



Cledford Primary School Newsletter

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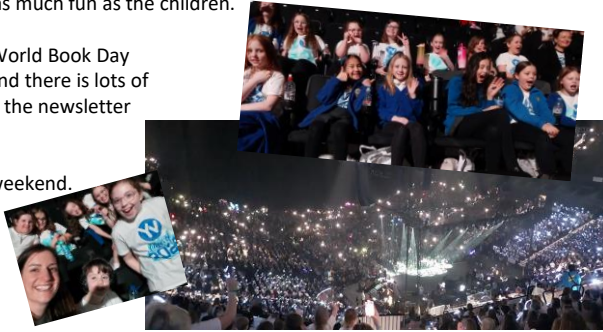
Dear parents/carers,

This week a group of children travelled to the new Co-Op Arena in Manchester to take part in the Young Voices concert. As always, it was a lot of fun and the children got to see performances from dancers, singers and musician but the highlight was obviously the children singing and dancing as part of the choir along with a staggering 7000 other children. Mrs Peters and the team of staff worked incredibly hard to organise the experience and ensure the safety and enjoyment of those who attended. I'm sure you'll join me in passing on our thanks to them. Thanks go to the parents who came to support us too... I think they had just as much fun as the children.

Next week is World Book Day on Thursday and there is lots of information in the newsletter for you too.

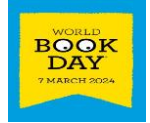
Have a great weekend.

Mr Adlington
Principal



World Book Day – Thursday 6th March

The theme for our World Book Day celebrations this year is 'Read the Rainbow.' Our activities in school will be based around books that have a colour theme.



Stay and read – Please drop children off as usual & then make your way to the main school entrance for 8.50am. Parents/carers are invited into the hall for a short presentation before joining children in classes. Parents/carers will be able to move between siblings classes. Our stay and read will finish at around 10am.

Dressing up – children are invited to come into school in non-uniform, dressed as a colour of their choosing. i.e. all in red, all in green etc! No football shirts please.

Book fair – the book fair will be open after school from Thursday 6th March – Wednesday 12th March.

Competition – Entries for this year's competition must be in by Friday 7th March.

School Dinners

If your child is going to be in later than morning registration and would like a school lunch, please call the office to let us know what they would like **before 9.00am**.

Next week, we will be on week 2 of our school menu.

Merits

- 1 Mrs Higgins – James P, for super effort in reading and writing, you have beautiful handwriting James, keep it up!
- 2 Miss Parton – Phoenix S, for showing super knowledge of numbers to 50 and using your knowledge to solve number problems. Keep it up, Phoenix!
- 3 Mrs Giblin – Reggie F, for great reading and writing.
- 4 Mrs Peters/Mrs Lester – Alexander, for working hard in class and creating a beautiful print of a wave in the style of Hokunsai.
- 5 Miss Addis – Teddy S, for his fantastic dodging and teamwork during PE.
- 6 Mr Varnom – Cara D, for working hard and being focused when exploring different lines and textures in art.
- 7P Miss Platt – Isla B, for believing in herself in maths and achieving great things!
- 7PM Mrs McLoughlin – Cade H, for always being a superb role-model to others. and displaying an amazing attitude to learning at all time. He is a fantastic friend to everyone.
- 8 Mr Gill – Cara O, for excellent work in our maths on decimals and fractions. Well done, Cara!
- 9 Mrs Phillipson – Bob D, for his enthusiasm for learning and always striving to be the best that he can be. Well done, Bob!
- 10 Mrs Marsland – Leighton and Jude, for outstanding teamwork when creating their playground models in DT.
- 11 Miss Wagstaff/Mrs Lester – Lily S, for outstanding presentation in every piece of work. Amazing!

EYFS news

Reception children have been on another journey, this time in a boat. They have shared the story 'The Journey' by Neil Griffiths about a boat that sails away from the little boy who owns it and goes on its own adventure. They have produced some beautiful writing about the book. In forest school, they took their own little boat on a journey and created a story map and in maths the focus has been number 9 and 10. Next week, children will be exploring the number 10 and ways of making 10.

Pre school children have been enjoying the story of 'The Ugly Duckling', singing 'Ring o Roses' and talking about new life as they begin learning more about Spring.

The pre school merit this week goes to:

Harvey L, for always listening and sharing his ideas using super sentences.

Nursery children have been singing '5 Little Ducks' and experimenting, sorting, finding and creating with the colour yellow.

Next Thursday is **World Book Day** and we will be celebrating this with the theme of colour- the children will be reading lots of stories and rhymes connected to 'colour' and they will need to come to school dressed all in one colour. All parents/ carers are invited to join the children in the classrooms for 'Stay and Read' and will need to enter school via the office at the beginning of the day.. The introductory talk will begin at 8.50. Pre school and nursery parents who would like to attend can drop the children at school at 8.45 before going round to the office.

Have a wonderful weekend. Let's hope the spring like weather continues!

The EYFS team

Dates for your diary

- Wednesday 5th March – Family Lunch Class 9 (year 5)
- Thursday 6th March – World Book Day – stay and get reading
- Thursday 6th March – Wednesday 12th March – Book Fair
- Tuesday 11th March – Year 1 visit to Blue Planet
- Wednesday 12th March – Year 4 (Class 7P) family lunch
- Thursday 13th March – Year 4 (Class 7M) family lunch
- Thursday 13th March (5.00pm) – Year 6 SATs information evening
- Thursday 27th March (9.00am) – Stay and learn together
- Friday 28th March – Non uniform day for Easter bingo donations
- Wednesday 2nd & Thursday 3rd April – PTFA Easter bingo
- Thursday 3rd April – Easter service at St Michael All Angels church
- Friday 4th April – EYFS visit to Delamere Forest
- Friday 4th April – Last day of school before Easter holidays**
- Tuesday 22nd April – INSET DAY**
- Wednesday 23rd April – School re-opens**
- Thursday 24th April – Year 3 family lunch
- Wednesday 30th April – Year 2 residential meeting (5.30pm – 6.00pm)

Attendance

CLASS OF THE WEEK

Class 5 (Miss Addis) = 99.5%

WHOLE SCHOOL WEEK = 96.6%

WHOLE SCHOOL YEAR = 95.4%

Class 1 = 92.4%

Class 7P= 99.4%

Class 2 = 88.8%

Class 7M = 90.2%

Class 3 = 99.4%

Class 8 = 98.2%

Class 4 = 97.2%

Class 9 = 96.9%

Class 5 = 99.5%

Class 10 = 99.1%

Class 6 = 96.6%

Class 11 = 96.3%

