

St Clare's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter 12/03/2021



Dear Parents/Carers,

What a wonderful week we have had- lots of smiles everywhere! Thank you to Blake's mum for creating the wonderful arch of balloons to help decorate our entrance and welcome everyone back through our school gate. All the staff have commented on how beautiful it has been to have pupils back in school with their friends, engaging in learning and having lots of fun- there has been a lot of laughter everywhere.



During the week we had a focus on wellbeing to help settle everyone back into our school community. This provided an opportunity for pupils to reconnect. During Tuesday and Wednesday children enjoyed our focus on Science, pupils loved investigating and exploring through a wide range of exciting investigations- there was a lot of awe and wonder observing the outcomes!

Thank you for returning pupils' books so that they can continue to work through them now they are back in school. It is also a wonderful opportunity for classteachers to see all the fabulous work children have completed whilst accessing lessons at home.

In our celebration assembly this morning, we had a great time meeting in our class bubbles and acknowledging the superstars in classes. We were also able to celebrate raffle prize winners and winning school house- it was very exciting! South America and Australia won the attendance trophy and were delighted to receive the silver trophy! Please can I remind parents/carers that you must show the name of the pupil you are linked to as otherwise, as you can appreciate, we cannot admit you through to our assembly.

Many pupils have been tired this week as they become used to the stimulus of school life again. Please help them to have a rested weekend, ready for more fun learning next week!

Enormous thanks for your continued support,

Pre-Loved Uniform

Thank you to all families who have already donated uniform which children have grown out of. The admin team in school are going to create a list of items available and parents/carers can order items every fortnight as we share updated lists. All items will cost £1, which needs to be sent into school in a sealed envelope. All proceeds will go into school fund. The list will be available towards the



Pupils in St Clare's are Walking for Water

During Lent, the school community is committed to supporting the Walk for Water Cafod Lenten Appeal. We watched an assembly on CAFOD's website which highlighted how far some families have to walk daily just to access fresh, clean, safe water and we want to do our bit in making a difference to improve the lives of others.



'Together' pupils and staff are walking 10,000 steps each day using our 250m track around school. Even our youngest children in school are supporting our Lenten Appeal!

If you would like to support our efforts to help Cafod's Walk for Water Appeal, please visit the link below. All your support is very much appreciated.

<https://walk.cafod.org.uk/fundraising/st-clares-catholic-primary-school-is-walking>

Attendance

Congratulations to all pupils who have excellent attendance. **Every second counts.** We appreciate there are occasions, especially at the moment, when pupils have got to stay at home, however we continue to closely track and monitor attendance.

	Week Beginning	Week Beginning
	12.03.2021	
Australia	97.6%	
Europe	94.4%	
South America	99.3%	
North America	96.4%	
Africa	98.9%	
Asia	99.5%	
Whole School	97.9%	

Absences

Please can you send through reasons for pupil absences through **Parentmail**. This will be quicker for you. Please ensure that you notify school of any changes in contact details, as we need to be able to get in touch with you at all times.

Green PE Hoodies

Parents can now order Green PE Hoodies direct from the supplier:

FB Sports and Clothing
53 Boughton
Chester
CH3 5AF

Tel : 01244 312662

Email: info@fbschester.co.uk

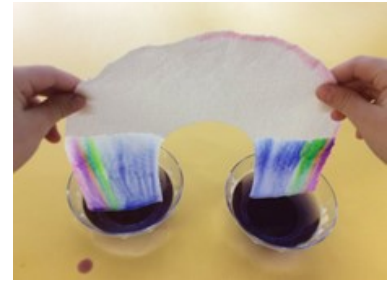
Please call or email them with your order in the first instance, they are currently updating their website, details for which will hopefully follow shortly.

*Happy
Mother's Day*

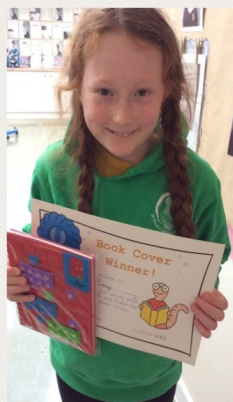


We hope all our lovely mothers and grandmothers have a lovely day on Sunday - we think you are amazing. Your children enjoyed making your cards etc...

Science Fun!



World Book Day Awards



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