



The Telford Priory School Good News and Updates

Week beginning
Monday 8th May 2023

Dear Parent and Carers,

Many congratulations and well done to our fantastic Y11 football team on becoming champions of Shropshire after beating William Brookes 2.0 in extra time, with goals from Peniel T and Tony A. The game was extremely tight with Andrei N (year 10) making some outstanding saves. Winning the Shropshire Cup is a great achievement for the boys and TPS especially when traditionally Thomas Telford School have dominated the competition.



On Tuesday, our Y10 sports leaders continued with their visit to Donnington Wood Junior school where they organise sports activities for the pupils. It is wonderful to see our young people engage in these activities that embody our TPS values, particularly: respect and taking each opportunity.

On Thursday, some of our Y8 students went on a visit to the Lovell Construction Site by Asda in Donnington where they had full access to the site. They were able to see what trades are needed in the construction industry and speak to the tradespeople about their professions. This is a partnership that Lovell want to encourage as construction is an area which is currently struggling to recruit tradespeople, and fewer students are entering these trades. The students found this a very informative visit and hopefully we will be able to visit again.

This week some of our Y8 students in their food tech class did a 'blind test' with the biscuits that they cooked. Osama A made some delicious biscuits. Well done!



Also, this week in their design and technology lesson with Mr Griffiths, 7T5 were asked to design a new school logo just for fun. As you can see, they have produced some fantastic designs.

I would like to share the wonderful feedback we have received about the tea party to celebrate the Coronation of King Charles that we held last Friday.



"Thank you so much for this morning.

We all had a really great time. The students were all delightful, very polite and full of questions. They were a credit to you and the school."



I would like to remind you that we at TPS will be holding our book fair will be from the 19th – 24th May and we encourage our students to come along and see what books are on offer.

In closing, I have had some reports of anti-social behaviour out of school hours late of an evening or even at weekends. Can I ask all parents to ensure that they speak with their

children about expectation in the community. We all want the children to be excellent global citizens and positive members of the community. We will be working closely with the Police and Local Council re anti-social behaviour and consequences. Please ensure you are playing your part. Unfortunately, children sometimes make poor choices when without adult supervision. If you let your child out to play/hang out in the street nearby, which I know some of you do please do ensure they are clear of your expectations so they can avoid trouble and model those excellent behaviours and respect which we all want.

Thank you for your support. Have a lovely weekend.

Ms Jordan

Headteacher

DATES FOR THE DIARY

MONDAY 15TH MAY

GCSE EXAMS BEGIN

TUESDAY 16TH MAY

Y10 SPORTS MENTORSHIP DONNINGTON WOOD

Y9 ASPIRE WREKIN HOUSING TRUST VISIT

THURSDAY 18TH MAY

Y7 PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT

FRIDAY 12TH MAY

HORNETS RUGBY INTERVENTION

Golden Ticket Winners

Well done and congratulations to this week's Golden Ticket Winners

Year 9

Angelina T

Jude E

Krissh M

Kaushi U

Sumayah H



EAL

Daine K

Denlin K



TOP MERIT WINNERS

TEAM 7

Krasimra G

Ethan S

Tyler W

TEAM 8

Danielle A

Lewis F

Blake H

TEAM 9

Lauren B

Daryl H

Theo W

TEAM 10

Elizabeth S

Perry S

Lily-Mae H

TEAM 11

Diana S

Abigril A

Aronwy B



This weeks progress raffle draw..... Winner Millie in 7AL3



FEEL
GOOD
FRIDAY





TPS COLLEGE NEWS – WC 08.05.23



Week Beginning 24.04.23 – 28.04.23

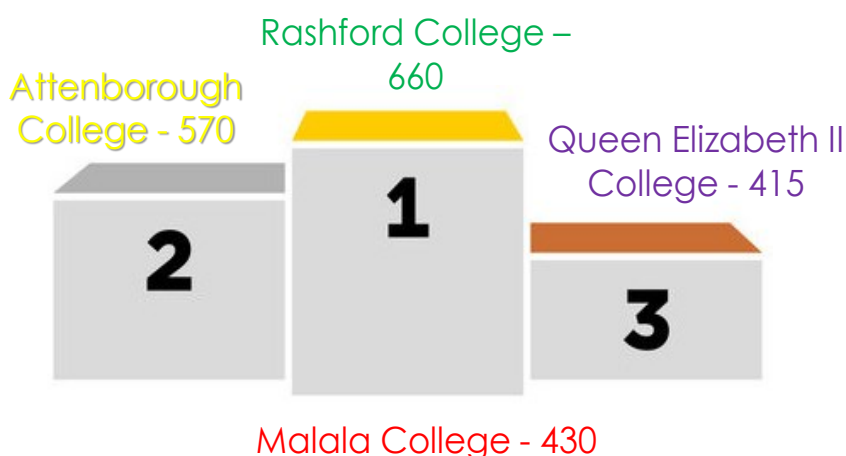
College	Attendance	College Points	Behaviour	College Points	English College Comp	Weekly Total
Attenborough	86%	10Pts	+2174	15pts	5pts	30 Points
Malala	86%	10Pts	+1711	5pts	25pts	40 Points
QE II	87%	15Pts	+2076	10pts	15pts	40 Points
Rashford	88%	25pts	+2507	25pts	10pts	60 Points

