



# Heads Up

## Welcome Back

We hope you have had a fantastic holiday and are now ready for another exciting term. We have lots of exciting things happening over the coming months. I would like to take this opportunity to welcome Mrs Khangura to our staff team. Mrs Khangura has joined us as our new Reception Teacher.

### Attendance and Lateness



We all have periods when we are unfortunately unwell however last term our attendance levels dropped and therefore this term we are having a huge push on attendance. If your child is absent from school due to illness please can we ask you to contact the school either via the absence line on 01926 430854 or by talking to Annie or Ali in the school office. If we have not received a reason for your child being absent from school by 9.30am we will contact you either via telephone or text message.

Unfortunately the recent road works have caused us all a headache when trying to get to school therefore we have had lots of children arriving late to school. 20% of our children arrive late which has a huge affect on their day. Not only does it disrupt the start of their day but also disturbs the rest of the class. Please can you try to get to school on time ready to learn. Children need to be on the playground for 8.50am ready to line up. Please try and avoid using the front door to bring children in before 8.50am.



### Website

Over the past few months we have been doing lots of work on the school website including adding term dates, Governor Information, Attendance and Holiday information and information with regard to the Ofsted Parent View website. Parent View gives you the chance to tell us what you think about our school.

Parent View asks for your opinion on 12 aspects of school, from the quality of teaching, to dealing with bullying and poor behaviour. Ofsted use the information you provide when making decisions about which schools to inspect, and when.

Please take a look at the website.

[www.claphamterrace.info](http://www.claphamterrace.info)



### Dates for your diary:

#### Monday 13th January 2014

New Nursery children start

#### Thursday 16th January 2014

Parent Forum 2.30pm

Focus Homework

#### Wednesday 05th February 2014

Parent Event—Helping with Calculation Methods 6pm

#### Friday 14th February 2014

Teacher Training Day

#### Monday 17th February 2014— Friday 21st February 2014

Half Term Holiday

#### Monday 24th February 2014

Back to school

#### Thursday 27th February 2014

Parent Event—Story Sacks  
9am –11am SIX week course  
More information to follow in January 2014

#### Wednesday 02nd April 2014

Parents Evening 3.30pm—6pm  
Scholastic Book Fair

#### Thursday 03rd April 2014

Parents Evening 4.30pm—7pm  
Scholastic Book Fair

#### Friday 11th April 2014

Break up for Easter Holidays

## Club News

Day	Lunchtime	After School
Monday	Spanish Cristina Lopez	TBC Science Club
Tuesday	ICT Club	Film Club Year 5 & 6 Mr Parker Netball Year 5 & 6 Mrs Bailey
Wednesday	Cross Country Year 5 & 6 Knitting Granny Pam Year 5 & 6	Story Time 3pm Mrs Morris
Thursday	Street Dance Liz England	Football Year 5 & 6 Mr Parker TBC Imagineering Club
Friday	Cross Country Year 5 & 6 Homework Club Mrs Clarkson	

Letters have been sent out to Year 5 & 6 with regard to signing up to join the After-school Clubs available.

We are currently looking at two other clubs once the details have been confirmed we will contact you with further information.

Spanish and Street Dance Clubs are run by outside providers and therefore there is a charge for these clubs.

## How to get in touch:

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Absence Line: 01926 430854

Email:  
admin 2312@welearn365.com

Website:  
www.claphamterrace.info

### Letters home this week

Film Club Year 5 & 6

Netball Year 5 & 6

Football Year 5 & 6

Swimming Year 3

Walk to the Park Year 2

Class Newsletters

# Clapham Terrace Home School

## HOME SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Welcome back—Happy New Year from the H S A . We have lots of exciting events planned for this year which we hope you are able to support us with. More information will follow concerning all dates etc but in the mean time don't forget to join us for:

### Chill and Chat

### Home Work

This term we will be asking for your views on the current

homework provision. This is also the focus on the Parent Forum on **Thursday 16th January 2014 at 2.30pm**. For this term up until Easter we will be continuing with our Home learning as it was last term, further information will follow from your class teachers next week.

### Reading

Please remember to read with your child three times a week and sign the reading record. The children are rewarded in school for achieving this and percentages for each class will be shared through the newsletter each week.



### FREE SCHOOL MEALS 2014

With the introduction of our new integrated system it has never been easier to make a claim for free school meals.

**We can help you apply or you can apply:**

**On-line via [www.warwickshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals](http://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals)**

**Joke of the Week:**

**Why do birds fly south in winter?**

**Because it's too far to walk. By: Sebi Year 1**

Hold that thought.....

If you think sunshine brings you happiness, then you haven't danced in the rain

## Every Day Info

### Dinner Money

The cost of dinner per day is £2.00, £10.00 a week.

Cheques should be made payable to:

Clapham Terrace Primary School WCC.

Payments for dinners should be made on a Monday and sent into school in a sealed named envelope.

## Breakfast and Afterschool Club

### Rockets OOSC Ltd

Open Monday—Friday Term time only

8.00am—8.45am and 3.15am-6pm

Morning session £3.50

Afternoon session £3.50 until 4pm, £6.70 until 5pm or £8.30 until 6pm

Places available—call into the Early Years Hall during the hours above

### ROCKETS BREAKFAST CLUB

Available from 8am

£3.50 session

Register your child **once**

**THEN**

Use us as a drop in session before school.

Pop in to the small hall before or after school to set up this service

