FRIDAY 9TH OCTOBER 2026

SUCKLEY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

'HAPPY, ASPIRATIONAL AND READY FOR LIFE'

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This week at Suckley School

Happy Friday,
It has been another week full of exciting learning opportunities and memorable experiences for Suckley School.
One highlight was in Eagles Class, where the children had the opportunity to make their own "blood" as part of their science learning. It was a fantastic hands-on activity that helped bring their topic to life.
You may also have noticed some rather erratic bell ringing around Suckley yesterday! We were fortunate to be offered an impromptu opportunity to take a group of children up the bell tower at Suckley Church. The children were fascinated by the experience. From climbing the narrow spiral staircase to seeing the intricate workings of the church clock and ringing the bells themselves, every step of the visit inspired awe and wonder.
Next week, we will be celebrating Harvest and focusing on the importance of local farming and produce. Pupils will be taking part in farm machinery workshops, welcoming a local beekeeper into school and enjoying a whole-school trip to watch local apples being harvested.
We will also be holding our annual Great Suckley Bake Off. Each class has been challenged to plan, prepare and present a dish made using local produce. We are also asking for donations for MAGGS homeless charity to be bought in on Monday 12th October.
Have a wonderful weekend.
With kind regards,
Helen Field

Suckley School Vision

To celebrate the unique and individual needs of all of our pupils by delivering an inspiring, rich, inclusive, broad and balanced curriculum which enables children to achieve their full potential, without limits.

'Happy, Aspirational and Ready for Life'

'Let's Talk About It'
















Suckley School

Local Harvest

Celebrating our community, our local produce and making a difference!

MAGGS
Homeless Charity Assembly

We will be welcoming MAGGS, our local homeless charity, for an assembly and asking for donations to support their vital work in our local community.

Local Bee Keeper Assembly

Our local bee keeper will be visiting school to share the importance of bees, our environment and local beekeeping.

Local Farm Machinery Coming to School

We will be welcoming local farm machinery to school for the children to see, explore and learn about life on the farm.

Whole School Trip

We will be taking the whole school on a trip to see a local apple harvesting experience.

The Great Suckley School Bake Off

We will be planning, preparing and presenting a dish created using local produce.

Which class will win the golden trophy this year?

Starting week beg.

12th October 2026

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Autumn Term 1 Afterschool clubs



Monday's 7th September - 19th October	CT Coaching Football
Tuesday's 8th September - 20th October	CT Coaching Multi Sports
Thursday's 10th September -15th October	https://worcester.young-engineers.co.uk/ye_product/suckley-school-autumn-term-basic-mechanics-6-11-bricks-challenge/

Monday 12th - Friday 16th October	Suckley Harvest
Monday 12th October	Individual & Sibling photos
Tuesday 13th October	Woodpeckers- Boys Tag Rugby
Friday 16th October	Whole School trip to Stocks Farm
Monday 19th October	KS2 Malvern Festival of Stories
Tuesday 20th October	Open Day
Tuesday 20th October	Halloween Disco
Thursday 22nd October	R & KS1 Malvern Festival of Stories
Thursday 22nd October	Woodpeckers- Residential

