

9TH JANUARY 2026



TRINITY NEWS



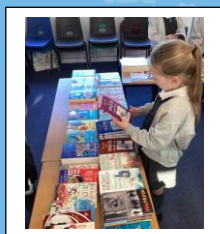
MRS MANNING'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy New Year and welcome back! We hope you all enjoyed a restful and joyful Christmas break. It has been wonderful to welcome the children back into school this week, full of excitement, enthusiasm, and lots of fantastic news to share. They have returned ready to embrace a new term and a brand-new year of learning.

PTA Book donations & the National Year of Reading:

This year is officially the National Year of Reading, and the government are organising various support and activities to address the worrying decline in children's reading. To kick off the year, this week, Key Stage 2 pupils have all enjoyed choosing a book as gifted by our fantastic Trinity PTA. Donations from PTA events and fundraising have been put towards a selection of books for children to choose from and to fulfil their personal 'reading resolutions' which have been set in class. Along with the Christmas books for Reception and KSI, all children have now been gifted a book to keep at home, so please use this as a chance to kick start the reading year at home, too. Why not set your own 'reading resolution' at home to support your child's love of reading? If you ever want any advice or support about reading at home, please do get in touch with your child's teacher.



ATTENDANCE

EYFS	97%
Year 1	96%
Year 2	99%
Year 3	97%
Year 4	98%
Year 5	95%
Year 6	96%
Whole school	97%



HOUSE POINTS

Raglan 218

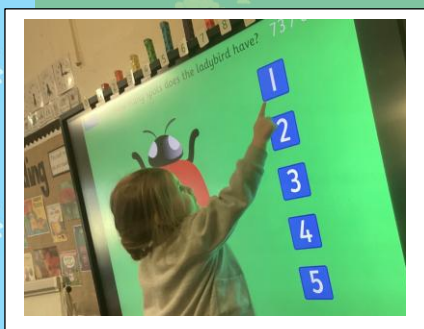
Ludlow 195

Goodrich 208

Chepstow 231

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Reception have had a busy first week back. They have been practising their subitising skills in maths, learning about winter and creating snowflakes. To introduce their 'Superheros' topic they were excited to play with the small world fire station, hospital, and police station. They also each enjoyed showing photos of their Christmas break and sharing their Christmas news with the class. What a great start to the new year, building on the fantastic progress they made in the autumn term!

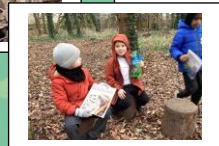
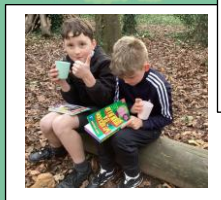


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We have enjoyed some wintery fun with OPAL this week - this team spotted some mole hills on the field so worked hard to 'relocate' the dirt to our digging areas - just shows that play can come from anywhere! Our Golden welly winners were in Year 5 this week for a group of children who have shown fantastic initiative in leading activities for younger children on the field.

Our reading raffle winners enjoyed a forest adventure this week, choosing a new book to read and enjoying some forest fun. The hot chocolate in the session was definitely needed this week! Remember, children get an entry to the reading raffle weekly if they continue to read at home regularly and the lucky winners receive an award half termly.... so keep reading!



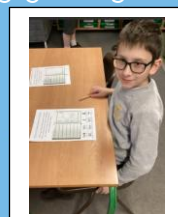
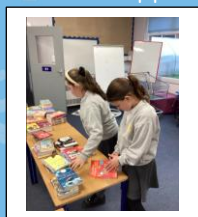
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Year 3 enjoyed a lovely treat this week thanks to our amazing PTA. Each child was able to choose a book to take home, which was a wonderful way to kick-start the new year. The children have also set personal and class reading resolutions, making it a perfect time to celebrate their love of reading.

Continuing our reading theme, the children have begun reading James and the Giant Peach in their reading lessons and have been completely engrossed in the story so far. In English, we have started a unit inspired by The Incredible Book Eating Boy, where the children have been exploring humour in their writing. There has been lots of laughter in the classroom as children share their funny and imaginative pieces aloud.



A new year brings a brand-new goal to work towards! Year 5 have been busy creating their reading resolutions for 2026. From exploring a wide range of genres to committing to reading a page a day, the children are excited to begin achieving their goals. A huge thank you to the PFTA for purchasing a book for each child, supporting them as they begin their reading journey.



Junior Parkrun Bring a Friend: Be there +1!

If you have a spare 20 mins this Sunday, why not pop down to the junior parkrun held every Sunday at the Hereford Leisure Centre. This week you can ring a friend - have fun. Walk, run, skip, dance 2k. Go home. Feel good.

Bring a friend to junior parkrun

Sunday 11 January

We want you to share the magic of junior parkrun with a friend!

Find your local junior parkrun event at parkrun.com/junior

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