



Cledford Primary School Newsletter

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Dear parents and carers,

This week has a slightly different feel to normal at Cledford as our year pupils in year 6 have been sitting their SATs. Every day this week they have been faced with really challenging assessments in SPAG, reading and maths. Our pupils really have done themselves proud throughout the whole process. They have shown resilience, humour and responsibility in the way they have approached the tests. Well done from all of us here at Cledford. Year 2 are also completing their SATs over the next couple of weeks and we wish them the best of luck, too.

Have a great weekend.

Kind regards

Mr Adlington
Principal



New menu from Monday!

NEW MENU!

We have an exciting, new menu for spring/summer starting on Monday. Please take a look over the weekend with your children by [clicking here](#).

Donation to school in memory of Mr Wrigley

My heart was filled with gratitude this week as I was passed an envelope from a parent containing a large sum of money as a donation to school. Mr Wrigley, grandfather to two of our pupils, sadly passed away recently and during his funeral his family held a collection. They decided to split the donations between our school and a charity. The family have requested that we spend the money on books and sports equipment. I'm pleased to say that our school council will meet to discuss how best to spend this kind donation. Thank you, from all of us at Cledford.

Merits

- 1 Miss Parton/Miss Welch – Felix B, for writing the alphabet all on his own and faster than Miss Parton!
- 2 Mrs Higgins – Spencer M, for a huge improvement in confidence in everything.
- 3 Mrs Phillipson – Lincoln C, for always being kind to others - a pleasure to have in class 3!
- 4 Mrs Giblin – Thea A, for trying her best in her SATs.
- 5 Mr Varnom – Ruben S, for settling into his new class and having a really good week.
- 6 Miss Addis – Ariana S, for her positive attitude to learning and for showing resilience each day.
- 7 Miss Platt – Amelia N, for her creativity. She is a talented artist, a wonderful designer and is progressing well with playing the glockenspiel.
- 8 Miss Gee – Paige H, for setting a great example when writing her golden write this week.
- 9 Mrs Appleton/Mrs Peters – Reece L, for his enthusiasm and contribution in maths.
- 10 Mr Gill – Bella B, for showing great focus and determination to work to the best of her ability across all subject areas this week. Keep it up, Bella
- 11 & 12 - All of year 6 , for approaching their SATs with determination, positivity and focus. We are all incredibly proud of you!

EYFS News

We have completed our work on the story 'Oliver's Fruit Salad' this week. The children have enjoyed finding out about the different fruit, naming the parts of the fruit - seeds, skin, stem, stalk etc and hunting for the seeds in different fruit. Did you know that tomatoes and cucumber are fruit?

Forest School was rained off, which was a shame, but we have promised the children that we will save the activity for you to take part in at the next session!

We have completed the maths theme of numbers to 10 and will be moving on to some work using numbers to 20 and applying the skills the children have learned to larger numbers up to 20.

Please check out the website page and follow the link using the 'Look HOW we have been learning' to find out more detail about recent activities.

Thursday 18th May is our 'Stay and Speak' session. This is a chance for us to give you some ideas and activities to play with your child which will develop their speech and language skills in preparation for the move into Key Stage 1. We will put a sign-up sheet in the waiting area on Tuesday. This session will be held in the classroom straight after school until 4pm. See you there.

Enjoy the weekend. Don't forget there is no bank holiday this weekend! See you on Monday.

The EYFS team

Dates for your diary

- Thursday 18th May – EYFS stay and speak
- Monday 22nd May – Sports day (years 3 & 4 am) (years 5 & 6 pm)
- Tuesday 23rd May – Sports day (EYFS am) (Year 1 & 2 pm)
- Tuesday 23rd May – EYFS stay and get physical
- Wednesday 24th May – Year 2 residential to Fox Howl
- Thursday 25th & Friday 26th May – Reserves sports day
- Friday 26th May – School closes for half term
- Monday 5th June – School reopens
- Monday 5th June – Class/groups/leavers school photographs
- Tuesday 6th June – EYFS new parent information meetings
- Thursday 8th June – Year 2 Fox Howl sharing assembly
- Wednesday 14th June – EYFS forest school parent invitation
- Friday 23rd June – The Great Get Together
- Friday 30th June – PTFA Summer Fair
- Wednesday 13th July – EYFS forest school parent invitation
- Friday 14th July – French day

Attendance

CLASS OF THE WEEK

Class 2 (Mrs Higgins) – 100%

WHOLE SCHOOL WEEK: 95.9%

WHOLE SCHOOL YEAR: 93.8%

Class 1: 98.3%	Class 8: 94.8%
Class 2: 100%	Class 9: 88.5%
Class 3: 94.7%	Class 10: 96.3%
Class 4: 93.9%	Class 11: 98.9%
Class 5: 95.6%	Class 12: 97.8%
Class 6: 95.6%	
Class 7: 96.6%	

