

Safeguarding: Parent Teacher Association

Parents and school relationships are vital in ensuring good communication, trust and supporting children fully.

A PTA is a Parent Teacher Association, an organisation with a mission to make the school a better place for children to learn. We would like to start a St. Clement's Academy PTA and bring together parents, teachers and children to raise funds and strengthen the school community. Money raised is usually spent on things that the school budget does not cover. The PTA will also work alongside staff to further develop school policies and support curriculum ideas.

If being a part of a PTA is something you are interested in then please give your name to the school office.



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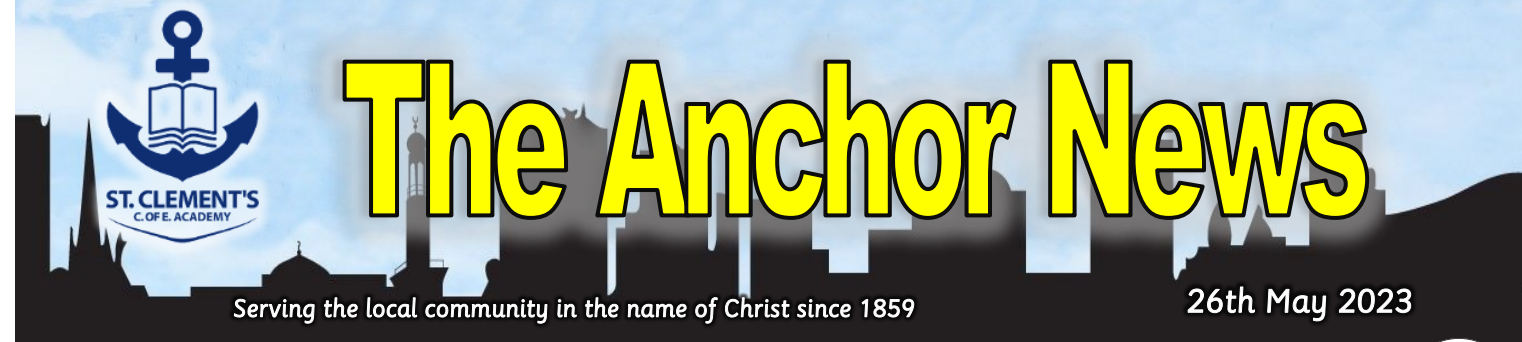
Article 5:

Family guidance as children develop

Governments should let families and communities guide their children so that, as they grow up, they learn to use their rights in the best way. The more children grow, the less guidance they will need.

"COMPASSION ISN'T ABOUT SOLUTIONS. IT'S ABOUT GIVING ALL THE LOVE THAT YOU'VE GOT."

Cheryl Strayed



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Our values focus this half term **Compassion**



Hello everyone,

For those who don't know me, I am Ms Bibi. I joined the Year 2 team at the beginning of March. I have really enjoyed getting to the know the children and helping them to prepare for their SAT's.

I would like to say a big well done to all of the children in Year 2 for their hard work and efforts during their SATs these two weeks. We are very proud of you all!

I hope all have lovely half-term break.

Ms Bibi - Class Teacher

Don't Forget - Today is the **LAST DAY OF TERM.**
We will be back at normal time on Monday 5th June

FREE Hope Holiday Club
Bloomsbury Hope Centre - B7 5BX

Tues 30th May - Fri 2nd June
2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

For children currently in year 1-6

For More Information Please Email:
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This Week's Attendance & Punctuality

Attendance and punctuality are very important to help assist the children with their learning. Being absent or late disrupts not only their learning but that of their classmates.

	Rec	Yr.1	Yr.2	Yr.3	Yr. 4	Yr. 5	Yr. 6
Attendance	92%	96%	96%	94%	96%	96%	92%
Punctuality	7	5	4	5	4	8	5

Packed Lunches - Starting 1st Week Back -

We would like to remind parents that Packed Lunches need to be dropped off with the children at the start of the day.

Dropping lunches off with the children ensures the children have their lunch at the correct time. It also helps cause less distress and confusion for the child when they come down and find they do not have a lunch to collect.

WOODLANDS ADVENTURE

Not long to go until classes in KS2 will be heading off to Woodlands. While out for the day they will take part in a variety of activities. We have listed the different items that they need to bring so that you have plenty of time to get prepared.

Kit List

- ☐ Waterproof jacket
- ☐ Swimming costume/shorts
- ☐ Outdoor shoes x2
- ☐ Towel
- ☐ Old warm clothing as there is a strong chance of them getting muddy! (Two sets of clothing).

SCHOOL FOOD UNITED

The brand new app from your school meal provider is here!

Dear Parent/Carer

We are excited to announce the release of our new School Food United app.

In the last few months, we have been tirelessly working to enhance the system and our service and we believe that the app will improve the ease and efficiency of ordering as well as your overall experience with School Food United.

