 30th for anyone wanting to order more Christmas merchandise using their child's design template.

Mrs Turner has put letters in book bags, for children who have been given a place at Multi Skills & Tag Rugby After School Clubs.

MU & UU Outside PE

After half term Mu & UU will be doing PE outside on Fridays and will need tracksuits and trainers please to wear over normal PE Kit so that they are warm whilst they are outside. Indoor PE may still take place on other days. We are simply stating the need for the addition of a tracksuit and trainers on a Friday.

Messages at the School Gate in the Morning

Mrs Jordan kindly requests that verbal messages are not passed to her at the school gate in the morning. All messages about pick ups, medicine, illness, lunches etc should all be emailed to the office, so we do not forget. Mornings are a busy time, and messages are easily forgotten or are difficult to recall. Please take the time to email the school office, where messages can be printed out and given to the correct person. Help us to get it right for you.

Reception Children—Morning Drop Off

From next week, Monday 19th October, all Reception children will join the rest of the school in the playground each morning, rather than coming straight up to class through the LU decking. Adults are asked not come onto the playground, but to wait with other parents on the footpath outside. Please say goodbye to your child at the metal gate. If your child enters the playground before 8.45 am to play with their friends, they are not allowed to go back out of the gate. This is to make sure everyone is safe. Your child can choose to stay with you on the footpath until the bell goes at 8.45 am if you prefer. You are free to leave your child safely in the playground and go to work, once a member of staff is present to supervise the play-ground at 8.35 am, following our morning briefing.

Lunches w/c 02/11

Please remember to book your lunches for w/c 02/11 by midnight on 28/10. ParentPay often use the holidays for website maintenance so please don't leave bookings until the last minute. Thank you.

Dates for the Diary – Updates are highlighted in Red

- Friday 30th October – Y4 £60 Residential Deposits due
- Monday 2nd November—Children return to school 8.45 am
- Monday 2nd November—PTA Meeting 6.30 pm—tbc
- Friday 6th November – "When I grow up I want to be a ……." dress up day - £1 for school council
- Friday 6th November—Reading Morning 8.45 am to 9.10 pm
- Thursday 5th November—Book Fair arrives—details tbc
- Thursday 12th November—Book Fair Leaves
- Friday 13th November – Children in Need – dress up in yellow & spots
- Thursday 19th November—Movie Night TBC
- Friday 20th November – Christmas shop re-opens
- Monday 30th November – Christmas Shop closes at midday
- Tuesday 1st December—LU planned trip—details tbc
- Sunday 6th December—10.30 am Christingle Service at Tibberton Church
- Wednesday 16th December – Christmas Dinner – order by midnight on 09/12
- Thursday 24th December—5 pm—Children's Carol Service
- Friday 15th January—Deadline to apply for Y5 school place
- Friday 14th May—Y4 Bikeability—Y4 children will need to be able to ride a bike by this date.
- Wednesday 5th May—Friday 7th May—Y4 Residential—details tbc
- Thursday 6th May—Y3 Outwards Bounds Day—details tbc

Attendance	LU	MU	UU
w/c 19/10	99.5%	95.5%	95.6%

Club	Available to:	Planned day:	Dates	Cost:	No of sessions
Multi Skills	Y2-4 Cricket Foundation Coach	Friday 3.15 – 4 pm	Nov 6, 13, 20 Dec 4	£0 Fully Funded	4
Tag Rugby Club	Y2-4 Worcester Warriors Coach	Thursday 3.15 – 4.15 pm	Jan 7, 14, 21, 28 Feb 4, 11	Approx £2 per session subsidised by school	6

