

Important Upcoming Dates

March	Wed 13th	World Book Day Scooter Competition Closing Date
	Mon 18th	End of Term Celebration Assembly World Book Day Scooter Winners Announced.
	Wed 20th	Parents Evening <i>Please see letter sent home for more information. A copy of which can be found on our website.</i>
	Thurs 21st	Easter Egg Design Competition Closing Date
	Fri 22nd	Easter Service & Prayer Morning
		LAST DAY OF TERM

Easter Break: Monday 25th March - Friday 5th June

Monday 8th June FIRST DAY BACK - Normal Time



Invites The Community, To The 1st Annual
Family Education Day

- Workshops - Stalls - Speakers -

- Economics - Law - Finance -
- Trading - Engineering -
- Real Estate - Relationships -
- Nutrition - Communication -
- Proverbs - Entrepreneurship -



Sat 20th April 2024
3pm-8pm

FREE Entry

Stalls Available
07481 646 747

Location: **LEGACY**
Centre Of Excellence
144 Potters Lane
Birmingham B6 4UU

Easter Egg Design Competition

We are running a design an egg competition.
The closing date is Thursday 21st March.

The children can decorate a hard boiled egg and make it represent Easter. Putting the egg in an Easter themed garden or surround this will earn them extra votes.
We look forward to seeing the children's creativity.



This Week's

Star Pupils

Izhan Kai & Nathanim

Alessia and Raheem

Mukhtar & Mariam

Maryam & Diana

Abenezer & Yahia

Inaas & Mariam

Jayden & Achene

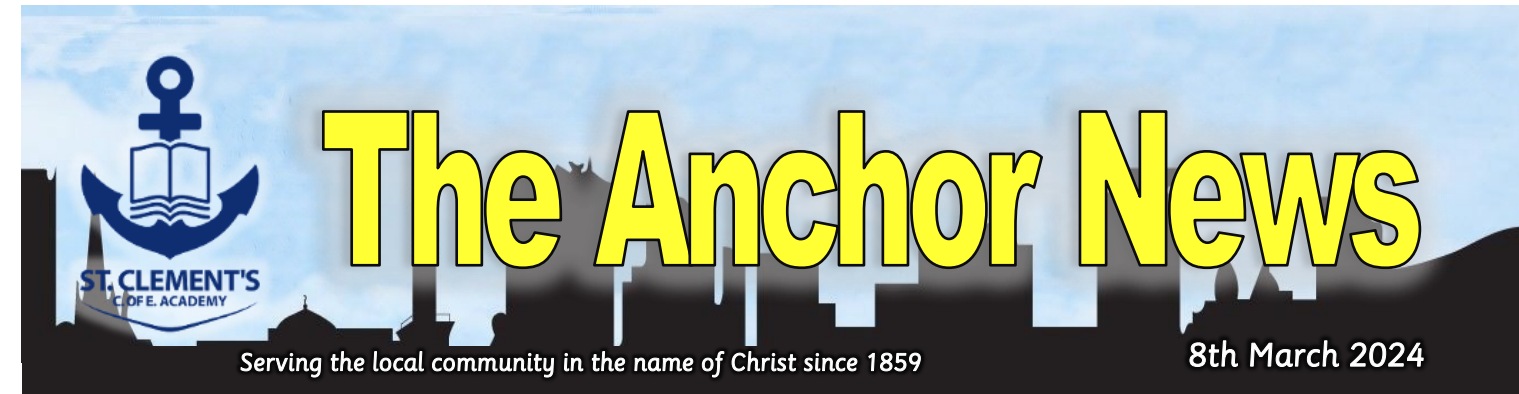
Lunchtime Star

Ilma (Year 6)

This Week's Attendance & Punctuality

Attendance numbers are slowly moving in the right direction, we just need to get better at arriving to school on time. Lets see if we can get some more green next week.

	Rec	Yr.1	Yr.2	Yr.3	Yr. 4	Yr. 5	Yr. 6
Attendance	97%	94%	97%	95%	97%	95%	96%
Punctuality	15	12	7	7	5	13	6



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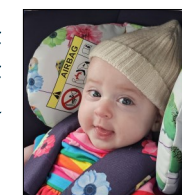
Our values focus this half term

Courage



Hello Everyone,

Many of you already know me, but for those that don't my name is Miss Greene and I have been at St. Clement's since 2013. I returned this half term from maternity leave after having my daughter, Nimue (pronounced Nim-way), in September.



I have been busy getting back into a school routine, but the children have made this easier and welcomed me back. It's been lovely seeing their happy faces and how much they've grown.

Yesterday each class took time out of their usual lessons to take part in our World Book Day celebrations. Everyone looked really good and there was a lot of thought behind many of the outfits the children and teachers wore. Everyone was very enthusiastic and got involved during Mr Mulligan's assembly, which left us in suspense as to who had stolen items from different characters across the school!! Everyone was also interested to hear about our school competition - I can't wait to see the entries to try and win the Jolly Postman's scooters!

I hope you all have a lovely weekend and don't forget to celebrate and thank your Mothers and Others on Sunday.

Miss Greene - General Admin Assistant



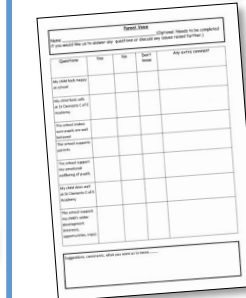
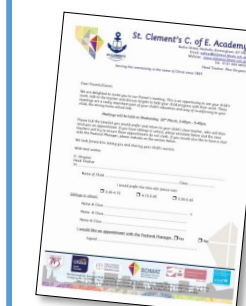
Parents Evening

Wednesday 20th March

3:45pm - 5:45pm

Letters were sent home on Wednesday with information about our Parent's Evening next week. Please make sure that you read and return your form so that we can allocate times for you to pop in.