Head Teachers Awards

WRENS CLASS
SHAE HORTON

WOODPECKERS CLASS
RUPERT REYNOLDS

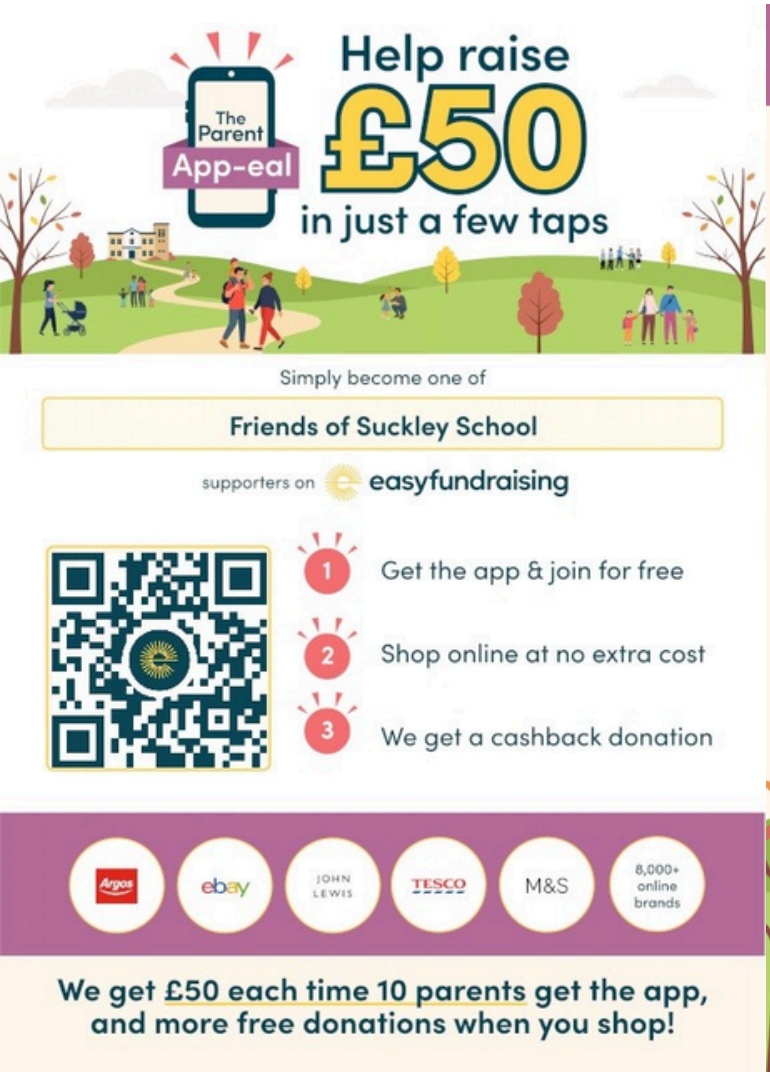
ROBINS CLASS
ROWAN BENYUNES-GRAY

EAGLES CLASS
RONJA CLIFFORD

Hi from your PTA.

We're calling on all parents and guardians to help Friends of Suckley School fundraise - but we don't need you to donate any money, or time. Simply install the easyfundraising app! It's completely free and when you shop with 8,000+ online retailers, we'll receive a free cashback donation, AT NO EXTRA COST TO YOU. This month each time 10 of you get the app and become our supporters, we get a £50 bonus. Simply install the app on your mobile, then join for free. It really is a great, free, way to help raise money for our school. So far £535.48 has been raised for the school through the app with only 33 registered supporters, just imagine how much we could raise if everyone registered! You can follow the link below, copy and paste it into your browser or use the QR code displayed on the poster to register.
This will make a huge difference, especially as we head towards Black Friday & Christmas. Thank you!
https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/easyfundraising-app/?causeId=338903&utm_campaign=oct-parent-appeal&utm_source=pmc&utm_medium=email&utm_content=parappealemail1

As always, your support is much appreciated.





SUCKLEY SCHOOL

OpenDayToursfor Prospective Families

Tuesday20th October 2026

9.30am & 1.30pm.

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Suckley School is a unique and happy school.

We deliver an inspiring,rich,inclusive,broadandbalancedcurriculum which enables all children to achieve their full potential, without limits.



Our children say:

“Suckley School is the best place to be”

“Learning is always exciting”

“There’s always somebody to help you”

Ofsted say:

“an inspirational school where pupils flourish”

“the curriculum is ambitious and holds high expectations for all pupils”

We would very much like to invite you to attend one of our tours. Please contact the school office to make a booking.

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SUCKLEY SCHOOL FRIENDS'
HALLOWEEN
DISCO
TUESDAY 20TH OCTOBER
RECEPTION + KS1
4:00pm - 5:00pm
KS2
5:15pm - 6:15pm
PRIZES
FOR BEST DRESSED!
BRING YOUR
CARVED PUMPKIN
TO ENTER INTO
OUR COMPETITION!
PIZZA, DRINKS &
SWEET CONE INCLUDED
BUY TICKETS HERE



Open Day

The Downs Malvern

Saturday 10th October

9.30am-12.30pm

Please use the QR code or visit **www.thedownsmalvern.org.uk** to book your place

2026 WINNER
TE Awards for Innovation in Education

Pastoral Care and Wellbeing

-MAKE MAGICAL POTIONS,
-CREATE YOUR OWN WAND,
-SPOOKY GAMES & CHALLENGES,
-DANCE & DRAMA ACTIVITIES!



THE GREAT WIZARDING ADVENTURE

AN ENCHANTING DAY OF MAGIC, POTIONS AND HALLOWEEN FUN!

28 OCT	£20/ £30PP	9AM TO 3.30PM

NORTON PARISH HALL, WORCESTER

BOOK TICKETS AT:

WWW.MONKEYSINMOTION.CO.UK

Changes to Free School Meal Eligibility

New rules mean more families could now be eligible for free school meals.

Please apply NOW!



SCHOOL YEAR 2026-2027

From the start of the academic year 2026 to 2027, your child will qualify for free school meals if you get Universal Credit.

Who can now qualify?

Your child may be eligible for free school meals if you receive:

Universal Credit

Income Support

Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance

Income-related Employment and Support Allowance

Support under the immigration and Asylum Act 1999
(the 'right to reside' test applies)

How to apply?

You can check if you are eligible and apply online by scanning the QR code below:

- ✓ It's quick and easy to do. You will get an instant decision in most cases.
- ✓ You only need to apply once unless your circumstances change.
- ✓ It can help your child get free school meals and other support (e.g. help with school trips and activities as Pupil Premium funding is based on FSM numbers).

I qualified last year; do I still need to apply? YES!
Even if you qualified last year, you still need to reapply for this academic year under the new eligibility system via Worcestershire County Council, otherwise meals will be charged at £2.65 per day.

My child receives a universal free school meal; do I still need to apply? YES! Applying now will help with funding.

My child doesn't want a school lunch, should I still apply? YES! Applying now will give them the opportunity to try a school lunch at any time and help with funding.

worcestershire county council

SCAN ME!