



Weekly Newsletter

W/e 17th June 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Over the last week, we have noticed a rise in cases of Covid across the school. These cases have been confirmed with tests and positive cases have had a variety of symptoms. With guidance changes, we are no longer required to report cases to the Local Authority or the Department for Education and this coincides with the requirement lifting for testing. As ever, the safety of all children and adults at school remains my priority so I would ask that the following guidance is taken should your child become ill:

If your child has a temperature or cough and they are feeling unwell, please keep them at home for three days or until you feel that they are well enough to return.

If your child is unwell and you have access to tests and are willing to test your child, please do. Sharing any positive cases with us allows us to keep a track on any spread around school.

Any child or adult who tests positive will be asked to stay at home for three days to reduce the spread.

Thank you for your support with this, Mrs Cowell-Clark

Contacting us:

Calls can be made to school Monday to Thursday from 8:30am – 4.30pm and Friday 8.30am - 4pm on 01777 708065.

Enquiries about admissions, school dinners and any other query should be directed to office@clarborough.notts.sch.uk

Finance queries should be directed to: finance@clarborough.notts.sch.uk

National Online Safety

Every week, National Online Safety (NOS) produce informative posters highlighting a specific online item. This week they have mentioned 'Twitch'.

A separate Parentmail will be sent out to you with the full information poster on this. Please take a few minutes to read through this information.



Recycling



We are continuing to recycle old pens, crisp packets, cans and old batteries in school. Please send any recycling into school with your child. We continue to accept used/empty printer ink cartridges for recycling!

Booking in Lunches, Breakfast Club and Wraparound Club

Parentmail is now open for you to book your child's lunches, Breakfast club and Wraparound places for the Summer Term 2. Please note, these must be booked <u>one week in advance</u> to allow us to ensure correct staffing and meals etc.



Please also note that Breakfast club starts from 7.45am and children will not be allowed into school before this time. Thank you.



We're on Facebook and Instagram!

We are on Facebook and Instagram! Search for 'Clarborough Primary' and follow us for regular updates and see what we are getting up to!

Please turn off your engines and considerate parking



Please turn off your car engines whilst waiting in the village hall car park and on Hillview Crescent. This is more environmentally friendly and considerate to those around them.

Further, for those parking at the village hall, please can you ensure that you park your vehicle appropriately and in the correct parking spaces provided to ensure that other parents can get in and out of the car park easily.

Toys and Fidget Toys

Please note that fidget toys or any other sort of toy <u>should not</u> be brought into school unless you have spoken with your teacher and they have permitted your child to bring it in.



Nursery and 30hrs (Frida Kahlo)

What a super week we have had learning about vehicles. We have also been thinking about recycling and as part of this have been making a lots of model cars and enjoyed repurposing old boxes. There was much discussion about making the wheels the same size and allowing time for the glue to dry!

We also are aware of the importance of being able to recognise and handle a wide range of emotions. This simple lotto game has given us lots of practise learning about

different emotions. Do talk to your child about their feelings as they arise - it will really help their resilience. Next week - farm vehicles!



Reception (Georgia O'Keeffe)



This week we have been learning about vehicles that fly and have been talking about the sort of vehicle we would use to go on different types of holidays. We have tried to make our own flying machines with paper, and made some amazing planes and helicopters! Mrs Turton has been measuring our Maths brains and is so proud of how much we have learnt and how quickly we can work things out in our heads.





Next week is Road Safety Week so we will be talking about how to keep ourselves safe when we are travelling in vehicles and when we are walking.

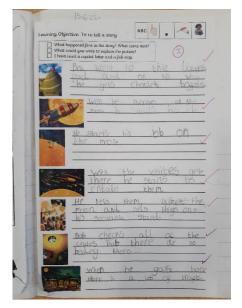
Stars of the week: Joely for her beautifully neat writing and Alfie G for working so hard in Phonics! Year 1 (Joan Miro)

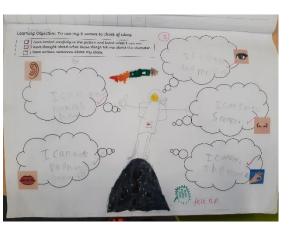


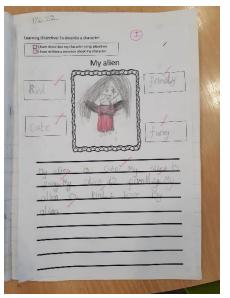
This week in English, the children have been retelling the storiy of 'Bob on the Moon.' They have been using their five senses to describe what it is like on the moon.

In Maths, they have been making their own array and been practising doubling numbers.

In Clarborough Curriculum, they have started learning about Neil Armstrong.









Next week, we will be looking at equal groups in Maths and describing their own rockets in English.

In PE, they will be practising high jumps using hurdles too.

Note from Mrs Deakin:

I am setting up a weekly Maths activity for the children to complete at home and this will be sent out every Monday. It would be great if you could support your child with this. Please could the books be returned by Thursday for feedback.

The first Maths activity sheet will be given out on Monday 20th June 2022.

Thank you for your continued support!



Year 2 (L.S. Lowry)

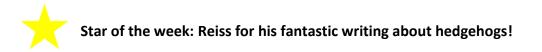


This week, the children have been writing non-chronological reports about hedgehogs. In Maths they have been reading and recording temperatures and weighing objects.



In Clarborough Curriculum, the children have been finding out about William Pelham and how he brought the first printing press to England. In PSHE they have been finding out about contact and touch.

Next week, Year 2 will be using position and direction in Maths and using left and right. They will be using expanded noun phrases in English and in Science, they are finding out about micro habitats.