On the back of the form we also had a small Parent Voice questionnaire. We would really appreciate it if you could take the time to complete this before sending your form back.

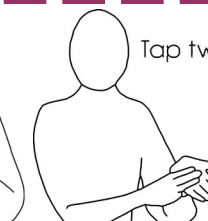


It Takes
COURAGE
to CHOOSE
HOPE
Over FEAR.
-Mark Zuckerberg

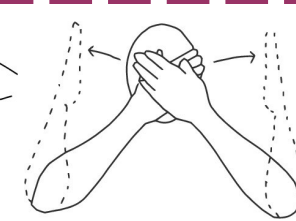
signs of
the week



Happy



Mother's



Day

Don't forget to say the word as you sign it.



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Year 4 SWIMMING after Easter

To give you time to get ready we would like to let you know that after Easter it will be Year 4's turn to go swimming.

Children will need to bring their swimming kit:

- 1 piece navy/black costume for girls
- navy/black swimming shorts for boys
- a towel
- plastic/waterproof bag.

Goggles and swimming caps can be worn.

NO jewellery can be worn.



Mothers Day Assembly

We would like to thank everyone who turned up to our Reception and KS1 Mother's Day Assembly. It was a fun filled time with singing, poetry, paintings and big voices from our speakers. We hope you all enjoyed it as much as we did.

Dear God,

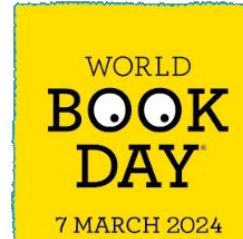
Thank you for Mothers and Ladies who care about us.

Help us to be kind and good so we can help them make their job easier.

Please make sure that we love and respect our Mums always.

They are so important to us.

Amen



Thank you all for your enthusiasm and commitment to World Book Day yesterday. Everyone seemed to have a great time and took part well in all the activities. It was especially nice to see the parents who were able to make it in to our short morning reading sessions. The children really enjoyed your company. During the day the children had lots of fun, in class and in the library, and this continued when they got to visit a different classroom to read with other children as Reading Buddies.

Who do you think stole the pencil case, the tiara, the tunic and the chocolate??



Assembly was a great laugh with teachers' and children taking part. A few of the teachers characters had things stolen and the children had to be on the look out for who was the culprit. As each letter was read out to explain what had happened, the children got more and more into the mystery; especially when it came to shouting "St. Clement's" when a certain word was mentioned!



We hope everyone had a great day and looks forward to spending their book vouchers on either the specific World Book Day books or as £1 off a normal book,

Want to win Jolly Postman's scooter?

As part of our World Book Day celebrations we have two scooters up for grabs, 1 for KS1 and 1 for KS2. So get your creative minds to work as you only have a week to enter!



To enter....

KS1 - Draw your favourite book cover

KS2 - Write a short story between 85-100 words

To be in with a chance of winning you need to submit your entries by **Wednesday 13th March**. Winners will be announced in the end of term celebration assembly on Monday 18th March.

UNICEF Rights of the Child

Article 28: Right to Education

Every child has the right to an education. Primary education must be free and different forms of secondary education must be available to every child. Discipline in schools must respect children's dignity and their rights. Richer countries must help poorer countries achieve this.



Head lice – Let's fight them together

A case of head lice has been detected in school. Please check your child's hair and treat if needed.

A few pointers:

- Head lice range in size from a full stop to a sesame seed
- It is best to use a head lice comb that's white so the lice can be easily seen
- Live lice remain close to the scalp
- Good lighting is important and so is comfort
- Combing through the hair when wet may make the process more comfortable
- If you find live lice, consult your local pharmacy team and only treat if you find a live, moving louse

For more advice on dealing with head lice, visit www.onceaweektakeapeek.com



Safeguarding: Bereavement and Loss

People are impacted by grief and bereavement at different points in their life. Below are some ways of accessing support. If you need further assistance with this, please see Miss Akers.

CRUSE - national bereavement charity and helpline: 08088081677

Samaritans - 116 123

Grief Encounter - a national charity supporting children and young people experiencing grief

Child Bereavement UK - support for bereaved children and young people up to 25, and parents bereaved of a child of any age

Winston's Wish - a national charity supporting children and young people who lose a parent

Kinship - a national charity supporting grandparents, including specific support around the death of a child for grandparents

Lullaby Trust - a national charity supporting parents who have lost a baby or young child, they also have a national helpline for bereaved parents 0808 802 6868

Miscarriage Association - a national charity supporting parents affected by miscarriage

SANDS - a national charity supporting parents affected by still birth and neonatal death

The Compassionate Friends Network - a national network of bereaved parents, siblings and grandparents dedicated to the support and care of other similarly bereaved family members who have suffered the death of a child or children of any age and from any cause.

UK SOBS - a national charity supporting people who have lost someone to death through suicide

SAMM - a national charity supporting people have lost someone through murder or manslaughter, they also have a national helpline 0121 472 2912 or 0845 872 3440

Roadpeace - a national charity providing support for people who have lost someone through a road traffic accident, their helpline number is 0845 4500 355

Way Up - a national self-help charity supporting people who are widowed

Way Widowed and Young - a national charity supporting those who are widowed young (aged under 50 years) *National government advice on benefits after death of a spouse can be found of the Birmingham City Council website.