

# Clayton-le-Woods Church of England Primary School

"With God we Grow"

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# Monday Worship

As part of our celebration worship on Monday afternoons, I'd love to see some pictures of children and their achievements at home that we can share with the whole school. This could be any activity they've done where they have a great sense of achievement, from riding a bike for the first time to beating their grandad at chess.

Please send your pictures p.howard@clayton-le-woods.lancs.sch.uk and they'll be added to a slideshow that will be played coming in to and leaving worship.

Many thanks, Mr Howard

# PTFA NEWS

Summer concert will be at school this year on the 13th July starting at 6.30pm. There will be a meeting in school at 3.30pm on Thursday 21st June.

All welcome, if you cannot make the meeting but would like to help please give the office a call and we will put your name down.

Any donations for raffle and tombola prizes will be greatly appreciated.

# **HEADTEACHER'S COMMENTS**

Our Year 6 have gone to Edale today until Friday on their residential. We hope that they have a great time and enjoy a wide range of experiences.

On Wednesday, July 4th Premier Sports have arranged for the children from reception to year 6 to take part in a sports day at Bolton Arena, Horwich. They are providing transport for the children to and from the event. Parents are welcome to attend and there will be space to sit in the stands. There will be no charge. Children should wear sports gear and bring a packed lunch. This will be provided for those children who have a school dinner.

Coaches will leave here at 9am, so please ensure that children are at school by 8.45 am so that they are ready to leave. Events will take place between 10 am and 2pm. There will be 7 events that the pupils will access on a rota basis. Each activity will last for 20 minutes. The children will be competing for their house. KS2 pupils will participate in a 1 lap race at the end of the day. There will be a presentation ceremony after the events. Children can either come back to school on the coach with the staff arriving back here at 3.30pm or be taken home by their parents. If they are going home with parents they must be signed out before they leave. Collection time from the venue is 2.45pm. If wet, Friday, July 6th is an alternative date.

This is a great experience for the children that has been organised and fully funded by Premier Sports.

The address for those parents attending is Bolton Arena, Arena Approach, Horwich, BL6 6LB.

Our school sports afternoon will take place as usual on Friday, June 29th. Pre-school activities will be from 12.30pm until 1pm with the rest of the school starting their sports afternoon at 1.15pm. Those pre-school children who have siblings in school can watch with their parents or stay in pre-school. S.Pennington

# ATTENDANCE

Attendance figures for Week ending 11th June 2018 Congratulations to Year 2 for our highest attendance last week.

# Last week's attendance by class

1 <sup>st</sup>	Year 2	100%
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Year 1	98.67%
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Year 5	97.78%
4 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6	97.69%
5 <sup>th</sup>	Year 3	97.50%
6 <sup>th</sup>	Year 4	95.19%
$7^{th}$	Year R	94.07%

97.52% for whole school attendance. Our target this year for attendance is

Don't forget your child will miss important lessons if they do not attend.

Whole School attendance for Spring Term was 95.50%.

Holidays will ONLY be authorised for **EXTREME** circumstances as per the policy of the school taken from Lancashire County Council (LCC).



# PARENT PAY



IF NOT DONE SO ALREADY CAN PARENTS ACTIVATE THEIR PARENT PAY ACCOUNT.

A LETTER WITH A USERNAME AND PASSWORD WENT HOME WITH CHILDREN.
AS OF TODAY 18th JUNE ONLY 125 PARENTS (59%) HAVE ACTIVATED THEIR ACCOUNT.

IF YOU REQUIRE YOUR USERNAME AND PASSWORD CONTACT THE OFFICE.

AT THE MOMENT PARENT PAY IS ONLY FOR CARE CLUB HOWEVER SCHOOL STILL NEEDS YOU TO ACTIVATE YOUR ACCOUNT EVEN IF YOUR CHILD DOES NOT USE CARE CLUB AS IT WILL BE ROLLED OUT FOR TRIPS AND DINNER MONEY IN THE NEAR FUTURE.





# Attendance & Punctuality In School

# THE COMBINED MINUTES OF 8 CHILDREN BEING LATE W/B 18th June is 1 hrs 36 mins

# Some interesting facts:

- Missing just 10 minutes of school a day is the same as missing two weeks over the school year.
  - 90% attendance is equivalent to missing 100 hour long lessons.
- If you take your child on a 2 week holiday in term time, attendance for the year immediately drops to 95%.
- 90% attendance means  $\frac{1}{2}$  a days absence each week; 4 weeks over the year & half a years absence over 5 years!!!!!
  - 90% attendance is equivalent to a full month off school in a year.

# Did you know?

- Around 85 million days are lost to absence each year.
- A 2 week holiday in school time means your child has approximately 50 hours of missed work to catch up on!!!

