

CLIFFORD ALL SAINTS PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

September

LOOK AT WHAT WE ARE LEARNING

RECEPTION

Duck class have made a great start to their school life at Clifford! The children have been getting to know each other and the staff, exploring the classroom environment and settling into school routines and expectations. We have been thinking about superheroes and our focus story in September has been Supertato. The children made some fantastic Supertato potato prints and have enjoyed retelling the story using real vegetable characters.



YEAR 1

In Year 1, we have been learning about Animals and identifying the different types of groups (fish, reptiles, birds, amphibians and mammals). We learned how to group animals and also explored characteristics of each.

YEAR 2

Year 2 have been super busy since we have been back at school. We have enjoyed sharing the books The Bear and the Piano and Lost and Found and completed lots of fantastic writing about these. This week, we have been exploring the features of a diary entry, ready to write our own. In History, we have started learning all about how transport has changed throughout the years. One of our brilliant team members said that 'transport is something that gets you from one place to another'. We have learnt about Henry Ford and George Stephenson who were both significant in these changes. In Design and Technology, we have been making our own cars out of different resources which we have thoroughly enjoyed! We are looking forward to continuing to work on these this week.

YEAR 3

Y3 did their first Science investigation into the properties of rocks. We tested Permeability, durability and density.



YEAR 4

In Year 4, we have been enjoying reading our new class text "Forged in Steel" and making links to Sheffield. In history, we have been learning about the Industrial Revolution and we all agreed that we would not have liked to have worked in the factories as a child back in those days. In science, we made circuits and learnt about complete and incomplete circuits and also went on an electrical appliance hunt around school. In maths, we have been learning about place value and have been using counters to help us explain our reasoning.

YEAR 5

In Y5 science, we have been investigating the properties and changes of materials. Our experiment looked at predicting soluble and insoluble materials and then completing an experiment to find out and make our conclusions. Great inquiry skills Y5!



YEAR 6

In Y6 we have been thinking about our responsibilities as the oldest children in school and how we can set an example for the younger children. We all have a role to play in looking after our school and our learning environment to make sure that it is a calm and happy place full of learning. We are developing these roles and will carry them on throughout the year. We also began our first 1st Aid session on Monday where we learned about how to check if someone was unconscious, needed our help and to be put into the recovery position.

Mini First Aid

This half term, children in Y4, 5 and 6 are taking part in first aid lessons with 'Mini First Aiders'. These informative sessions will develop the children's understanding of basic first aid including what to do if they ever encounter an emergency situation.



Anti-bullying

This month we ran workshops for KS1, KS2, staff and parents and carers all about how to be an actively Anti-bullying school. Thanks to Ann from the Anti Bullying Company who led the sessions.



Staffing news

We're sad to inform you that Mrs Prosser will be leaving us at the half term holiday. She is going on to a new, exciting role in a nursery and we wish her every success in the future, thank you Mrs Prosser!

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TERM DATES

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School Holidays							Training Days						

UPCOMING EVENTS

12th October Whole school dance sessions led by Lizzie

17th October Start of Y4,5,6 first aid lessons

21st October Break up for half term holidays

2nd November EYFS trip to Pizza Express

2nd-4th November Year 6 residential trip to the Oakes.

8th November Individual and family photos

10th November Infant trip to 'Music in the Round'

14th November Start of parent meetings week

17th November Y1 and Y5 Planetarium visitor

18th November Children in Need