



# Newsletter

Friday 9th November, 2018  
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**Dates for your diary...** (Full academic year/term dates are published on the school website – please check the website for daily notices)

Wednesday 14th Nov.	Parents' Forum
Friday 16th Nov.	Children in Need
Thursday 15th Nov.	Curriculum Day (Years' 9 & 10, please return your slips)
Thursday 15th Nov.	Year 11 Parents in Partnership Evening
Thursday 22nd Nov.	Year 7 Parents in Partnership Evening
Thursday 6th Dec.	Christmas Lunch
Thursday 29th Nov.	Year 10 Parents' Evening
Thursday 20th Dec.	Christmas Showcase
Friday 21st Dec.	Break up for Christmas holidays
Monday 7th Jan.	Return to school

**Letters sent out this week...**All general and year specific letters are uploaded to the website each week and can be found in the 'Parents area'. Targeted or selected student letters may not be uploaded here - depending on the nature of the letter.

Year 9	World Skills Day at NEC Birmingham—Curriculum Day 15th November, 2018
Year 10	Shrewsbury Sixth form and SCAT—Curriculum Day 15th November, 2018



Please look out for your letter...

Children in Need day

Friday 16th November, 2018

Non-uniform day and cake sale.



Please see attached poster  
regarding Fire Safety during sleepovers...

Please make **School** cheques payable to **Mary Webb School** with your child's name and tutor group on the reverse. **Dinner money** cheques should be made payable to **Shropshire Council** with your child's name and tutor group on the reverse. These should be posted in the post box next to the shop window **before break time each day.**

Exam word and number of the week  
for week beginning  
Monday 12th November, 2018

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# Sleepover



**Shropshire**  
Fire and Rescue Service



If your child is invited to a sleepover you will want them to be safe - both in general and in the event of a fire. So before you agree here are some things that might help.

## Check that your child:

- Is normally woken by and recognises the sound of a smoke alarm

If they don't, or they have a hearing impairment or other disability, tell the sleepover parents so that someone must wake them and/or help them in an emergency

- Knows what to do if they hear a smoke alarm go off
- Knows not to hide from fire
- Knows how to raise the alarm
- Is happy to ask about the escape plan of the place they are going to
- Will tell you if they don't feel safe



## If you are in any doubt:

- Reverse the sleepover and invite the friend to your home instead

## And remember to:

- Go through your fire plan with any guests you have staying

## Check that:

- There will be a responsible adult present at all times in the property.
- There is a working smoke alarm.



Some of these questions may be uncomfortable to ask but why not look at it this way; you wouldn't dream of travelling in a car without seatbelts - they are lifesavers if there is an accident.

Working smoke alarms and escape plans are like seatbelts for sleepovers - you hope never to need them - but they must be there just in case...

For more information check out  
[www.shropshirefire.gov.uk](http://www.shropshirefire.gov.uk)



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