Just some interesting facts regarding punctuality and attendance. Although we aim for 100% attendance, each year we set a target for attendance and this is used to compare us to other schools nationally.

Clayton-le-Woods attendance for the last school year was 96.54%, Spring term it was 96.33% and the last half term was 96.25%. Our target this year for attendance is 97.5%.

# Head Lice

Don't forget to check for head lice. Below are some NHS ideas for keeping the little beasties in check.

# How to get rid of head lice

There is no need to keep your child off school if they have head lice.

# USE LOTION or SPRAY TO TREAT HEAD LICE.

You can use medicated lotion and sprays that kill head lice in all types of hair. You can buy these from pharmacies & supermarkets. Head lice should die within a day. Lotions and sprays come with a comb to remove dead lice and eggs. The comb can then be used at a later date to comb through the hair at bath time.

Some treatments need to be repeated after a week to kill any newly hatched lice. Check the pack to see if they are OK for you or your child and how to use them.

If lotions or sprays don't work, speak to your pharmacist about other treatments.

There is nothing you can do to prevent head lice. You can reduce the risk of lice spreading by avoiding head to head contact & kOeeping long hair tied back.

Ask if your pharmacy is involved with the Minor Ailments Scheme, as detailed below.

# Pharmacy First, Minor Ailments Scheme (Chorley & South Ribble and Greater Preston CCG Areas)

This service encourages patients to self-refer to their local community pharmacy. The community pharmacy will treat minor ailments and supply medicines according to the Greater Preston CCG minor ailments local formulary. Medicines will be supplied free for patient exempt from prescriptions charges.

The Minor Ailment Scheme provides patients living in the South Ribble area with advice and access to medicines through community pharmacies where appropriate, supporting integration and self-care. The pharmacist or suitably trained member of pharmacy staff should carry out a professional consultation with reference to the minor ailment scheme formulary. This will involve:

a patient assessment; provision of advice; completion of minor ailments online consultation form in accordance with the CCG's protocols; and supply of medicine(s) from the agreed formulary where appropriate. <u>PRE-SCHOOL</u> - We have places available in Pre School, if you would like your 3 or 4 year old to start Pre School contact the school office and we can arrange a tour around Pre School. 15 hours grant and 30 hours FREE childcare grant is available. Pre School children can also access our before and after school club.

# Cheques payable to school should be as follows:

- for lunches to: 'LCC Schools Income Account'
- Cheques for Care Club to: 'Clayton-le-Woods CEP Child Care Club".
- Cheques for trips to: 'Clayton-le-Woods CE Primary School'
- Cheques for PTFA to 'Friends Clayton le Woods CE School'
- Parent Pay is now an option to pay for Care Club. Registration is need before payment can be made, call in the office to receive your username and password.







- Please do not park on the pavement outside the Pre-school classroom. This is very dangerous for our children.
- Take care when driving through the car park as there are children around.
- DO NOT park either on the yellow zig-zags or across the road from the zig zags during the busy drop-off and pick-up times.

**Jewellery** No jewellery apart from watches are allowed to be worn.

# <u>Prices</u>

Book Bag £4.75 PE bag £3.50 School Meal £2.20

Care club £3.50 PER HOUR

# Dates for your Diary

Dates may be subject to change

Monday	After school Netball Yr 3/6
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Tuesday	After School Football Yr 2/6
Wednesday	Before School Multi-skills
	Years 3 - 6
Wednesday	After School Gymnastics Years 1 and 2
Thursday	After School Athletics Years 1 & 2
Thursday	After School Football Years 3/6
Friday	Before school Kurling Years 1 & 2
Friday	After school Athletics Years 3, 4, 5 6
18 <sup>th</sup> June to 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Year 6 Residential to Edale
2 July Mon	Year 3 trip to Chester
19 <sup>th</sup> July Thurs	Year 4 trip to Liverpool Museums
18 <sup>th</sup> July Wed	Year 6 trip to Southport

#### Reminder

Please remember if your child is absent please ring the absence number and leave a voicemail. Please also ring school if your Child will be in late, this way we can plan lunch numbers.

01772 335 030 -

Option 1 to report an absent child

# 100 CLUB WINNERS FOR MAY

1<sup>ST</sup> PRIZE Mrs T Lavery 2<sup>ND</sup> PRIZE Mrs J Ogle 3<sup>RD</sup> PRIZE Mrs C Stansfield

# .INFANTS

Infants require tights, socks and spare clothing for when children have accidents. If any clothing has been sent home previously please send them back into school

# Warm Weather

Now that the weather is getting warmer, please remember to put sun tan lotion on your child before school, preferably the once a day kind.

The children will also need sun hats and water bottles in school.