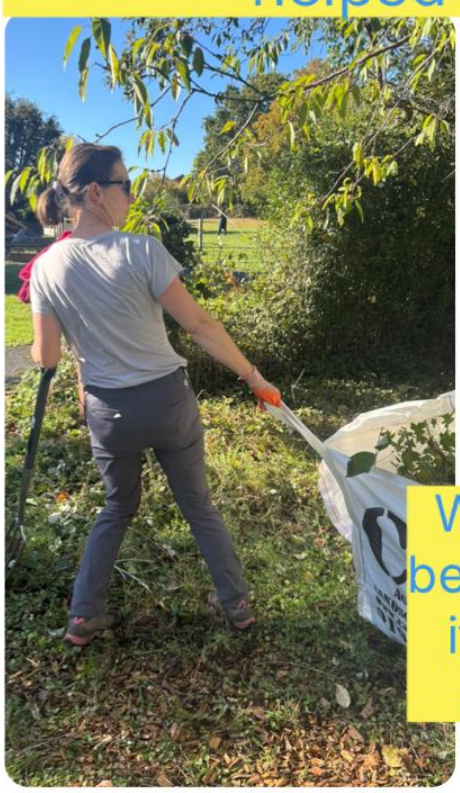


Poppy Appeal Merchandise – recommended donation is £1





Thank you so much to everyone who came and helped at our grounds morning.





We wouldn't have such beautiful school grounds, if it wasn't for such an amazing team effort.





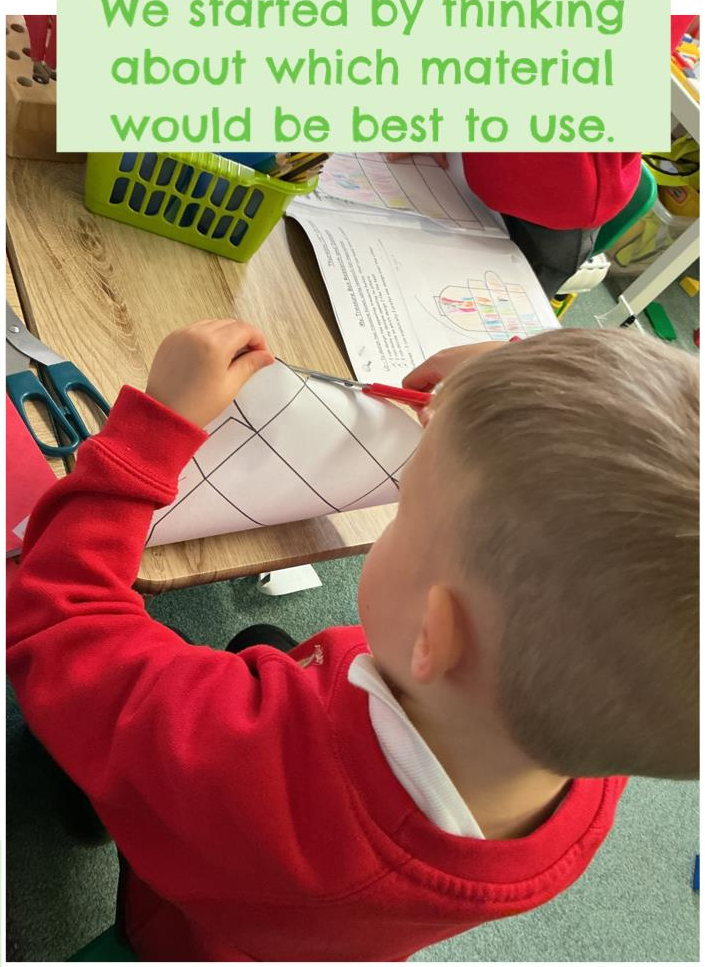
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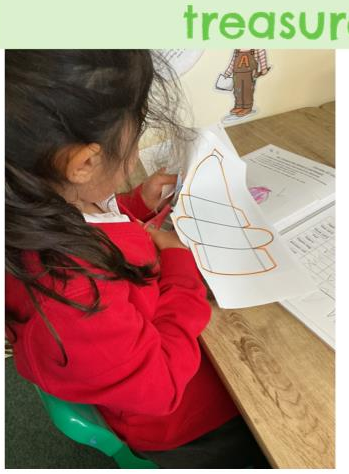
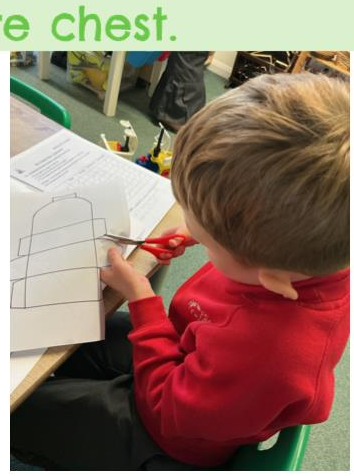
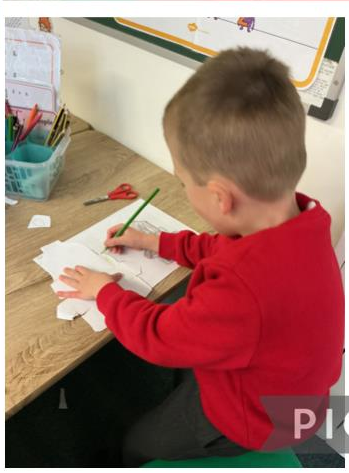

