



Cledford Primary and Nursery Academy Newsletter



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Dear Parents and Carers,

What a wonderful couple of days we've shared during Parents' Evenings this week. It has been such a pleasure to welcome you into school and for teachers to talk through your children's progress and achievements. We hope you are as proud of them as we are; their hard work, kindness and enthusiasm shine through in everything they do. Thank you for your continued support—it truly makes all the difference. Thank you also for completing the feedback forms – we can't wait to read them all!

I'd also like to congratulate our talented cricketers who competed so brilliantly in the St Mary's Cup on Sunday and well done to our rounders team who came first place in their tournament on Thursday. The teamwork, sportsmanship and determination of both teams was fantastic to see and they represented Cledford with pride. Well done to everyone involved!

As we head into the final two weeks of term, there's still so much to look forward to. Transition days are coming up, giving children the chance to spend time in their new classes and meet new teachers—a great way to build confidence for the year ahead. We're also excited for our Sports Days, where we'll be cheering on all our pupils as they give their best in a range of events. Let's hope the weather continues to be kind to us!

Have a great weekend
Mr C Adlington
Principal



Merits

- 1 Mrs Higgins – Lake H, for extra effort in every area this week. You have been a Busy Bee superstar!
- 2 Miss Parton – Harley M, for ordering and spelling the days of the week correctly.
- 3 Mrs Giblin – Lucas S, for lovely handwriting and amazing sentence writing in English.
- 4 Mrs Peters/Mrs Lester – Buddy D, for demonstrating his reasoning in maths to the class. Well done! We loved the mathematical language you used!
- 5 Miss Addis – Jaxon H, for his fantastic attitude to learning. He always puts his hand up to participate and is enthusiastic about every learning opportunity.
- 6 Mr Varnom – All of year 3, for behaving respectfully and representing the school with such pride and enthusiasm on your memorable Roman trip to Park in the Past. Your excellent behaviour and curiosity truly made the day a great success!
- 7P Miss Platt – Hannah B, for her amazing progress in reading.
- 7PM Mrs McLoughlin – Thea A, for her hard work, love of learning and inspiring her classmates with her independent writing.
- 8 Mr Gill – Ellen M, for showing a positive and mature attitude, always being ready, respectful and safe. Well done, Ellen!
- 9 Mrs Phillipson – Mani A, for settling into Cledford so well and for his brilliant work in DT.
- 10 Mrs Marsland – Mason H, for outstanding focus, determination and accuracy when constructing automata toy frames in DT at Middlewich High School.
- 11 Miss Wagstaff/Mrs Lester – Lily S, for always demonstrating the Cledford values – respect, responsibility and resilience.

Dates for your diary

SPORTS DAYS

- Tue 8th July Y3/4
- Wed 9th July Y5/6
- Thu 10th July Y1/2
- Fri 11th July EYFS (Including Nursery and Pre-school)

- Thursday 10th July – Hoodwinked performance (6pm)
- Tuesday 15th July – Move up morning
- Wednesday 16th July – Year 6 Cledford leavers' lunch and assembly
- Friday 18th July – last day of school before summer holidays
- SCHOOL CLOSED FOR SUMMER**
- Monday 1st September – Inset day
- Tuesday 2nd September – School re-opens

Sports Days

The gate will open at 1.20pm and the sports days will begin at 1.30pm.

Please see below for dates for each year group:

Tuesday 8th July – Years 3 and 4

Wednesday 9th July – Years 5 and 6

Thursday 10th July – Years 1 and 2

Friday 11th July – EYFS including Nursery and Pre-school

Year 6 leavers' assembly and lunch – Wednesday 16th July

Don't forget to order your meal for our year 6 leavers' lunch via Arbor by 3pm on Tuesday 8th July.

You will also need to tell us your meal preference by using the Microsoft form below:

<https://forms.office.com/e/veCrDuYhMa>

School Dinners

Please ensure that any dinner money owed is cleared on Arbor before we break up for the summer holidays. If you have any concerns about making payments please contact school so we can put you in touch with our finance team. You can also contact Cheshire East council to see if you are entitled to income related free school meals: 0300 123 5012.

https://www.cheshireeast.gov.uk/schools/school-meals/free_school_meals.aspx

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

EYFS news

The reception children have been learning about the endangered rhino this week, reading the story 'Ronald the Rhino' and learning about the Javan forest. They have enjoyed sequencing the story images, recalling facts and making rhinos that look 'unique'. Maths work has focussed on missing numbers and they have enjoyed using the 'Top Marks' website to complete some maths challenges using a 100 square.

Preschool children have been reading the story 'Watch Me Bloom' and making flowers in the creative area. They have been reinforcing their knowledge and understanding of 'more' and 'fewer', 'same' and using the story 'Aliens Love Underpants' to reinforce these concepts. They have been singing the rhyme 'Miss Molly' in phonics sessions.

The pre-school merit goes to:

Elissa D, for being kind and respectful.

Nursery children have been singing 'The Big Ship Sails' and learning more about Summer. They have read 'Ben and Holly's Trip to the Seaside' and 'Spot Goes on Holiday'. The children who will be leaving nursery enjoyed a visit to the pre school room in preparation for their move in September. The colour of the week was orange.

Enjoy the weekend. Fingers crossed for more dry weather. See you all at Sports Day next Friday at 1.30pm. Please come to the field gate on Long Lane.

Mrs Higgins and the EYFS team

Attendance

CLASS OF THE WEEK

Class 3 (Mrs Giblin) = 96.9%

WHOLE SCHOOL WEEK = 94.4%

WHOLE SCHOOL YEAR = 95.4%

Class 1 = 96.0%

Class 7P = 92.2%

Class 2 = 92.6%

Class 7M = 95.1%

Class 3 = 96.9%

Class 8 = 94.7%

Class 4 = 92.3%

Class 9 = 94.9%

Class 5 = 93.1%

Class 10 = 92.0%

Class 6 = 93.5%

Class 11 = 93.5%

