

HEADS UP



NEXT WEEK

Monday 18th November

Leasowe Woods Visit Year 5 Groups A am and B pm

Drummers to perform to parents

Protective Behaviours - Reception

Tuesday 19th November

Year 3 Stone Age Workshop

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Thursday 21st November

Year 5 Space Camp

Friday 22nd November

Year 2 Open Session—Reading Focus 9.00am approx.

Year R Cake Sale

Dinner Menu Week 1

Monday

Pork Meatballs in Tomato Sauce with Noodles

Vegetarian—Plantballs in Tomato Gravy

Tuesday

Rustic Cheese and Tomato Pizza with potato Wedges (V)

Wednesday

Roast British Beef and Yorkshire Pudding

Vegetarian—Quorn Roast in Gravy

Thursday

Cheesy Tomato Pasta Bake with wholegrain baguette (V)

Fishy Friday

Battered Fish Fillet with chipped potatoes

Vegetarian—Vegetable Hot Dog with chipped potatoes

EVERY DAY:

Jacket Potato with a choice of either: Cheese, Beans, or Tuna

Phrase de la semaine

Our whole school French phrase of the week has been..

je suis désolé (I'm sorry)

The next week's phrase is...

je voudrais (I would like)



What a fantastic week we've had a Clapham Terrace! To begin some of our Year 5's enjoyed outdoor learning and fire starting at the children's forest in Leasowe Woods on Monday. Back at school we were so pleased with the turn out for our parent consultations in nursery. It was lovely to meet many of our new parents and share how our youngest pupils are getting on.

Year 6 treated parents/carers to a residential themed class assembly on Wednesday. Our year 5 pupils are now getting excited for it to be their turn next year. We also heard the sounds of the 1940's as the topic day of World War 2 commenced on Thursday for our Year 5 and Year 6's—a poignant day as it coincided with the anniversary of the Coventry Blitz. The children and staff all looked fantastic and this was, as always, a hugely enjoyable day with dancing, cooking and code breaking to name but a few of the activities.

Finally, we finish the week off with charity as all things turned yellow and spotty for Children in Need. Many thanks to parents/carers for your generous donations.

In staff news, we said goodbye to Miss Sutton and Ms Connolly as they head off on their respective maternity leaves, we wish them and their little ones all the best and look forward to all the baby snuggles soon!

We also wish to extend huge congratulations to Mrs Ashcroft who has secured a full-time Deputy Head position at a school in Coventry from January and we wish her all the best as she progresses in her career. We are sure you will join us in thanking her for her 14 years of dedication and commitment to Clapham. Mrs Clarkson will be moving to a full time Deputy Head position at our school from January.

Please visit our school [X page](#) where you will be able to see this week's latest indoor and outdoor learning. We have been busy with French lessons in Year 4, active learning in Year 1 Science, modelling and baking hedgehogs and hoglets in Early Years. Inference skills and PSHE in Year 1, Year 5 gymnastics, magic potions in Carl's Outdoor Learning and a timeline trip and extinguishing the Great Fire of London for Year 2. Mr Brettell has been working with students to update and redecorate our calm room and we look forward to seeing the finished room shortly.

Next week we look forward to Year 5 being back in the woods and a cosmic sleepover for Space Camp, musical talents on show as we host drumming performances, Stone Age workshops for Year 3 and Year 4 and a reading focus Open Session in Year 2.

Tonight it parents/carers night out at the MicroPug from 7.30pm, HSA tickets are still available on the door £5.00 each, we look forward to seeing you there. Please take a look at the HSA page as details for the Christmas Fair have been added.

Have a great weekend.



Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Whole School
Violet	Shan	Indigo	Leo	Elliott	Henry	Esme	Hannah S



KEEPING IN TOUCH

EMAILS SENT HOME THIS WEEK

SELECTED CHILDREN

GALA CONCERT BUTTERWORTH HALL
DRUM PERFORMANCES
CARL'S BOOK CLUB

YEAR 3 & YEAR 4—STONE AGE WORKSHOP

YR—PROTECTIVE BEHAVIOURS

EYFS & YEAR 1— CHRISTMAS TRIP— SMEDS AND SMOOS

YEAR 2– YEAR 6—CHRISTMAS TRIP—BEAUTY AND THE BEAST

WHOLE SCHOOL

CLASS FUNDRAISING

HOW TO GET IN TOUCH WITH US

Clapham Terrace Primary School
Clapham Terrace
Leamington Spa
CV31 1HZ

Telephone: 01926 423404

Email: admin2312@welearn365.com

Website: www.claphamterrace.info

HOW WE GET IN TOUCH WITH YOU...