With school being in a beautiful countryside setting, pollen levels can be high, with this in mind, if your child suffers from hayfever please try and remember to give them any medicine they take for it in the morning before school.

# Payments into school

Can cash or cheques be sent into school in an envelope marked with the child's name, class and what the money is for. This will make sure the money does not go astray and will make it easier in the office to allocate

# PARENT PAY UPDATE

Parents should have received a letter last week with their Parent Pay activation code for using Parent Pay to pay for Care Club. Please activate as soon as possible even if not using Care Club as we will be using Parent Pay in the future to pay for dinner money and trips.

### CARE CLUB - BREAKFAST & AFTER SCHOOL

# Please note Breakfast Club is held in the Junior School Building

Care Club is available for all children within the school, and is open from 7.50am until 8.50am and after school from 3.30pm-5.30pm.

Please ring on 077066299539 if you need to book or cancel a Care Club booking especially if cancelling a morning booking on the day.

Please pre-book your child for the following month on a paper booking form available from Care Club or the school office. Payment straight away would be appreciated. Places are limited due to numbers increasing so please send in your form as soon as possible.

If you need to cancel please let us know in advance or you will be charged for your child's

unused place.

# SCHOOL TEA TOWELS

We still have tea towels for sale at £5 for one or £8 for two.

Cash or cheques payable to 'Friends of Clayton le Woods CE Primary School.'

Call into the office to buy one.

PTFA.



**RECEPTION** Make a model of a snail or a whale.

**YEAR 1** Reading, phonics, counting in 2's, 5's & 10's

Year 2 Reading & spellings also pages 32 & 33 of Maths homework book

# YEAR 3

**YEAR 4** English Retell the story of 'Brer fox goes hunting' with actions to someone at home or around school.

#### Research the bug of the week

Find out as much as you can about bees, you can present this information any way you would like, for example, as a mind map or as a poster. Learn spellings.

**YEAR 5** Learn facts about Greece and find where it is on a map. Learn spellings.

YEAR 6 Practice for performance

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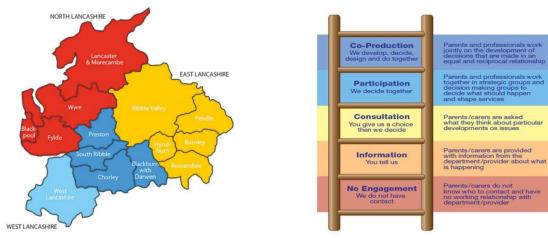
School starts at 8.50am and ends at 3.30pm.

# SUMMER TERM 2018

Monday, April 9 <sup>th</sup>	School re opens	
Friday, April 23th	Easter Witness Day. Parents invited to come and see the work completed by the children at 3pm	
Thursday, May 3rd	Infant Trip to Lakeland Wildlife Oasis	
Monday, May 7th	Bank Holiday. School closed	
Week beg 14th May	Y6 SATs Monday to Thursday	
Wednesday, May	Reception Class Induction Evening 7pm	
23rd		
Friday, May 25th	School closes for 2 weeks half term. Care Club will be open as normal	
Monday, June 11th	School re opens	
Monday, June 18th	Y6 residential to Edale	
Friday, June 29th	School Sports Day starting at 1.15pm	
Monday July 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Yr 3 trip to Dewa Chester	
Wednesday, July 4 <sup>th</sup> .	SPORTS EVENT at Bolton Stadium.	
Alternative dates 5 <sup>th</sup>	The children will be taken to and from the venue by coach. Parents are invited to watch.	
July, 6 <sup>th</sup> July.	The day has been organised courtesy of Premier Sport. There are 3 dates in case of wet weather	
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Summer Concert at School	
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 trip to Southport	
July TBC	Y6 Production	
Thursday, July 19 <sup>th</sup>	Leavers Service	
Thursday July 19 <sup>th</sup>	Yr 4 trip to Liverpool World Museums	
Friday, July 20 <sup>th</sup>	School picnic. Parents/carers /family invited. Starts at 12.30pm	
Friday, July 20th	Y6 leavers party	
Friday, July 20 <sup>th</sup>	School closes 2pm. No Care Club tonight	
Monday, September	School reopens	
3rd		
Thursday, 6 <sup>th</sup>	Reception Class & Pre School reopens	
September		

# Lancashire - Time to Participate!

We are forming a **new** independent parent carer forum for families of children and young people with disabilities and additional needs aged 0-25 across the whole of Lancashire.



Are you a parent carer of a child or young person aged 0-25 with additional needs or disabilities? Do you believe families' voices should be heard to ensure services in Lancashire meet the needs of our children and young people?

Then come along to one of our Launch events and meet other parents to discover how together we can help shape the future for our families.

