



Clarendon School
Primary Centre

Primary News



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Welcoming Spring

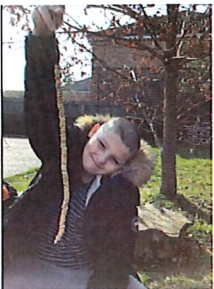


It has been wonderful welcoming pupils back this half term and starting to enjoy spring. Pupils were inquisitive to explore and learn about spring following Monday's assembly and sign of the week.

During class activities and forest school pupils have learnt more about the



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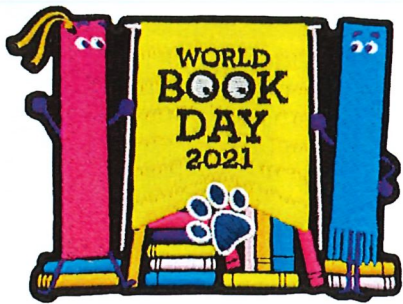
Half Term Theme



Across the Primary Centre we teach the National Curriculum through exciting and stimulating 'Learning Themes' that pupils can relate to. We believe that children need sufficient time to engage with their learning at a

deep, rather than shallow, level. In order for this to occur, they require quality time to really engage with their learning over an extended time frame. This is why we combine learning across the curriculum within a theme based approach. This half term our theme is 'Castles', and pupils have already enjoyed a range of activities.



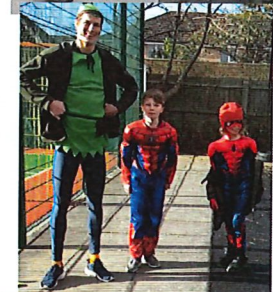
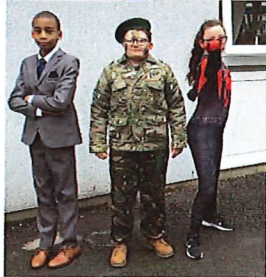


World Book Day

Thank you to all the children, parents, staff who ensured that all pupils engaged in World Book Day, raising £51.10.

Pupils had fun celebrating World Book Day dressed as their

favourite characters, and sharing their favourite stories, with literacy lessons focused around high quality text. We hope you enjoyed hearing all about it from your child and using the £1 book token.



THE SCHOOL & FAMILY WORKS

Good news! **Family Group** has started up again live this week on Thursday. Please note: as we still have a no visitor policy, parents will only have access to the hall from the carpark. The hall will be cleaned before and after **Family Group**.

The last few months have been (and continue to be) times full of immense change and difficulty. Parents, children and staff have lots to cope with and need resilience to meet these challenges in a positive way which enables growth and learning.

Family Group is all about helping children cope with change. Maybe you think your child could access school better or you are worried about them being too quiet or too loud? In **Family Group** we think about these things together, working in a supportive and non-judgemental way.

Family Group is open to all Clarendon families and has been re-designed within covid 19-safe guidelines.

If you would like to know more, please get in touch with Vicky Baker 0208 941 2623 vbaker@clarendon.richmond.sch.uk
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