Week Beginning 01.05.23 – 05.05.23

College	Attendance	College Points	Behaviour	College Points	Maths Timetable Rockstars	Weekly Total
Attenborough	87%	15Pts	+1376	25pts	15pts	55 Points
Malala	85%	10Pts	+786	5pts	25pts	40 Points
QE II	88%	25Pts	+1154	10pts	10pts	45 Points
Rashford	88%	25pts	+1241	15pts	5pts	45 Points



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Rewards celebration afternoon

• Would you like to be invited to the rewards afternoon? If so, you need to meet this criteria:

- 100% attendance
- No behaviour logs
- From Tuesday 2nd May – 23rd May.
- If you succeed you will be invited to a rewards afternoon on the last day of term period 5 and 6.



ARTISTS OF THE WEEK

YEAR 11

MALINA I



ARTIST OF THE WEEK

YEAR 10

TIA M



ARTIST OF THE WEEK



YEAR 9

SHELBY T



ARTIST OF THE WEEK

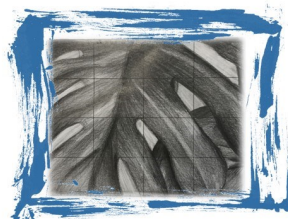


YEAR 8

CALLICIA H



ARTIST OF THE WEEK



YEAR 7

IRINA T



ARTIST OF THE WEEK





Attendance Ladder

How close is your child to 100%?

0 days off school	100%	Perfection
Equates to 2 days off school each year	99%	Excellent
Equates to 5 days off school each year	97%	Good
Equates to 10 days off school each year	95%	Slight Concern
Equates to 20 days off school each year	90%	Concerned
Equates to 30 days off school each year	85%	Very Concerned

College Challenge100: Part 3

Wednesday 19th April – Wednesday 24th May '23 (inclusive)

Can you hold onto **100% attendance** for **24 consecutive school days**?

(Taking into consideration possible strike days and Bank Holidays)

Which college will be the winners?

Reward: Entry into a **prize draw** for a chance to win a tablet, chocolate hampers and extra college merits!

Are you ready? Are you in it to win it?!

Attenborough
Rashford
Malala
Queen Elizabeth II

Winners of the 100% attendance prizes this week 8th – 12th May 2023

Student Name	Year Group	Student Name	Year Group
Gracie M	7	Sasha H	11
Lacie B	8	Jack C	11
Aaliyah M	8	Camron B	10
Skye H	7	Ivy H	9
Kayden G	11	Kelsie C	9
Liam C	11	Imogen B	8
Ola B	8	Luke C	10
David H	10	Adam B	10
Horatio K	9	Paige F	9
Krish B	9	Ashden B-M	9

Please note that these names are pulled at random from a random generator. EVERY child who has 100% attendance also receives 10 merits on G4S



Please see Mrs Murphy at the front of school at home time for your prize!



Should I keep my Child off School?

- Students with good attendance are far more likely to be successful in school.
- High attendance rates are linked to high student achievement.
- Missing school causes children to fall behind academically.
- Attendance below 90% is considered persistent absence.

Three Important Questions to Ask:

1. Does the child's illness keep him or her from comfortably taking part in activities?
2. Does the sick child need more care than the staff can give without affecting the health and safety of other children?
3. Could the other children get sick from being near your child?

If the answer to any of these questions is yes, then the child should NOT go to school.

Please ensure that if your child does not attend school you inform TPS Attendance by email tps.attendance@taw.org.uk or telephone 01952 386400 every day that your child is absent.

If you are concerned about your child's attendance, please contact our Education Welfare Officer Louise Plim on 01952 386400 to see what support we can offer.



ENSURING EXCELLENCE

Headteacher: Ms S J Jordan BEd (Hons) PGDip