



Castlefields Primary School, Castlefields, Bridgnorth, Shropshire WV16 5DQ

**17th September 2021**

It has been a lovely week in school. Our Cross Country runners were incredible again, such a credit to the school. Next week is the last KS2 Cross Country at Idsall School. We are planning to attend more sporting events this half term and are looking forward to this element of school life. Playground Buddies are going to be trained next week, and this will allow some of our older children to buddy up with the younger ones, supporting them in their play at lunchtimes.

We have got a thriving Breakfast and Wrap Around Club, and it has been a pleasure to see so many smiles first thing in the morning and later into the afternoon.

The work “buzz” around school has also been excellent. We are proud of the way that children have settled into school life and are enjoying a more normal education. We are now starting to offer places at school for adults who are DBS checked and are willing to read with our children. Please contact Mrs Lee if you would be interested in this.

### **After School Clubs**

Please contact the office if you are interested in any of the after school clubs:

StageWorkz - on Mondays  
Edge Gymnastics - on Tuesdays  
Mixed Cricket Club - on Fridays

### **Pioneer Residential Visit**

We were delighted to hear that we could go ahead with our Pioneer Residential Visit for Year 5 children. Thank you for returning the permission slips so promptly. We will all be looking forward to November!

### **Parents Evenings**

Parents Evenings are being arranged for Tuesday 28th and Thursday 30th September, we will be in contact next week to arrange appointments.

### **Macmillan Day**

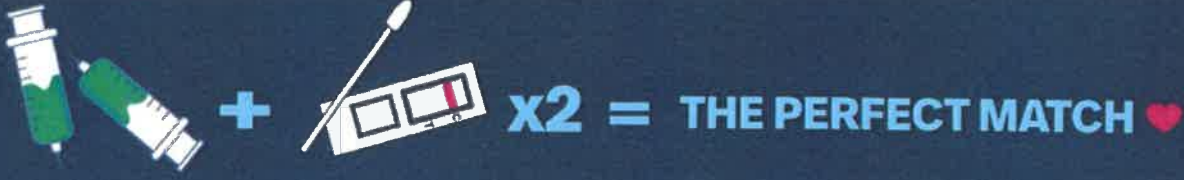
Next Friday 24th September we will be supporting Macmillan by asking children and staff to wear something green to school. Donations can be made via:

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/Castlefieldsprimarygreenday>

Please see the following page for information from Shropshire Council about Covid-19 testing.

## COVID Reporting

STEP UP SHROPSHIRE Shropshire Council



**Get both jabs. Test twice a week.**

If your child has a positive Lateral Flow or PCR test then please contact:  
 The school office on 01746 764072 during the school day  
 or  
 Mrs Lee on [head@castlefields.org.uk](mailto:head@castlefields.org.uk) after hours or over weekends



### COVID-19 tests - what's the difference?



	Rapid lateral flow tests	PCR tests
When do I take them?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Twice a week - if you have no symptoms</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>After an NHS Test and Trace alert</li> <li>After a positive rapid test</li> <li>Or if you have symptoms</li> </ul>
Do I send them away for processing?	No	Yes
When do I get the results?	Up to 30 minutes	24 - 72 hours
Where do I get one?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Online</li> <li>Test sites</li> <li>Call 119</li> <li>Participating pharmacies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Online</li> <li>Test sites</li> <li>Call 119</li> </ul>

When a child or adult has Covid-19 symptoms or they have been in contact with someone who has tested positive, then they are strongly advised to go for a PCR test.