



Cledford Primary School Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

There was great excitement on Monday when the children in reception and key stage 1 were visited by the fire brigade who arrived in their shiny red fire engine! The children used the hose and were delighted when the lights flashed for them!

Christmas has most definitely arrived in school this week with the first of the nativity performances. Thank you to all the staff involved in preparing the children for these special events.

It is the Middlewich Light Switch On event in our town this evening, we are sure it will be a wonderfully festival event.

Have a lovely weekend.

Miss Wagstaff
Vice Principal

Messages

Carol Service - On Friday 16th December, we will be attending St Michael and All Angels for our annual Christmas Carol Service. If you would like to volunteer to walk with the children, please contact the main office or send a message via the gate or your child's reading diary. You would need to be available from 9:30 - 11:30. Many thanks for your support.

Christmas Jumper Day - Children can come to school in a Christmas jumper on Tuesday 13th December. Why not make your own rather than spending money on one? It's much more fun to grab any old thing from the back of the cupboard and cover it with stickers, felt, tinsel, glitter and baubles!

Additional bank holiday - Monday 8th May - school will be closed for an additional bank holiday for the King's coronation which takes place on Saturday 6th May.

Merits

- 1 Miss Parton/Mrs Coppock - All of class 1, for a wonderful Nativity performance!
- 2 Mrs Higgins - Whole of class 2, for a fantastic nativity performance!
- 3 Mrs Phillipson - Rainbow R, for being kind and caring and a lovely friend to everyone.
- 4 Mrs Giblin - Freddie B, for expressive reading.
- 5 Mr Varnom - Rosie P, for improving her phonics skills and her reading - you super star!
- 6 Miss Addis - Tommy P, for his amazing attitude in English and for writing a superb descriptive letter for the story Escape from Pompeii.
- 7 Miss Platt - Jonathan C, for 'wowing' the class with his glockenspiel skills and always being so cheerful.
- 8 Miss Gee - Scarlett H, for a beautiful golden write about the volcanic eruption in the book, 'Escape from Pompeii.'
- 9 Mrs Appleton/Mrs Peters - Georgina C, for working especially hard in class.
- 10 Mr Gill - Poppy T, for showing excellent perseverance and resilience using fractions in our maths lessons. It is not an easy topic but Poppy has applied herself very well.
- 11 Mrs Marsland - Tyas C, for his outstanding progress in his arithmetic test. Your hard work is paying off!
- 12 Miss Wagstaff - Morgan L, for attention to detail when working in the style of Henri Rousseau.

EYFS News

WOW! What a festive week! Christmas and December have arrived with gusto and the children have made us incredibly proud with their efforts in the nativity performance. The children have been listening to and discussing the Christmas story, learning the sequence of events and naming the characters. Next week, they will be learning about lots of traditions associated with Christmas. They will find out why we have a Christmas tree, what a Christingle is and a little about Christmas around the world. They will also be learning about the festival of Hannukah.

We hope you enjoyed watching the children perform and having the chance to share their learning journeys.

Keep up with the reading, please! We only had 50% of the children reading 5 times last week.

Please note: the school day begins at 8.40am. The classroom door will close at 8.45 every day and anyone arriving after this time will have to sign in at the office.

Enjoy the weekend,

The EYFS team

Dates for your diary

- Mon 5th Dec - EYFS Reading breakfast
- Tue 6th Dec - Flu immunisation
- Wed 7th Dec - KS1 Nativity (6pm)
- Thu 8th Dec - KS1 Nativity (2pm)
- Tue 13th Dec - Christmas dinner and Christmas jumper day
- Fri 16th Dec - Carol service at St Michael's church
- Fri 16th Dec - School closes for Christmas**
- Tue 3rd Jan - School re-opens**
- Tuesday 17th January - Family lunch for class 9 (year 5)
- Tuesday 17th January - EYFS and KS1 theatre visit
- Wednesday 18th January - Family lunch for class 10 (year 5)
- Thursday 19th January - KS2 theatre visit
- Tuesday 31st January - Year 2 & 6 SATs meetings for parents
- Thursday 16th February - EYFS stay and get baking

Attendance



CLASS OF THE WEEK

Class 7 (Miss Platt) - 97.62%

WHOLE SCHOOL WEEK: 92.27%

WHOLE SCHOOL YEAR: 94.22%

Class 1: 92.57%	Class 8: 96.22%
Class 2: 87.43%	Class 9: 89.61%
Class 3: 85.12%	Class 10: 96.27%
Class 4: 93.45%	Class 11: 95.77%
Class 5: 88.00%	Class 12: 89.53%
Class 6: 91.52%	
Class 7: 97.62%	