# North:

Sunday 24th June 2018, 1-3pm at Sainsbury's (Community Room) (FY1 3AJ)

# South (inc West):

Thursday 28th June 2018, 11am-1pm at Chorley Football Club (PR7 3DU)

East:

Saturday 30th June, 10am - 12pm at Burnley Football Club (BB10 4BX)

Places must be booked and are limited, so please make sure you book early. www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/time-to-participate-17359414201

Or keep an eye on our Facebook page for upcoming webinars. 29.6.18 & 1.7.18 www.facebook.com/LancashireParentCarerForum



#### Life in 'Likes'

Social media use among 8-12 year olds:

# **Executive Summary**

Most social media platforms have a minimum age limit of 13, but research shows a growing number of children aged under 13 are using social media, with 3 in 4 children aged 10-12 having their own accounts.

While much is known about how teenagers use social media, this research provides the missing piece to the story, exploring the social media lives of children before they reach the teenage years. In October and November 2017, we conducted 8 focus groups with 32 children aged 8-12 to understand the impact of social media on the wellbeing of this age group. The findings of this research are summarised below.

### How I use social media

#### My social media:

Across all ages, the most popular social media were Snapchat, Instagram, Musical.ly and WhatsApp. Younger children had less routine around when they accessed social media, while older children started to get into the habit of using all their social media apps multiple times a day, and for some, it had come to dominate their day.

Social media makes me feel happy

Children knew how to cheer themselves up or calm themselves down using social media, from getting funny Snapchats from a friend to watching slime videos on Instagram. It allowed children to be creative and play games, two things that appealed to children from a very young age.

#### How I stay safe online:

Parents and schools had successfully ingrained messages in children about online safety from known risks such as predators and strangers. Yet children were less aware of how to protect themselves from other online situations that could affect their mood and emotions.

### My friends and family

# 'Following' my family:

Younger children were particularly influenced by their family's views and usage of social media, and parents may be unaware of how their use of social media affects their child.

# Going on my mum's phone

Parents sometimes gave children contradictory safety messages when they let children use their social media accounts, and unknowingly exposed them to unsuitable content.

#### Sharenting

Many children felt uncomfortable and bothered by their parents posting pictures of them on social media, yet felt they could do little to stop it.

## My sister showed me Snapstreaks

Children learned how to do new things on social media from their older siblings, but were also put off by things that their siblings had experienced. In some cases, children worried about their siblings' behaviour online, such as excessive use and ignoring safety messages.

# My online friends:

Social media was important for maintaining relationships, but this got trickier to manage at secondary school, where friendships could break down online.

# Keeping in touch

Children used social media as a tool to maintain friendships, and they recognised the value of face-to- face interactions for more serious conversations, like discussing worries and resolving arguments.

# Falling out online

Younger children were more likely to see mean comments from strangers on apps like Roblox, whereas older children, who were communicating with a greater number of people on group chats, faced issues and confusion around the blurring of 'jokes' that were posted publicly.

# I need to reply now

Maintaining online friendships could be stressful for some and a source of distraction from other offline activities.

#### Growing up on social media

#### Who should I be?

Children are conscious of keeping up appearances on social media, particularly when they start secondary school, and identity and seeking peer approval become more important.

# Do I look okay?

Despite talking about the importance of 'staying true to yourself' and being authentic on social media, girls were worried about looking 'pretty' and boys were more concerned with looking 'cool' and having the right clothing.

#### Can we all look like celebrities?

When children started to follow celebrities and people outside their close family and friends, many became aware of how they looked compared to other people on social media, and felt that comparisons were unattainable.

# Will my picture get any likes?

Children felt good when they got 'likes' and 'comments' from friends, and some Year 7 children were starting to become dependent on them, using techniques to guarantee they would get a high number of 'likes'.

### Is this shareable?

Children started to see offline activities through a 'shareable lens' based on what would look the best on social media.

# The world and my future:

Social media could inspire children and help them learn about new things.

#### I want to be a YouTuber when I am older

Some children developed new aspirations about what they wanted their future to be like and copied things they saw on social media.

# Learning about the world

Some children actively gathered information on social media platforms like YouTube and Instagram, and were exposed to 'news' via celebrities and 'explore/discover' pages.

# 1<sup>st</sup> Leyland Methodist Rainbows

1st Leyland Methodist Rainbows will have spaces from June 2018 for girls aged 5

Are you looking for fun, crafts, games and singing and are free on a Monday night then Rainbows could be for you. We meet in Leyland Methodist Church Hall from 6.00 - 7.00 pm term time only.

Days trips and activity days are also organised at an additional cost.

If you are interested then please register at

www.Girlguiding.org.uk and click on the join us link selecting the unit that you wish to register your interest at.

It is never too young to register your interest - the earlier the better as it helps on planning!

If you want further information then please contact me on the details below

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