



Cledford Primary School Newsletter

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Dear parents/carers,

As you will know, personal development is always high on the agenda at Cledford. We talk about this in relation to our 3 R's of 'Respect, Responsibility and Resilience'. Some of our pupils have modelled these brilliantly recently with their fundraising efforts. Noah, Cara, Lucas, Callum and Jude all play for Crewe FC under 10s and all had massive parts to play in fundraising for their club. Four of these five children took on Snowdon last weekend. Everyone was up at 5:30am to set off on the journey with their team mates but the early start didn't stop them smashing their challenge. Even 51mph winds at the very top of the peak didn't stop them! They all had massive smiles on their faces still. Between themselves and their team mates, they've managed to raise an astonishing £1850 to help towards new facilities for their team. What a true example of responsibility and resilience!

We have our open day on 2nd October. We'd really appreciate if you can help promote this by spreading the word to prospective families and encouraging them to come and visit.

Have a great weekend.

Mr Adlington
Principal



Meet the Teacher – Thursday 26th September

Don't forget there is an informal opportunity to meet your child's class teacher on Thursday next week. Please arrive at the front of school at 3.30pm. We look forward to seeing lots of you then!

Cakes Sale for Macmillan – Thursday 26th & Friday 27th September

We will be holding a cake sale for the children next on Thursday and Friday next week, to raise money for Macmillan Cancer Support. We are inviting families to get busy in the kitchen and bake some delicious treats. We ask that you bring any cakes to school on Wednesday or Thursday. Please label any tins or trays to be returned with a name and class. We will sell these at school during break times on Thursday and Friday for 50p a cake. Children can purchase one cake a day with cash – please bring the correct change. Thank you for your support.



School dinners

Next week, we will be on **week 1** of our current menu.

Merits

- 1 Mrs Higgins – Harrison B, for excellent behaviour and showing understanding and awareness of the school rules.
- 2 Miss Parton – DJ H, for creating a super story map and using it to retell the story of Little Red Riding Hood. Super, DJ!
- 3 Mrs Giblin – Lucas S, for amazing listening and great work.
- 4 Mrs Peters/Mrs Lester – Asher B, what an absolute super star you are! You have worked so hard and show our school values on a daily basis. Keep up the hard work!
- 5 Miss Addis – Charlie T, for his fantastic effort towards his handwriting. Charlie is trying really hard to perfect his cursive writing. Well done, Charlie!
- 6 Mr Varnom – Angelie P, for writing an amazing, scary description of being inside a cave.
- 7 Miss Platt – Elijah H, for making a wonderful Egyptian shaduf as extra homework.
- 8 Mr Gill – Callum C, for showing an excellent attitude this week, especially in Music and DT.
- 9 Mrs Phillipson – Stephen W, for being kind and caring, and for his positive attitude towards learning.
- 10 Mrs Marsland – Hazel W, for her outstanding presentation in all her work. Her hard work and determination has paid off! You should be very proud of yourself, Hazel.
- 11 Miss Wagstaff/Mrs Lester – Edward S, for always being resilient and hard working.

EYFS news

Shiver me timbers! What a great week full of treasures and special moments. It has been really insightful to share the children's treasure boxes and I enjoyed hearing all about families, holidays and special days as well as favourite toys and interests. Thank you all for your hard work with this project!

We move next week to reading a book called 'The Family Book' by Todd Parr. This is one of our No Outsiders books and will enable lots of work about families, similarities and differences and our maths theme of 'what is the same, what is different?'

The children are working hard to learn how to write their name using correct letter formation and this will continue.

We will start sending home reading books with words next week. If you would like to know more about how we teach reading or follow up on the information meeting held yesterday, please click on the link below. The 'For Parents' page will provide videos and information which you can use to support your child on this journey towards becoming a fluent reader.

<https://www.littleandletersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/>

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Have a great weekend,

Mrs Higgins and the EYFS team.

Dates for your diary

- Thursday 26th Sept (3.30pm – 4.00pm) – Meet the teacher **(NEW DATE)**
- Thursday 26th & Friday 27th Sept – Macmillan Cake Sale
- Wednesday 2nd Oct (9.00am – 11.00am) – Open Morning
- Wednesday 2nd Oct (4.00pm – 6.00pm) – Open Evening
- Tuesday 8th Oct – Year 5 visit to Clonter Theatre
- Thursday 10th Oct (10.30am) – Harvest at St Michael's and All Angels
- Thursday 16th Oct – EYFS Stay & get Counting
- Wednesday 16th Oct – Friday 18th Oct – Year 6 Residential
- Wednesday 16th Oct – Year 2 Family Lunch (class 4)
- Thursday 17th Oct – Year 2 Family Lunch (class 5)
- Mon 21st Oct & Tues 22nd Oct – Bikeability (year 5)
- Thursday 24th Oct – PTFA Disco
- Friday 25th Oct – Last day of school before half term
- Monday 4th Nov – INSET DAY
- Tuesday 5th Nov – SCHOOL RE-OPENS
- Wednesday 6th Nov – Bikeability (year 4)
- Wednesday 6th Nov (5.00pm) – Year 4 Residential Meeting
- Thursday 7th Nov (5.00pm) – Year 6 Assembly to parents

Attendance

CLASS OF THE WEEK

Class 4 (Mrs Peters/Mrs Lester) = 99.1%

WHOLE SCHOOL WEEK = 96.2%

WHOLE SCHOOL YEAR = 95.7%

Class 1 = 97.9%

Class 6 = 95.1%

Class 2 = 93.8%

Class 7 = 94.0%

Class 3 = 97.8%

Class 8 = 92.7%

Class 4 = 99.1%

Class 9 = 98.6%

Class 5 = 97.3%

Class 10 = 98.2%

Class 11 = 95.2%