Our DT project

We started by thinking about which material would be best to use.





This week we designed, cut out and made our own treasure chest.

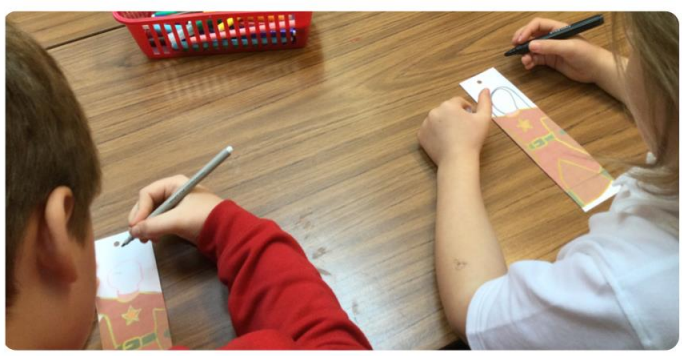





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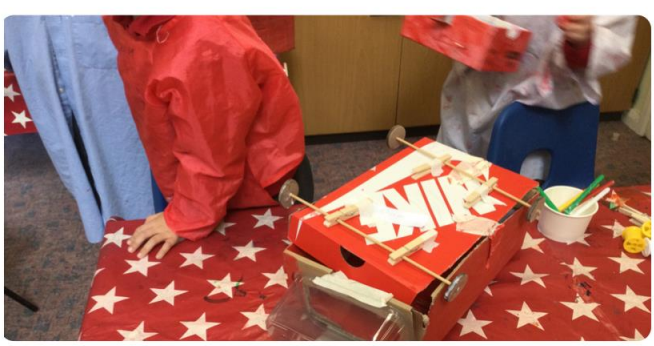






Visitors and fire engines

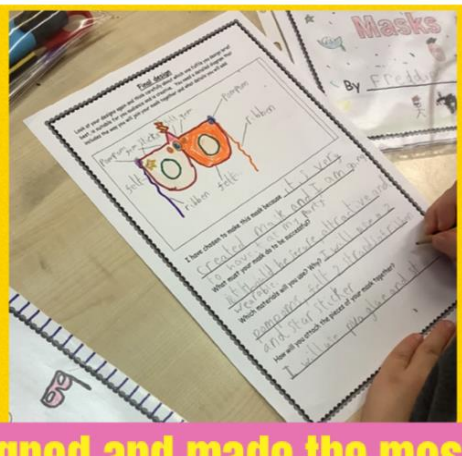














The children designed and made the most amazing masks!









DT week in UU

PIC•COLLAGE

MY Dream job DAY!

My dream job day

Builder



Friday 6th November

Dress up for £1 or more!

