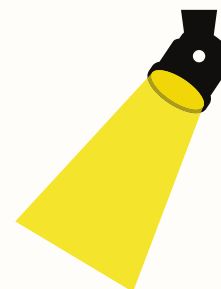


WBSpotlight

w/e 6th June 2025



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Fixtures

Monday 9th June – Telford Schools Athletics semi-finals championships Year 7-10



What a week it's been!

It's been a busy week with GCSE and A-Level exams in full swing. We're excited to launch a new partnership with Shrewsbury College to support the Year 10 DT Food group—parents should have received a letter with details.

We've also introduced a new home learning approach using the premium Seneca platform. This will make setting and monitoring homework easier and more accessible for parents—something many of you have asked for.

I would like to invite parents to a working party to view and comment on the new approach and system. Look out for a letter explaining things in more detail.

Finally, congratulations to Mrs. Edge, Head of Science, on winning the SheCanCode STEM Educator Award—an outstanding achievement!

Mrs Mincher Deputy Head Teacher



School calendar



11th June Shropshire sings & year 5 transition event

12th June & 11th July– Sliver DofE

12th June – Year 7 PCE

30th June – Year 6 transition event

1st July year11 prom

8th July Year 7&8 France visit

8th July Modulo Orchestra Trip on

9th & 10th – Summer Dance show

12th July – Top table event

17th July – Spots day

18th July – Summer fair

William Brookes School

TABLE TOP SALE

PTA Fund Raiser

SATURDAY 12TH JULY
10 AM - 12:30 PM

Tables to Rent – £5 each!





What's new!

Year 7 Parents Consultation evening

Year 7 PCE takes place on Thursday 12th June – 15.30hrs – 18.00hrs.

Parents should have received communication regarding this evening via email. The communication explains how to book subject appointments.

Parent Consultation
Evenings



Key information to know: to access the booking system, please use your Arbor Parent Portal or Arbor App. Please ignore appointments for previous school years on the booking area and only book appointments with your child's current teachers for the academic year 2024/5. (Please be aware that when a teacher's schedule becomes fully booked, no time slot will appear for selection).



William Brookes School PE Department After School Clubs (15:20-16:30) Summer Term 2025



	Outdoor Space MUGA, Grass, Astro turf		Sports Hall
Monday			
STAFF			
Tuesday	Athletics		
STAFF	Mr Parkes and Ms Johnson		
Wednesday	Cricket	Rounders	Badminton
STAFF	Mr Boak	Ms Hennessy	Mr Bourton
Thursday	Baseball		Cricket Nets (indoor bowling and batting practice)
STAFF	Ms Johnson		Mr Boak
Friday	Handball		
STAFF	Mr Parkes and Mr Wilson		

Subject celebration



Computer Science

In Computer Science our Year 7 students began using Photoshop, Kieran P amongst others demonstrating fantastic skills, other classes have been programming using Python, Poppy T demonstrating GCSE level problem solving skills. Year 8 have created programs for MicroBits, making physically interactive programs they have been sharing with classmates. Our Year 9 students have been creating and testing apps for their phones, and other groups creating digital comics, with Dan C creating a fascinating story that has been shared across classes.

Dance



GCSE Dance students have completed their final exam this week, we are very proud of them all. Year 8 students have particularly excelled in their inclusive dance unit this week learning a piece based around Black Lives matter. Their response to this lesson has been excellent and they have developed a great understanding of how dance can be used to celebrated diversity and inclusion.

Sixth Form

Over the years, our Sixth Form students have been a tremendous asset to William Brookes School. As we bid farewell to our 25 Year 13 students, we extend our very best wishes for their future endeavours.

We marked the end of their Sixth Form journey with a celebration featuring cake and a visit to Ninja Warrior UK—an enjoyable and memorable way to close this chapter. The closure of the Sixth Form truly marks the end of an era. Hosting A-Level students over the years has been a privilege, and their contributions to school life will be deeply missed.

Amazing us!



**YOUTH
WITHOUT
LIMITS**

Thank you

to

The Duke of Edinburgh's Award participants

from

William Brookes School

who spent

741 Hours

**volunteering between
1 April 2024 and 31 March 2025.**

We are immensely proud of the dedication, effort and achievement
of young people making an impact in their community.

The social value of these hours is

£4741

Ruth Marvel OBE, Chief Executive

A heartfelt thank you to Miss McCombie for her exceptional dedication and countless hours of additional work in delivering the Duke of Edinburgh programme to such a high standard. The number of students she supports through this outstanding opportunity is truly remarkable.

The programme offers invaluable experiences, helping students develop teamwork, resilience, and self-confidence—skills that will benefit them far beyond their time in school.

June 2025

WHERE

Careers & Destinations



For all events for 2025 – Please check on each website that the events are still going ahead.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO APPLY

Speak to us about:

- Applications
- College Tours
- College Life
- Transport and Bursaries
- Course Advice

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Melissa Whitrick - School Liaison Officer Melissa.Whitrick@telfordcollege.ac.uk

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• Wednesday 11th June 2025 – 5.00pm – 7.30pm

Herefordshire, Ludlow and North Shropshire College - WALFORD COLLEGE

info@nsc.ac.uk

0800 032 1986

Saturday Open Events

• Saturday 14 June 2025 – 10.00am–12.30pm



These are the last of the open events left for this academic year.

CURRENT YEAR 10- PARENTAL CONSENT FOR WORK EXPERIENCE SEPTEMBER 2025.

We currently have a large number of signatures outstanding which is a requirement to allow students to attend their placement in September 2025. This is online and is sent under the name of Grofar. If you have not already given permission then please could you check your in box, spam etc and follow the instructions given. If you are having any problems, then please contact school. Students will not be able to attend if we do not have parental / carer permission.

Advice, Guidance & Community



Protect our children!

Parents and guardians: Our kids are now most commonly abused online, via their mobile phones and games consoles. Do you know how to keep your kids safe?

Learn more about the dangers of kids being online and how you can keep them safe. Join our free one hour online parent awareness session to give yourself a head start in an ever changing digital world.

Scan the QR code to find out more about our awareness training and to sign up to one of our free sessions or go to www.westmercia.police.uk/exploitworkshops



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Events at the Edge Arts Centre <https://edgeartscentre.com/>



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