Please ensure you inform the school office of any amendments to telephone numbers, email or home address. It is vital that these are up to date so that we are able to contact you in an emergency and so that you receive all communications from the school.

DINNER MONEY

School Dinner cost is £2.65 per day or £13.25 a week.

Please pay online via SchoolMoney.

You may also pay by cash or cheque to the school office. Please ensure that all cash/cheque payments come in on a Monday in a named, sealed envelope.

If you have any questions please speak to the office who will be happy to help you.

TEACHERS 2 PARENTS AND SCHOOL MONEY TIPS, TRICKS AND UPDATES

Today's Tip: If apple pay isn't appearing on your school money app once you've added items to your basket. Close the app and open it again. The items will still be in your basket, but apple pay should now be there as a payment option.

KEY INFORMATION AND REMINDERS



Reading Percentages

Year	%
R	97%
1	91%
2	94%
3	100
4	100
5	97
6	97

MEDICATION

We are only able to administer prescribed medication to children during the school day.

If your child has been prescribed medication it must come through the office and a form must be completed -the office will be happy to help.

PARKING ON DAVIDSON AVENUE

Please can we remind you to be considerate of our neighbours when parking. We are still continuing to receive complaints from our neighbour regarding this.

Please do **not block drives or pavements**. Where possible please can we encourage you to make active travel choices to reduce the number of cars on drop off and pick up.

Bikes and Scooters

If you are bringing a bike or scooter to school These must be walked and not ridden across the playground.

SESAME AND NUT FREE SCHOOL

Please can we remind everyone that we have a number of children with severe allergies and that **we are a sesame and nut free school.**

Please be conscious of what you are including in your child's lunch box. Any items which contain nuts or sesame, including sushi, will have be confiscated and your child will not be allowed to eat them.

Thank you for your support with this.

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS, CARERS AND OTHER VISITORS TO SCHOOL

Please can we remind everyone of our Code of Conduct which can be viewed in full [here](#). Thank you for your continued support with this.





ROCKETS BOOKINGS

We are unable to accept last minute bookings for Rockets and Breakfast club, apart from in an absolute emergency.

Bookings should be made by Friday the week prior at the latest to enable us to appropriately staff this service.

Please note that any bookings made will be charged even if cancelled.

Please also be aware that emails sent between 5pm and 8am will not be seen or actioned until the morning.

ROCKETS BREAKFAST AND AFTERSCHOOL CLUB

Open Monday—Friday (term time only)

Places are available on all days.

Ring: 01926 423404 (opt.3); or

Email: rockets@welearn365.com

GETTING IN TOUCH WITH US OUTSIDE OF OFFICE HOURS

If you need to speak to someone in Rockets please call the school number and choose option 3. The phone will be manned during Breakfast club and Rockets hours. Outside of this please feel free to leave a voicemail or speak to someone in the school office.

Breakfast Club	8am -	£4.40
Rockets (from 3.15pm)	Until 4pm	£4.40
Rockets (from 3.15pm)	Until 5pm	£8.50
Rockets (from 3.15pm)	Until 6pm	£11.00

SNACK MENU

Week 1 - Toast/cheese

Week 2- Ham/cheese wraps

Week 3 - Cheese and crackers

Week 4 - Brioche

Week 5 - Crumpets

Week 6- Hot dogs

Week 7- Jam/ham sandwiches

Week 8 - Toast/cheese

Fresh fruit, carrot and cucumber sticks will be offered daily.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Please look out for our emails and invoices from 'Nursery In A Box' which will keep you up to date with all Rockets information.

Please check your invoices and bookings. If there are any problems or amendments please contact Miss K Fletcher via the school office on 01926 423404 or email rockets@welearn365.com. Please let Miss Fletcher know any amendments to your bookings for this half term.

Collection times

Please ensure you collect your child on time from Rockets and let us know if you are running late.

As per our handbook if you arrive after your booked pick-up hour you will be charged until the following hour. After 6pm you will receive a late charge of £4 per 5mins late.

Bookings - If you have booked your child's place for the half term you will be charged for your booking even if you are unable to use it, unfortunately this is Rockets policy. If you require an extra session, this will need to be requested via email on the Friday the week before at the latest due to staff ratios being adhered to. We do not accept bookings on the day unless its an emergency. Of course we appreciate a lot of our parents require wrap around care and we do try our best to accommodate when we are able and given notice, this is why we encourage all parents to book spaces as soon as possible.

