



Be the best you can be!

Weekly Newsletter

W/e 29th April 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

I would just like to take the opportunity to remind you about the changes to guidance regarding COVID and isolation:

Children and young people with mild symptoms such as a runny nose, sore throat, or slight cough, who are otherwise well, can continue to attend their education setting. However, children who are unwell **and** have a high temperature should stay at home and avoid contact with other people. They can go back to school when they no longer have a high temperature, and they are well enough to attend.

For children who have a positive COVID-19 test result, the advice will be to stay at home for 3 days. After 3 days, the risk of a child passing the infection on to others is much lower as children tend to be infectious to other people for less time than adults.

Adults with the symptoms of a respiratory infection, such as COVID-19, and who have a high temperature and do not feel well enough to go to work or carry out normal activities, should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people until they feel well enough to resume normal activities and they no longer have a high temperature.

Adults with a positive COVID-19 test result should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for 5 days, which is when they are most infectious.

Enjoy the bank holiday weekend and we will see you on Tuesday 3rd May!

Thank you,
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 'Group Chats'.

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 are now also recycling used/empty printer ink cartridges!**

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 1. Please note, these must be booked one week in advance 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 should not 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)



It has been so lovely to welcome all the new children in and they have settled in so well!

This week, we have been learning about vehicles and have enjoyed making 3D models and a pretend bus outside that took us on an imaginary journey to the beach and farm.



Next week, we will be thinking about building sites.



Reception (Georgia O'Keeffe)

This week we have been learning about the different types of vehicles that are used on building sites, and all the different jobs that are involved in building a house.

After reading 'The Three Little Pigs' the children tried to build houses using straws, sticks and bricks, and were fantastic at cooperating with each other when they were building.

Mrs Turton has had her socks well and truly blown off by how quickly the children are able to combine two numbers to make 10 - they are amazing!

Next week, we will be learning about delivery vehicles and talking about how things are transported around the world.





Stars of the week: Archie for trying so hard with his writing and for his fantastic creative ideas, and Amelia for doing so well with her phonics and for being so kind!



Year 1 (Joan Miro)

This week the children have been writing diary entries based on the experience of the Titanic passengers. In Science they have been learning about the differences between mammals, amphibians and reptiles and in Maths, Year 1 have been refining their partitioning skills into tens and one.

Next week, the children will be comparing animals in Science. In Maths they will be comparing objects up to 50 in Maths and they will be creating fact files on the Titanic.



Year 1 Announcements:

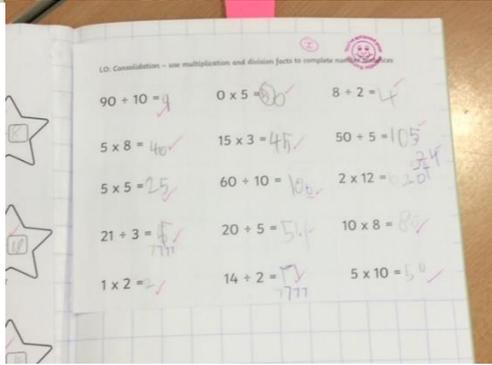


Star of the week: Alana for fantastic listening skills and completing all work this week. You can now go back and make improvements!



Year 2 (L.S. Lowry)

In Year 2 this week, the children have been planning their own version of the story 'The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch.' In Maths they have been multiplying and dividing and their Art work this week has enabled them time to finish making their teddies.



Next week, the children are going to The Yorkshire Wildlife Park. They will also be learning about time in Maths. As part of their work on the seaside, they will be comparing seaside holidays now with those in the past.



Star of the week: Cole for putting 100% effort into his Maths and writing!



Year 3 (William Morris)

This week the children have been solving problems involving time. They have been continuing to read their class book 'Street Child' and are very engaged with it. They have also been using apostrophes to show possession and contraction. The children had an amazing Victorian Day with 'Mr Marshall' where the children learnt what school days were like. They were immersed in their learning all day – from practising their handwriting to washing cloths by hand and they all had a great time!



Next week, Year 3 be looking at capacity in Maths and in English they will be using imaginative vocabulary to describe a setting description. They will also be looking at the jobs children had during Victorian times.



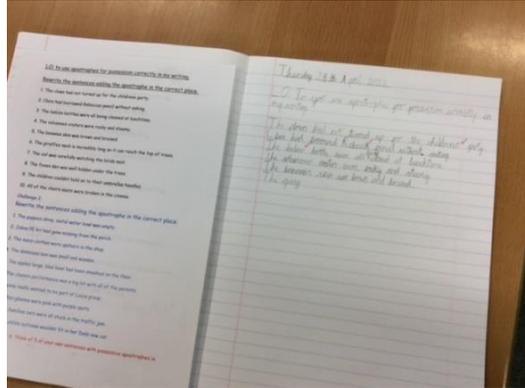
Star of the week: Amelia for always working so hard and for putting 100% into everything!