Fire fighter



Football



By ISLA H


My dream job day!
Friday 6th November
Teacher
Ofcos up Elormore!
5x5=25
miss J
Example
Foot baller
Artist
Scientist
nurse
ID
police man
by Isla-B

BBC CHILDREN IN NEED

WE'RE RAISING MONEY

WHAT

Spots and yellow

DONATE ONLINE

Scan the QR code or head to bbc.co.uk/pudsey to donate online

WHEN & WHERE

13th November

CONTACT

School Council



Please photocopy this for your class so they can colour in their own poster

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THANK YOU









Tibberton First School Donated 55.65 Kilos Food

for supporting Droitwich Spa foodbank.
Your donations makes a BIG difference to local people in crisis.

Droitwich Spa foodbank is part of the Trussell Trust network.

Registered Charity Number: 1163261 Registered in England and Wales

On Thursday 5th November until Wednesday 11th November, Tibberton CE First School will host a Book Fair. Children will have the opportunity during the day to look at the books. They can bring home a "wish list" so that parents can pay online and children can then come into school and Mrs Adams will help them take their book off the case. This is useful if you cannot browse the fair after school with your child. If parents do wish/are able to come in after school to browse the fair with children and then pay online for purchases, then the fair will be open for 30 minutes from 3.15 pm on 5th, 9th, 10th, 11th, (not 6th as we have clubs that day). The last opportunity to browse will be 11th November. You cannot pay cash. Online payments only using QR codes.





Christmas Dinner 16/12

- Christmas Dinner will take place this year on Wednesday 16th December – our normal roast dinner day.
- There is no extra charge for UU for Christmas dinner
- Jacket Potatoes and Sandwiches will still be available to remain inclusive
- This is a fun event and children can wear festive hats/deely boppers and Christmas Jumpers with their uniform
- We will decorate the tables and play Christmas music
- Order by midnight on 9/12

Tibberton CE First School

Believe Achieve Care

PTA

Autumn & Christmas Events

SAVE THE DATES!

Working together for our children

Date	Event	Time
Saturday 17th October	Woodland Clear-Up	10:00 am
Wednesday 21st October	Pumpkin Ball	5:00 pm
Monday 2nd November	PTA Meeting	6:00 pm
Thursday 19th November	Non-Uniform Day for Jars	
Thursday 19th November	Movie Night	5:00 pm
Thursday 3rd December	Bazaar	3:15 pm
Friday 4th December	Non-Uniform Day for Gifts for Family	
Tuesday 15th December	Breakfast with Santa	7:45 am
Thursday 17th December	Gifts for Family	

More details to follow soon!

Believe Achieve Care

Thank you for your support!

Job Vacancy at Tibberton CE First School

Teaching Assistant - 1:1 Support ~Spring Term start

Part time temporary contract - 3 days per week, 8:45am-3:15pm, 16.5 hrs per week

Our School Federation is seeking to appoint a happy, reliable and suitably qualified Teaching Assistant to work with children with additional needs and support interventions that are personalised for the needs of our children and join our friendly team.

The position is a temporary contract linked to the funding of children with specific need.
If you can work in a team, support children in their social, emotional and academic development and have a passion for teaching and learning, then this may be the ideal opportunity for you.

The successful candidate will:

- Have experience of supporting children within the primary age range/school setting;
- Have experience/interest in working with children with specific and/or complex needs;
- Have high expectations for our children's progress and overall achievement;
- Take an imaginative and creative approach to curriculum learning that captures the children's interest;
- Be flexible, forward thinking, innovative and highly energetic;
- Have an understanding of how children learn, including social/emotional development;
- Have a passion for quality teaching and learning, enabling the best outcomes for our children;
- Be able to work well as part of our whole school team, school federation and the school community;
- Be willing to undertake relevant training
- Support our Christian ethos as a church school

We can offer you:

- The opportunity to work alongside a dedicated, friendly and committed team of staff
- Children who are enthusiastic, well behaved and eager to learn
- A supportive school community of staff, parents and Governors where everyone is valued
- A commitment to your professional development

Our school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.
Disclosure Barring Service (DBS) This post is exempt under the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 and as such appointment will be conditional upon the receipt of a satisfactory response to a check of criminal records via the Disclosure and Barring Service before the appointment is confirmed. This will include details of cautions, reprimands, or final warnings, as well as convictions. The County Council has a commitment to safeguarding service users in our care.
Equality & Diversity: We are committed to equality of opportunity for all citizens and celebrates the diversity of all its residents.