Please call the office or email Miss Fletcher at rockets@welearn365.com if you have any questions or require an extra session to be booked.

NOTICE BOARD

We update our notice boards in the Rockets corridor every half term informing you of all the fun activities your child will have the opportunity to take part in daily/weekly. Please ask if you would like to see more detailed plans.

Please could we ask that Rockets Parents do NOT use the staff car park for dropping off and collecting children from Rockets as a health and safety precaution.

Please ask any member of staff in Rockets and we will all be happy to let you know how your child/children have been and what activities they have been taking part in during their time at Rockets.

NEW DATES ARE ADDED IN RED

HSA DATES ARE IN PURPLE



Teacher Training Days 24/25

Monday 6th January 2025

Monday 2nd June 2025

Monday 21st July 2025

Monday 18th November

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Year R Cake Sale

Thursday 28th November

Young Voices— **at Butterworth Hall Warwick University** approx. 4pm-8.30pm

Tuesday 26th November

Year 1 Warwick Castle trip (more info to follow)

Friday 29th November

Pyjama Day -in exchange for luxury food/confectionary or bottle items for the Christmas Tombola

EYFS Open Session 9.00am

Year 1 Open Session—Writing Focus 9.00am approx.

Monday 2nd December

Bake Off Week—Year 5 and Year 6

Wednesday 4th December

Year 5 Class Assembly 9.00am

Friday 6th December

Christmas Fair—more info to follow

Tuesday 10th December

EYFS and KS1 Production 9.15am

Wednesday 11th December

EYFS and KS1 Production 9.15am

Friday 13th December

Christmas Jumper and Christmas Dinner Day

Tuesday 17th December

Pantomime at the Spa Centre 1.15pm Years 2 to Year 6

Wednesday 18th December

Smeds and the Smoos Warwick Arts Centre Year R and Year 1

House Event—Year2 to Year 6

Thursday 19th December

House Event EYFS and Year 1

Rag Bag collection approx. 9am

Friday 20th December

Carols led by Key Stage 2 at 2.30pm

Finish for Christmas Holidays

Monday 6th January

Teacher Training Day

Tuesday 7th January

Return to School

Tuesday 14th January

Trailblazers Coffee Morning 9am approx.

16th January 2024

HSA Meeting 7.30pm—more information to follow



Remembrance Day

On Monday 11th November, the Reverend Becky Jones and her colleague, Jenny, visited our school for a Remembrance Day assembly. We learned about the soldiers and British people who sacrificed their lives in World Wars I and II. At the 11th hour of the 11th day in the 11th month a minute silence is held to remember all those who lost their lives to save us. We learned about a former pupil from Clapham Terrace, a man called Alex, born in 1895, who served as a soldier and died in 1917. Mrs Hallam said, "We remember with great respect on this day the sacrifice made by the men and women of the armed forces who fought to keep Britain a free country."

By CTCN Reporters Cody, year 5 & Rowan Year 4

French Phrase of the Week

This week the word is *Je suis désolé* which means *I'm sorry*. Mrs Hallam suggested that this is a useful phrase around school when we need to apologise. We learn these words to get fluent in the French language and to communicate if we go to different countries.

Each week we learn a new phrase, we improve our French and practise pronouncing properly. Mrs Hallam comes in Years 3 to 6 and teaches different topics in French.

By CTCN reporter Antonia, Year 5

Rights Respecting Schools

Clapham Terrace is a rights respecting school and always treats people with kindness. Our Carl's Rights Leaders would like to share lots more about it with school families. Each week we will share information with you. This week we would like to tell you being a rights respecting school is all about equality, respect, dignity, non-discrimination and participation. It is important to remember the A,B,C,D,E of children's rights:



Vocabulary of Rights

- A: UNIVERSAL** - For ALL children, everywhere, all the time.
- B: INHERENT** -Your rights are there from Birth. They belong to you because you are human.
- C: INALIENABLE** - Rights Cannot be taken or given away. A child cannot be separated from their rights.
- D: UNCONDITIONAL** - Rights Do not have to be earned. Children are rights holders; this does not depend upon being responsible or good...you have your rights no matter what!
- E: INDIVISIBLE** - Rights are Equally important . They cannot be divided or separated. (We can prioritise in emergency situations.)