Year 4 (Salvador Dali)

In Clarborough Curriculum, the children have continued their learning about the Mayflower. In Maths, they have been diving by 10 and 100, including decimals and in English they have been writing rhetorical questions and using alliteration.

Next week, the children will be using semi-colons in their persuasive posters. They will be comparing decimals in Maths and they will be learning about the journey the Mayflower took to the New World.



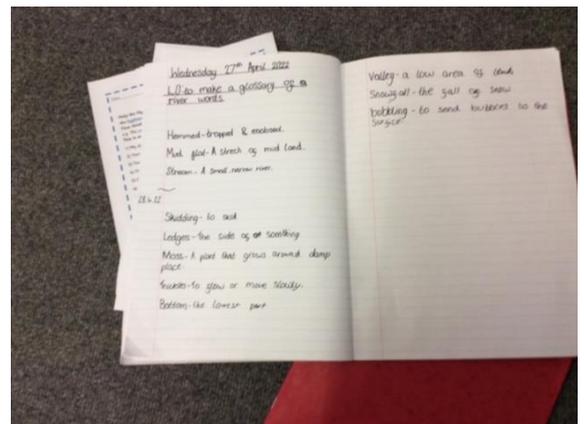
Star of the week: Asya for the independence she has shown in her learning this week!



Year 5 (Banksy)

This week in Art the children have been focusing on Cubism using the work of Picasso as inspiration for their own creations.

Clarborough Curriculum work has focused on finding out about the major rivers in Europe (including the Rhine, the Danube and the Volga.)



In Maths, the children have been adding decimals up to one.

Next week, Year 5 will be finding out about rivers all around the world and will be adding and subtracting decimals bigger than one.



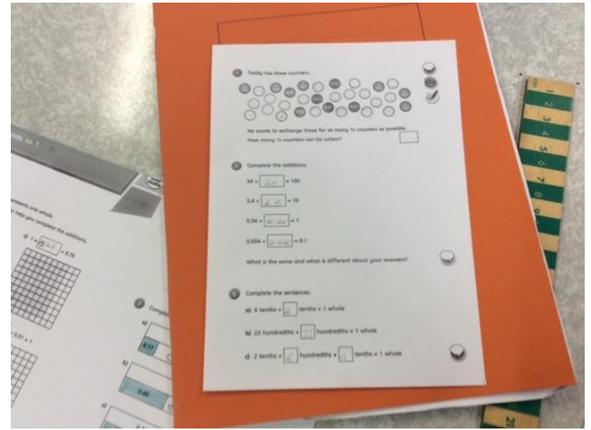
Star of the week: Henry for trying so hard with his adding and subtracting decimal work in Maths this week. He used his knowledge of number bonds to solve the problems – well done Henry!



Year 6 (Lucian Freud)

Year 6 have started writing their instructions as to how they would defeat the monster Grendel.

In Maths, the children have been revising their knowledge of fractions, percentages and decimals. They have also been writing and solving number sequences.



Their geography focus has been on coastal erosion. This lesson was taught in the hall so that the children can get used to the space for their upcoming KS2 SATs tests.

In Art, the children adapted photos of themselves to show how they should look as Vikings.



Next week, we will be writing suspense stories and will continue to look at shapes and their properties in Maths.



Star of the week: Amelie for her amazing effort in English and writing!

Dates for your Diary....

Monday 2nd May – Bank Holiday, school closed

Wednesday 4th May – Year 1 and 2 Trip to The Yorkshire Wildlife Park

Week beginning 9th May – KS2 SATS (Year 6)

Week beginning 16th May – KS1 SATS (Year 2)

Friday 27th May – Golden Jubilee Celebrations (details to follow)

Friday 27th May – Last Day of Term

Monday 30th May to Monday 6th June – HALF TERM

Tuesday 7th June – Children return back to school

Week beginning Tuesday 7th June – Year 4 begin Multiplication Tables Check

Wednesday 8th June – Class Photos and Year 6 Leaver Photos

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 well done to Logan who received his Puffin Certificate and badge in swimming this week – Great work Logan!



Congratulations to Edith who received her Lilac Certificate and Medal from Retford Gymnastics this week – Well done Edith!

A huge well done to Lucian who completed the Intensive Learn to Swim course at Retford Leisure Centre this week – Great work Lucian!





Congratulations to Arthur who received his gymnastics medal from Retford Gymnastics this week for his amazing backwards flip and for landing on his feet – Great work Arthur!

A big well done to Rosie for gaining her Learn to Swim 4 Award this week – Amazing effort Rosie!



Congratulations to Ollie who gained his 10m Rainbow Distance Certificate in swimming this week – Well done Ollie!

A big well done to Alice who achieved her Level 1 Learn to Swim Award this week – Great work Alice!



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 office@clarborough.notts.sch.uk

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 clarboroughwelham@gmail.com or David on 07501 803918 or dawsondauida@yahoo.com

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