Part time temporary contract - 3 days per week, 8:45am-3:15pm, 16.5hrs per week

Salary: Grade TA2 / SCP 5-6: £10,021 - £10,180 per annum (pro-rata)

Please click on the link below for further details and information on how to apply

https://www.tibberton.worcs.sch.uk/page/?title=Vacancies&pid=61

Job Vacancy at Tibberton CE First School

Teaching Assistant -Class based ~Spring Term start

Part-time Permanent contract - 4 days per week, 8:45am-12:15pm (3.5hr per day)

and 1 day 8:45am-3:15pm (5.5hr) total~ 19.5 hrs per week

We are looking to recruit a happy, reliable and capable individual to join our friendly team. This is predominantly to be class-based support for the children in our Lower Key Stage Two classroom.

If you can work in a team, support children in their social, emotional and academic development and have a passion for teaching and learning, then this may be the ideal opportunity for you.

The successful candidate will:

- Have experience of supporting children within the primary age range/school setting;
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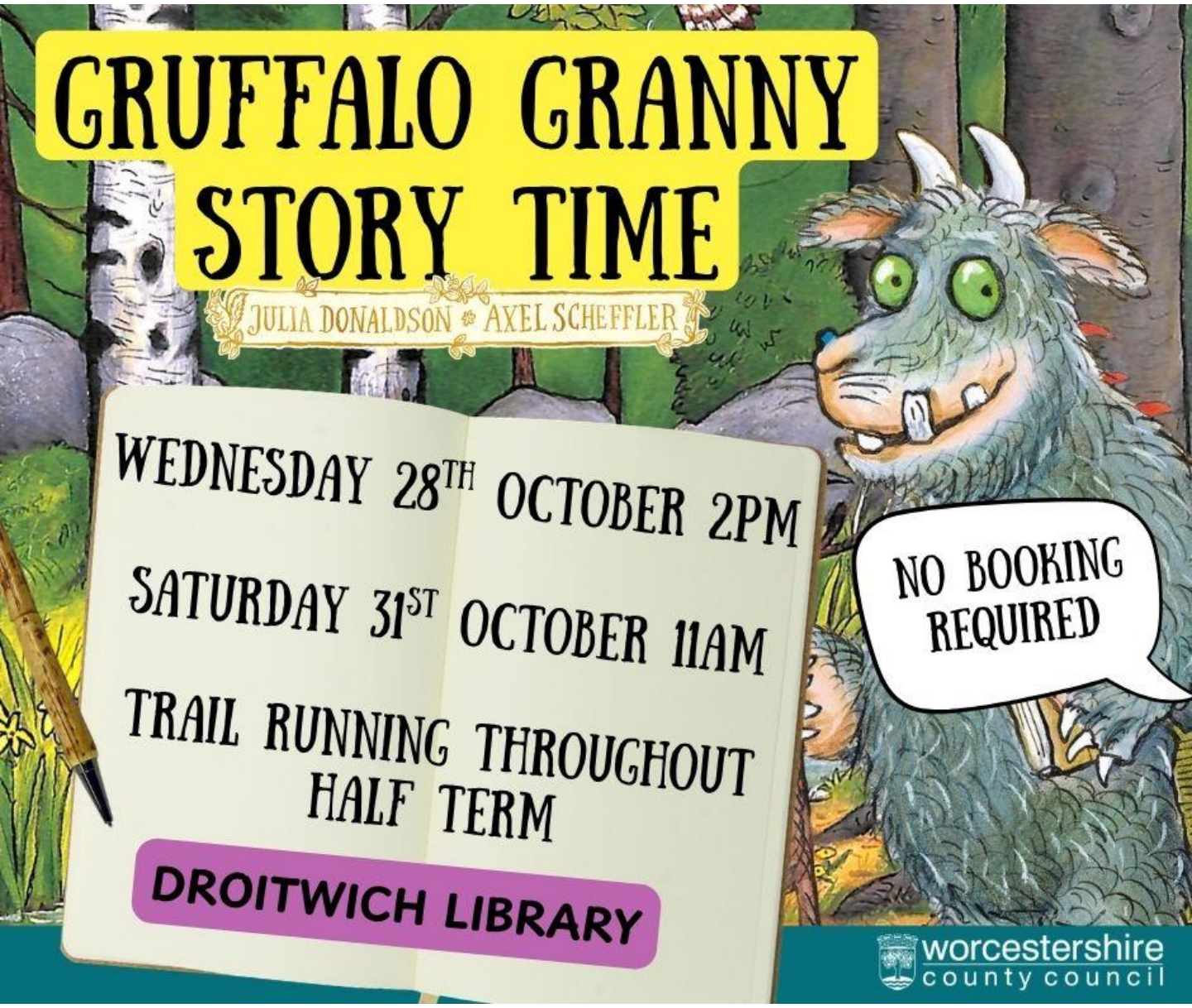
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Part-time Permanent contract - 4 days per week, 8:45am-12:15pm (3.5hr per day) and 8:45am-3:15pm (5.5hr) total~ 19.5 hrs per week