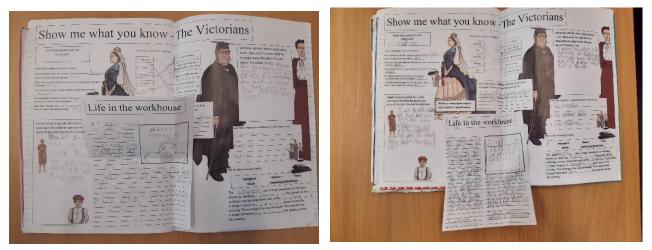


Year 3 (William Morris)



In Year 3, the children have been writing fractions as tenths and decimals. They have been focusing on specific vocabulary and persuasive devices in English and they have been programming using Scratch in Computing.

They have also completed their 'Show me what you know about Victorians' too.



Next week, the children will be starting a leaflet promoting about Kings' Park. In Maths they will be finding fractions of amounts and in Clarborough Curriculum, they will be looking at maps.

Star of the week: Paige for her fantastic knowledge of fractions; you have worked so hard in Maths!



Year 4 (Salvador Dali)

This week, the children have been writing about the film 'Reverso.' They have been completing their Multiplication Tables Check as part of the National Assessment of Year 4 pupils.

The children completed a Science experiment melting chocolate and they have also been learning about the Rocky Mountains in North America.



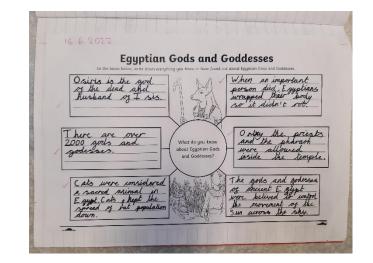
Next week, they are beginning biographies about Ernest Shackleton. They will be learning about volcanoes and finding out more about quadrilaterals.

Star of the week: Harriet because she has worked super-hard for two weeks now!



Year 5 (Banksy)

In Year 5 this week, the children have been learning about Egyptian Gods and Goddesses. They have been learning about angles in a straight line in Maths.



Next week, they are going to be finding out about the Egyptian process of mummification and Egyptian burial rituals. They will be writing instructions in English and revising quadrilaterals and triangles in Maths.

Star of the week: James as he has been using brilliant sentences in his reading comprehension and produced his name beautifully in Hieroglyphics!

Year 6 (Lucian Freud)



In Year 6 this week, the children have been finding out about the countries within South America and marking them on maps. They have been solving a range of word problems in Maths and trying to incorporate powerful language into their writing.

They have also been busy rehearsing for their end of year production – 'Pirates of the Curry Bean'. They finished the week of with a well-deserved water balloon fight – poor Mrs Cowell-Clark was drenched!



Next week, they will be looking at the weather and climate in the Americas as well as recapping their knowledge of ratio and proportion.

Star of the week: Ruben for his enthusiasm and concentration during production rehearsal!

Dates for your Diary....

*Monday 27th June – Sports Day (Reception to Year 6) ** Please note change of date ** **Monday 11th July – 'Back up' Sports Day (Reception to Year 6) ** Please note change of date ** Thursday 30th June and Friday 1st July - Bikeability Year 5 Group 1 (details to follow) Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th July - Bikeability Year 5 Group 2 (details to follow) Friday 22nd July – Year 6 Leavers' Assembly

Out of School Achievements

If your child has any out of school achievements that they would like mentioned in the newsletter, please send in your photos/certificates by Thursday to ensure it is included in Friday's newsletter.

A big congratulations to Arthur who achieved his Learn to Swim Stage 3 Award this week - Well done Arthur, great work!





A big well done to Logan and Lucian who completed an LTA Youth Tennis for Kids course at Retford Tennis club - Great work Logan and Lucian, keep up the good work!

Huge congratulations to Harriet who received her 400m, 800m, 1000m, 1500m, 2000m and 1 Mile Rainbow Distance Certificates! Harriet is also now moving on to the Development Squad – Amazing work Harriet, Well done!





Congratulations to Rozalyn who received her white and black stripe belt in karate this week – Wow, great work Rozalyn!

A big well done to Ben who received his 10m Rainbow Distance Certificate in swimming this week – Great work Ben!





Last weekend Isla played in two tournaments for Retford Football club in Newark. On Saturday, she played for the U9 Boys team and on Sunday she played for the U8 Girls team. The girls won the tournament consisting of 12 teams and Isla scored 5 goals! Fantastic work Isla – Well done!



Breakfast club, wraparound care, 30hours and lunches need to be booked in and paid for at least one week in advance on Parentmail. Breakfast is served daily until 8:20 am. If you have any questions or queries relating to Breakfast club, Wraparound and lunches please email Mrs Hardie on <u>office@clarborough.notts.sch.uk</u>

Local News

CDCA is seeking additional Trustees

Clarborough & District Community Association (CDCA, Charity Commission 502076) is seeking new Trustees to help power forward. The Board of Trustees is particularly keen to hear from anyone who has financial experience who can guide our charity to accessing funding for the long-term maintenance and development of our hall building.

We are also keen to engage with younger members of our community to enable us to make our hall available for weekend events such as children's parties as well as other special occasions. The Tree Lighting Fair, which took place in December last year, was a really good example of what can be achieved when our community works together.

If this sounds interesting, please contact Greg on 01777 700 918 or <u>clarboroughwelham@gmail.com</u> or David on 07501 803918 or <u>dawsondavida@yahoo.com</u>

For more about CDCA and also forthcoming meeting dates, please go to our community website's *Village Hall CDCA* page.

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