The new SFU app will enable you to:

- Top up their account and track their transactions from anywhere
- Be the first to hear news about theme days or taster events
- Select or amend their child's daily meals on the go (cut off times apply)
- Order ahead for the week or term, flexible daily ordering available for all children
- Get in touch with us directly with any queries or requests through the contact us area

To download

- Scan the QR code below, or open your app store and search for School Food United.
- Sign into the app using your log in details you already use to access the main portal <https://parents.schoolfoodunited.com>
- If you have already linked to your child, their profile will appear on your account. If you need to add a child, press the red plus button and add in their details to link to their profile.
- Need any help or want to leave feedback? Get in touch with us directly with any queries or requests through the contact us area, or email us at Parent@SchoolFoodUnited.com

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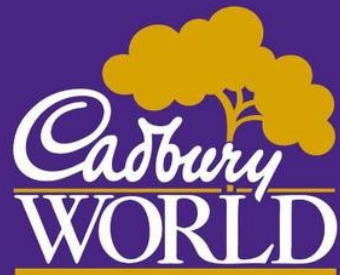
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'As part of our History topic studying the Mayans, Year Six visited Cadbury World last Friday to learn more about the Mayans and their culture – specifically their uses for cocoa beans and chocolate. We enjoyed exploring all around Cadbury World, particularly during our self-guided tour of the factory where the chocolate is produced.

It was an enriching opportunity for the children to develop their knowledge and understanding about the Mayans, we learnt more about this ancient civilisation including their beliefs, their writing and the importance of chocolate and cocoa beans to their way of life. We found out that water, spices and maize were added to cocoa to create a thick foamy beverage called “xocolatl”, meaning “bitter water” and that cocoa beans were used as a currency to trade – you could buy turkey eggs or even pay your bills with them!"

During the day year 6 had a chance to take part in the other activities at Cadbury World including the 4D cinema, writing their name in chocolate and eating a free chocolate sample!. Everyone enjoyed the day and many then spent the weekend eating their free chocolate.

Mr Simmonds and Mrs Fox - Class Teachers



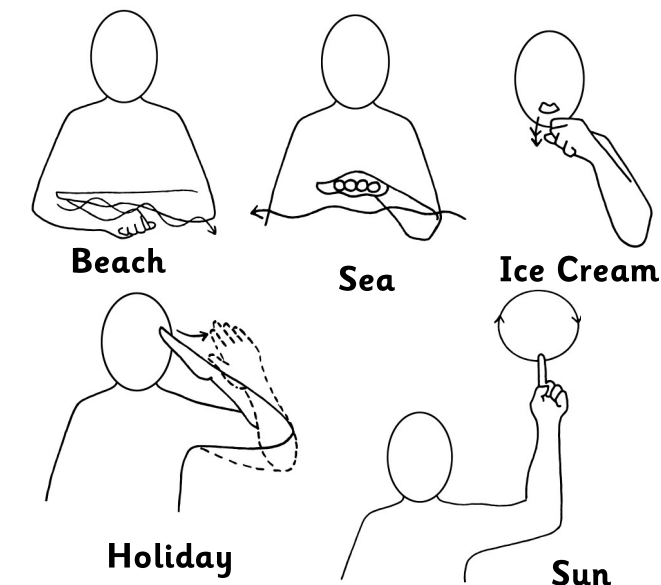
Last week the Reception children went on a trip to the Birmingham Wildlife Conservation Park. They had so much fun looking at all the different animals including, Red pandas, lots of different kinds of monkeys, birds and many more exotic animals.

The children also had the chance to play in the playground and have a Spring scavenger hunt, where they collected different flowers and pinecones. Overall, the children enjoyed the experience as they learnt so much about these amazing creatures.

Miss Ind - Class Teacher



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Important Upcoming Dates

Please take note of changes and new dates shown with a ★

26th May	End of Term
Monday 29th May - 2nd June Half Term Break	

June	5th June	First Day Back (Normal Time)
	12th June	Year 3 Woodlands Trip
	15th June	Year 4 Woodlands Trip
	26th June	Class Photo Day St. Clement's Art exhibition (more info to follow)
	27th June	Year 6 Woodlands Trip
	28th June	Year 5 Woodlands Trip

July	4th July	Year 6 Leavers Service at St. Philips Cathedral
	18th July	Sports Day (more info to follow)
	19th July	Whole school trip to Sutton park (weather permitting)
	21st July	Year 6 Graduation in school
	24th July	Shining Star Celebration Assembly Summer Showcase (more info to follow)
	25th July	End of School Year

Year 2 - Our Trip to the Birmingham and Fazeley Canal

This term, Year 2 have been learning about water pollution in different types of waterways in Birmingham and around the world.

As part of our topic, we took a visit to Birmingham and Fazeley Canal, where the children were able to see first-hand the effects of water pollution on wildlife.

After the trip, the children thought of different solutions to help protect the canal from pollution, so that we have clean water and healthy, safe habitats for wildlife.

Year 2 are passionate about protecting the water. They decided to create a campaign to protect our canals and presented this to our local councillor, Lee Marham this morning

