



# Cledford Primary and Nursery Academy Newsletter



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Dear Parents and Guardians,

We've had another lovely week at Cledford, and we'd like to thank you all for your continued support!

Our *Stay and Learn* session for parents this week was a great success with many of you attending to see first hand how we engage and support your children in their learning. It was wonderful to see so many of you involved and we hope you found the session enjoyable and informative. We look forward to welcoming you to future events!

A big thank you to everyone who took part in our *Non-Uniform Day*, which was held in support of our PTA Easter Bingo event. The Easter chocolate donations were especially appreciated and your generosity helps fund more exciting events and activities for our school community.

Finally, our 'Attendance Bears' have been spotted at the school gates this week, causing a little mischief around the school! These lovable characters have been making their rounds, encouraging good attendance, punctuality and bringing some extra fun to the day.

Thank you again for your support and we look forward to all the exciting things to come!

Mr Adlington  
Principal

## Folk and Boat Festival

On Wednesday, Caz Haylett from Middlewich Community Church joined us in assembly and taught the children some songs for the upcoming Folk and Boat Festival. All primary schools in Middlewich will learn the same songs, with the option for students to perform on stage at the festival. Links for practice are available here!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iUP6FzrOWrA> <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RsZvuqPwHQo>

## School reports

Reports will be sent home with your child next Thursday. If you require a second copy (for separated parents) please ensure you let the school office know. Thank you.

## Easter Service – Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April

The service will take place in the morning of **Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April**. There will be no school snack available on the morning of the service; please send your child in with their own snack to eat when they return to school. Families are welcome to come and join the service. If you wish to attend, please make your way to the church for **10:15** where there will be seating available at the back. If you wish to volunteer as a helper on the day, please let the main office know. We would need you to be available from 9:40 to walk with a class. Unfortunately, due to our risk assessment, adults are unable to walk with pushchairs or children who are not of school age.

## School Dinners

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

## Merits

- 1 Mrs Higgins – Jenson H, for his positive and enthusiastic attitude to learning!
- 2 Miss Parton – Lilyanna P, for reading with confidence! You can do it, Lilyanna!
- 3 Mrs Giblin – Killian S, for solving maths problems.
- 4 Mrs Peters/Mrs Lester – Max G, for demonstrating great skill in PE and for working encouragingly as a team. You were a positive example for all!
- 5 Miss Addis – Alfie L, for his teamwork during our PE lessons.
- 6 Mr Varnom – Jay D, for consistently doing his best whenever he writes and taking pride in his work.
- 7P Miss Platt – Harvey L, for really trying to improve his presentation and handwriting.
- 7PM Mrs McLoughlin – Joe B, for always being ready to learn, striving to be the best he can be and being a great friend to everyone. You thoroughly deserve this Joe, well done!
- 8 Mr Gill – Ivy B, for producing a wonderful letter about Scott of the Antarctic in her golden write.
- 9 Mrs Phillipson – Amelie N, for hard work and improvement in netball and for helping others with positioning.
- 10 Mrs Marsland – Kian B, for his outstanding work in computing. Focused, determined and creative. What a star!
- 11 Miss Wagstaff/Mrs Lester – Elise A, for being an excellent role model at all times.

## EYFS news

The reception class have enjoyed learning about the story of Easter this week. They have been learning the significance of eggs and new life to the story of Easter and will continue with spring based learning next week. In maths, they have been focussing on complex patterns. Using pattern codes, A,B,C and even D, they have been creating repeating patterns using different combinations of colours, shapes and objects. They have enjoyed this song!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hoFhVdYsmPg>

Please don't forget that reception children are off to Delamere Forest next Friday- see the separate email you received for further information.

Pre School children have been enjoying learning about Spring by listening to the story of 'Lola Plants a Garden'. They have been learning the names of parts of a plant. The rhyme this week is 'Round and Round the Garden'. The children have enjoyed joining in with the actions. Maths has continued on the theme of 'more', 'fewer' and 'the same'.

The pre-school merit goes to: Arabella, for super work in phonics!

Nursery children have also been learning about spring, naming baby animals and singing 'Mary Had a Little Lamb'. The colour of the week has been lilac.

We hope you enjoyed taking part in the non uniform/ pyjama day on Friday to gather in egg donations in preparation for the Easter bingo. Please buy your tickets through your Arbor app and come and join the fun!

Have a lovely weekend!

The EYFS team

## Dates for your diary

- Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> & Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April – PTFA Easter bingo
- Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April – Easter service at St Michael All Angels church
- Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April – EYFS visit to Delamere Forest
- Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April – Last day of school before Easter holidays**
- Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April – INSET DAY**
- Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April – School re-opens**
- Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> April – Year 3 family lunch
- Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> April – Year 2 residential meeting (5.30pm – 6.00pm)
- Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May – BANK HOLIDAY**
- Monday 12<sup>th</sup> May – SATS week for year 6
- Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – Class, groups and year 6 leavers' photographs
- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May – Stay and Get Creative
- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May – Last day of school before half term**
- Monday 26<sup>th</sup> May – HALF TERM**
- Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June – School re-opens**
- Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June – Class 4 to Delamere
- Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June – Class 5 to Delamere
- Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June – Reception (class 1) family lunch

## Attendance

### CLASS OF THE WEEK

**Class 4 & 9 (Mrs Peters/Mrs Lester and Mrs Phillipson) = 100%**

**WHOLE SCHOOL WEEK = 96.5%**

**WHOLE SCHOOL YEAR = 95.6%**

Class 1 = 96.8%

Class 7P = 96.7%

Class 2 = 94.1%

Class 7M = 96.3%

Class 3 = 98.8%

Class 8 = 99.6%

Class 4 = 100%

Class 9 = 100%

Class 5 = 94.9%

Class 10 = 94.7%

Class 6 = 96.0%

Class 11 = 96.6%

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