Salary: Grade TA2 / SCP 5-6: £11,843 - £12,031 per annum (pro-rata)

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Wild school holiday fun

Worcestershire Wildlife Trust

Don't get bored in the school holidays - try our fun nature activities instead!

Autumn family nature day

Wednesday 28 October
10am - 2pm
Lower Smite Farm, Smite Hill, Worcester, WR3 8SZ

Explore nature themed trails, get creative with autumnal wood and paper crafts and have a go at hands-on wildlife activities such as log-rolling, minibeast hunts and pond dipping (water levels and weather permitting).

Bring a picnic to eat on our benches and enjoy the sights and sounds of autumn.

Free entry and no need to book. Although, if you register via our website, it helps us know how many people to expect on the day.

Find out more via bit.ly/AutumnFamilyNatureDay2026

Grow your own oak tree

You will need some acorns, a plant pot, some stones or gravel and soil or peat-free compost.

1. Collect acorns in the autumn. Healthy ones will sink in a bowl of water.
2. Lay stones or gravel in the bottom of the pot and then fill it with soil or compost.
3. Plant an acorn by pushing it into the soil with your finger. The acorn must be out of its cup with the pointed end facing upwards.

Leaves should appear in the first spring. Plant your oak tree outside in the second spring.

Did you know an adult oak tree can be home to 284 species of insect?

Pine cone creatures





Autumn Harvest Crafts

26th-31st October 2026

Get crafty and celebrate the harvest!
Explore our temporary exhibition about **Edward Winslow**, then get creative with some fun autumn crafts!

Craft Activities cost between £1.00-£5.00

GIVE THANKS • SHARE • CARE

We're collecting for **Droitwich Spa Food Bank** this week.
If you can, please bring a **food donation** and help us support local families.

Droitwich Spa Heritage Centre

Droitwich Spa Heritage Centre, St Richards House, Droitwich Spa, WR9 8DS
heritage@droitwichspa.gov.uk
01905 774312

Mama Hub

Kids Craft Class

14th November 12-1pm

LYPPARD HUB, WORCESTER

Special offer
£8
(Normally £10)



Be part of something new and join us for the very first Mama Hub craft class.

Relax and connect with other mums while your little one enjoys making a cosy 3D woodland creature scene.

