



CLAREMONT PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER FRIDAY 26th JUNE 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Phew! What a scorcher!! This week has been extreme in the extreme. We have tried our hardest to keep the school open so that our children can continue learning and the disruption to everyone's daily lives is minimised. Thank you to all of you for supporting us through this and a big thank you to our staff who have struggled on through the heat. I firmly believe that our school is blessed with amazing staff, pupils and families.

Attendance continues on an upward trajectory. Thank you all for responding to Mrs Nangle-Trigg's calls in the last newsletter. Every day really does count. We have lots of end of year events going on over the next four weeks. Please stay up to date with ClassDojo so that you don't miss out.

School reports will be published soon and I am sure that you are all looking forward to reading about the amazing achievements that our children have had this year. We will also be holding a transition morning soon where your child will spend the morning in their new classroom with their new teacher.

Exciting times ahead!!

Best wishes,

Rob Campbell

Headteacher



Attendance:

Our attendance target is 96 %

This year's attendance so far is 93.2%. The last 5 days was 93.4%

Dates for your diary:

1st July - EYFS Sports Day

1st, 8th, 15th July - Transition days for new Reception intake

6th July Yr 1 to Wollaton Hall

7th and 8th July - Year 6/7 transition days.

8th July - Nursery trip to the New Art Exchange

15th & 16th July - Year 3 Residential

16th July - Year 6 Summer Performance

21st July - Summer Fayre

24th July - Last day of the Academic year

Some Fond Farewells

It comes to the time of year when we start to think about people who will be moving on at the end of the year. I always dread this time of year because it makes me really sad to say goodbye, but I am equally happy to know that people are moving on to bigger and better things. Firstly we say a fond farewell to Mrs Hann who is leaving to join Berridge Primary School as an Assistant Headteacher. Mrs Hann has been at Claremont for fifteen years and has been integral to the school's success. Her vision, dedication and calmness under pressure are real assets that Berridge will benefit from. Bev goes with our love and best wishes for the future. She will be replaced by Mrs Cundy who is staying on as an Assistant Headteacher. We are also saying goodbye to Miss Phillips who is leaving to start a new life in Southampton. Eleanor is an amazing teacher who is destined to on to greater things. She is a real talent and I am confident that she will be a great success.

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What have we been learning this week?

Nursery made their own bread to create their own jam sandwiches.

Reception have been retelling the story of "We're going on a lion hunt!"

Year 1 had a fabulous time at the allotment, exploring the pond and looking at the Victorian houses.

Year 2 visited Warwick castle as part of their History topic.



Year 3 have been learning all about Italian culture.

Year 4 have achieved out of this world results in their Multiplication and Times table Check

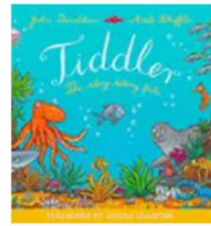


Year 5 experienced opera at Djanogly, joining in with the singing and listening to an amazing performance.

Year 6 went on their residential visit to Dovedale where they had an amazing time, climbing Thorpe Cloud and negotiating a field with a massive bull in it.

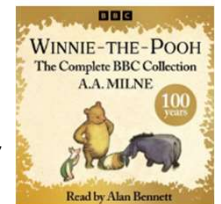
Acorns have been having fun, learning outside in the paddling pools.

Recommended Reads

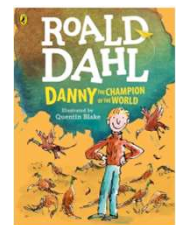


Tiddler by Julia Donaldson A little fish with a BIG imagination, Tiddler is always telling tales....

Winnie the Pooh by AA Milne Join Winnie the Pooh and his friends Tigger and Eeyore in the 100 acre Wood..



Danny The Champion of the World There's cunning plans and pheasant poaching a-plenty in this adventure!



Walking to School is Good for Your Health

The Living Streets website -

<https://www.livingstreets.org.uk/walk-to-school/parents-and-carers/>

Has loads of information about the benefits of walking to school – including some myth-busters such as: **'Driving to school keeps my child safe'** If more cars are driving past the school gate and reversing in out of school parking spaces, there will be an increase in traffic and the roads around the school perimeter will be less safe.

'Most children live too far away from school'

The average primary school is a 20-minute walk from home.

It also helps to keep the area around school safer as there are fewer cars.

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Sunscreen. No one likes it.

But whether you're a sun lover or a shade seeker, sun safety is more important than ever. Grab the sunscreen, style out the sun hat, and always remember – when it comes to looking after your skin this summer, **there's no such thing as too much protection.**



Three steps for skin safety

- 1 More protective clothing** – cover up exposed skin with UPF clothing, wear a wide-brimmed hat and sunglasses with UV protection.
- 2 More sunscreen** – use SPF 30 or above sunscreen on exposed skin and reapply at least every 2 hours or after swimming/sweating etc.
- 3 More shade** – especially between 11am-3pm when the UV index is highest. Keep babies and young children out of direct sunlight.



Learn more about how to protect your skin this summer at britishskinfoundation.org.uk/sun-safety

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