By CTCN reporters Emmie & Bella, Year 4

World War II Day

On Thursday 14th November, Years 5 and 6 spent the day dressed up in World War II costumes; some came as evacuee children, some as land girls and others as soldiers. Mr Filby became an RAF Captain for the day and Miss Alder wore the jacket and hat belonging to her great grandfather who fought in the war.

The children took part in different activities such as dancing to big band swing, reacting to air raid sirens, researching significant figures, imagining the lives of evacuees and learning about food rationing while baking rock cakes.

By the CTCN team



H.S.A

Home School Association
Clapham Terrace Primary School

EVENTS THAT SUPPORT OUR FUND RAISING

Friday 15th November 2024

Autumn Night Out for parents/carers 7.30pm
MicroPug tickets on the door £5.00

Thursday 19th November 2024

Rag Bag collection

Friday 29th November 2024

Pyjama Day—Tombola items to be brought in to school. See opposite.

Friday 6th December 2024

Christmas Fair

Thursday 16th January 2024

HSA Meeting 7.30pm—venue to be confirmed

FRIDAY CAKE SALE DATES

Year R 22nd November



CLAPHAM TERRACE PRIMARY SCHOOL PRESENTS

- SANTA'S GROTTTO
- BOUNCY CASTLE
- TOMBOLA
- PERFORMANCES
- XMAS CRAFTS
- TATTOOS
- FACE PAINTS
- CALM ROOM
- RAFFLE
- HOT FOOD & A BAR!

CARL'S CHRISTMAS BASH

6TH DEC 5-7PM £1 PER FAMILY CASH ON DOOR PLEASE BRING CHANGE

- TOKENS AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE INSIDE
- SANTA'S GROTTTO 5-6.30PM (BUY TICKETS ON DOOR)
- MS ALDER'S DANCE PERFORMANCE 6.30PM
- YOUNG VOICES PERFORMANCE 6.45PM

INTRODUCING CASHPOT FOR SCHOOLS

Download and opt-in with Asda Rewards and we will donate ££s to schools.



HERE'S HOW

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- 2 Opt-in to Cashpot for Schools and follow the steps in your app
- 3 Shop, scan and we donate

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Selected stores. Minimum spend £2+. Exclusions apply including Asda Express & George.com. Subject to availability. UK 18+ App & Opt in required. 0.5% of the value of a customer's eligible shop is donated. Publicly funded primary schools must register with Parentkind charity 1072633. Full T&Cs at [asda.com/totalpotforschools](https://www.asda.com/totalpotforschools). Rewards T&Cs at [asda.com/rewards/terms](https://www.asda.com/rewards/terms). Ends 30/11/24

CHRISTMAS FAIR TOMBOLA ITEMS

WE ARE LOOKING FOR DONATIONS OF JARS FILLED WITH SWEETS, CONFECTIONARY AND BOTTLES/FIZZ ETC FOR TOMBOLA PRIZES FOR THE CHRISTMAS BASH IN EXCHANGE FOR CHILDREN WEARING PYJAMAS ON 29TH NOVEMBER

The Easyfundraising app is a great way to raise funds for Clapham Terrace HSA! By signing up via the link below, we will get a £5 donation and if you shop in one of the 7,000+ brands we can earn even more!

If you need to shop online ahead of Christmas or are thinking of booking your 2025 summer holiday make sure you sign up to easy fundraising and follow the simple instructions to raise more funds to spend on our wonderful children at Clapham.

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause/step-1/?char=7943&invite=ca9786&referral-campaign=s2s>

WELCOME TO THE FAMILY INFORMATION SERVICE NEWSLETTER



CINDERELLA

A NATIVITY TWIST

A fantastic Panto-Nativity
Telling the Christmas story with a bit of fairy dust!



Renewal Stratford
Stratford Play House, CV37 6LU
Saturday 7th December
2pm
Renewal



Riverside Performing Arts is a registered charity (#1099487)

Barnardo's Warwickshire Children and Family Centres
A coordination of services for families with children and young people aged 0-19 and up to age 25 with SEND

Free entry
Just turn up

POP UP SHOP!

Barnardo's Lillington Children & Family Centre with Barnardo's Charity Shop(Leamington)

Friday 15th November 2024
11am - 3pm

Wide range of low-price new and nearly new children's Christmas gifts.
Christmas decorations, gift wraps, cards.
Tombola and more

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