



CLARENDON JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWS



January 2023

WELCOME

Happy New Year to all of you and we hope you had a lovely break. The weather is certainly changeable at the moment so please make sure the children come in warm coats and jumpers!

Just a reminder that we operate a 'drop and go' system and gates open at **8.40am** and at **3.05pm** for the end of the day.

CURRICULUM INFORMATION

We have already sent out this term's curriculum information which sets out what the children will be learning up until February half term. This term's theme is Take One Artist and the children will be learning about different artists and styles of art. Further information can be found on our website in the Year group pages.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

We are pleased to be offering after school clubs on Tuesdays until 4pm. These will run from 24 January until 21 March. Clubs will run in classes and offer a range of different activities each week. We are very grateful to the staff for volunteering to run the clubs. Please can you let the office know if your child no longer wishes to attend or if there is any change to collection details.

ABSENCE and ATTENDANCE

If your child is absent from school would you please inform us by telephone [01980 607007] or through Parentmail before 10am. Thank you.

We are fully aware that children become ill and may need to stay at home from time to time however it is vitally important that every child comes to school as much as possible and on time! As a school we monitor every child's attendance and send out letters to parents if there are concerns. We aim to support all families with having children in school so that they may access the full curriculum. Attendance is also celebrated every week in our assembly where the class with the highest attendance wins the Clarendon Bear.

MOVING ON

In our school we know that children move schools a lot. Please can you let us know as soon as you know you are leaving so we can ensure all paperwork is ready to be collected before you leave and we can provide a clear transition to the new school.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

All the children are looking very smart in their uniforms. Please ensure your child's name is in their clothing so that if an item is lost we can return it to its rightful owner!

Just a reminder that your child's PE kit needs to be brought into school on a Monday and should stay in school all week. Our PE kit is T-Shirt, shorts and trainers / plimsolls for indoor lessons and jumpers and jogging bottoms for outdoor. Earrings should be removed for PE, but if this is not possible please provide your child with a roll of surgical tape so they can cover their earrings during the PE session.

PARKING

Parking is an issue around any school and we wish to remind you that you should not be parking in private parking areas. Please ensure that you park considerately and that you make sure there is access for emergency vehicles at all times. Our neighbours are repeatedly complaining about inconsiderate and unsafe parking around the school, particularly Arnott Close.

KEEPING IN TOUCH

Although you don't get to see the teachers on the playground in the mornings you are always welcome to contact the school office if you have any queries or messages as well as speak to the member of staff on the playground.

PARENTS EVENING

The letters for the next Parents meetings have come home and we look forward to sharing your child's achievements with you.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

27 January	Year 6 Take One Artist Parent Workshop
8 February	Parents Evening
10 February	Last day of term
20 February	Back to school after half term
24 February	Year 5 Take One Artist Parent Workshop



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SCHOOL TERM AND HOLIDAY DATES 2022 -23

September 2022						October 2022						November 2022						
M		5	12	19	26	M		3	10	17	24	31	M		7	14	21	28
Tu		6	13	20	27	Tu		4	11	18	25	Tu	1	8	15	22	29	
W		7	14	21	28	W		5	12	19	26	W	2	9	16	23	30	
Th	1	8	15	22	29	Th		6	13	20	27	Th	3	10	17	24		
F	2	9	16	23	30	F		7	14	21	28	F	4	11	18	25		
Sa	3	10	17	24		Sa	1	8	15	22	29	Sa	5	12	19	26		
Su	4	11	18	25		Su	2	9	16	23	30	Su	6	13	20	27		

December 2022						January 2023						February 2023						
M		5	12	19	26	M		2	9	16	23	30	M		6	13	20	27
Tu		6	13	20	27	Tu		3	10	17	24	31	Tu		7	14	21	28
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F	2	9	16	23	30	F		6	13	20	27	F	3	10	17	24		
Sa	3	10	17	24	31	Sa		7	14	21	28	Sa	4	11	18	25		
Su	4	11	18	25		Su	1	8	15	22	29	Su	5	12	19	26		

March 2023						April 2023						May 2023						
M		6	13	20	27	M		3	10	17	24	M		1	8	15	22	29
Tu		7	14	21	28	Tu		4	11	18	25	Tu		2	9	16	23	30
W	1	8	15	22	29	W		5	12	19	26	W		3	10	17	24	31
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Su	5	12	19	26		Su	2	9	16	23	30	Su		7	14	21	28	

June 2023						July 2023						August 2023						
M		5	12	19	26	M		3	10	17	24	31	M		7	14	21	28
Tu		6	13	20	27	Tu		4	11	18	25	Tu	1	8	15	22	29	
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 Denotes TDD – school closed to pupils