Suitable for children aged 4 to 10

LIMITED SPACES- BOOKING ESSENTIAL

To book, email mamahubuk@outlook.com

Mama Hub

Kids Craft Class

12th December 12-1pm

LYPPARD HUB, WORCESTER

ONLY
£10
Per Child



Look for something memorable and cosy to do this festive season?

Join us for cosy Christmas crafts and lots of festive fun

Suitable for children aged 4 to 10

To book, email mamahubuk@outlook.com

LIMITED SPACES- BOOKING ESSENTIAL

CHILDREN'S EVENTS

24TH OCTOBER - 1ST NOVEMBER

The Hive Children's Events

Lego Club:
Every Saturday, 10:00 - 11:30am (free & drop-in, ages 4+)



Rat-a-tat Tales:
Every Saturday & Sunday, 11am & 3pm (free & drop-in, ages 1 - 5 years old)



Scrap booking with the Sandys:
Monday 26th October, 10am -12pm (free & drop-in, for families and children of all ages.)



West African Story Time:
Monday 26th October, 11am-1:30pm (free & drop-in, ages 2 - 8 years old)



Bounce & Rhyme:
Every Tuesday, 10am & 2pm (free & drop-in, ages under 5 years old)
Every Friday, 11am (free & drop-in, ages under 5 years old)



Gruffalo Granny Story Time & Craft :
Tuesday 27th October, 11am and 3pm (free & drop-in, all ages welcome)



Papermaking Workshop:
Wednesday 28th, 11am-12:30pm, & 2pm-3:30pm (free & bookable, ages 6 - 11 years old)



Wacky Wednesday
Every Wednesday, 1:30 - 3:00pm (free & drop-in, ages 0 - 5 years)



Illustrated Letters Workshop:
Thursday 29th October, 10:30-11:30am and 2-3pm (Tickets are £1.50, bookable, ages 7 - 12 years old)



Family Film:
Friday 30th October, 10-12pm (free & drop-in, all ages welcome)



Baby Bounce & Rhyme:
Every Friday, 1pm (free & drop-in, ages 0 - 1 years old)



Stay & Play Dad's Group:
Last Saturday of every month, 10:30am - 12pm (free & drop-in, all ages)



The Illustrated Book Group:
Sunday 1st November, 2 - 3pm (free & drop-in, ages 8 - 12 years old)





The Hive



SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

Deadline dates for applying for a school place

High / Secondary Schools
31 October

First / Primary / Middle Schools
15 January

No internet access? Visit your local library where access is free.

SCAN ME

For further information, how to apply and guidance on the admissions process, Scan the QR Code or visit our website below

www.worcestershire.gov.uk/schooladmissions

worcestershire county council

Crisis and Resilience Fund (CRF)

Are you struggling with essential costs, heating or housing?
Support is available through the
Worcestershire Crisis and Resilience Fund

Help when families need it most

The Crisis and Resilience Fund (CRF) can provide support for families experiencing a financial crisis and helps Worcestershire households build long-term financial resilience.

The fund can help with:

- Food and essential household costs
- Energy bills and heating emergencies
- Essential household items
- Housing-related financial difficulties
- Support to improve long-term financial resilience and money management



What support could families receive?

Depending on the circumstances, support may include:

- Cash payments
- Energy vouchers
- Supermarket vouchers
- Essential household goods
- Advice and support services

Scan the QR to find out more or visit:
www.worcestershire.gov.uk/CRF

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AGES
5–11
YEARS
MONDAY 26TH OCTOBER –
FRIDAY 30TH OCTOBER
£20
PER DAY
BOOK NOW ›

Friday 27th November 7pm
in Tibberton Village Hall



With fish & chip supper

Alternatives are available

(Please bring own drinks & glasses)

Tickets £15.00 available from Lyn Jameson at the Old Post Office, Linda Warren (07816 176838) and Lynn Dickens (07931 104700)

Proceeds to Tibberton Church