

Weekly Newsletter



Friday 18th September 2026

Message from Mrs Chatterjee

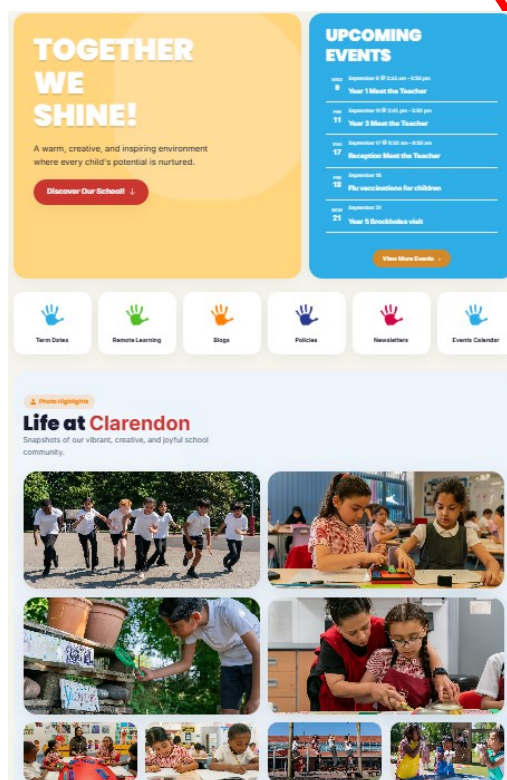
Thanks to everyone who managed to attend our Meet the Teacher meetings, it was lovely to have such a great turn out, I'm sure you found the meetings useful and now have more of an idea as to what lies ahead this year. If you missed the meeting there is information on the Class Blogs for each year group. We have a new WEBSITE and are using this more and more to share information with you around school events and activities.

There is the option to synchronise the calendar with your personal calendar and this will automatically update your diary with events and term dates. There's lots of information regarding curriculum content and coverage on there along with half termly blogs that showcase your children's learning.

At the end of the year we received our SATs results for the children who sat their exams last year. We were incredibly proud of the children's efforts and wanted to share this with you. In addition to these results we also had fantastic Phonics and Multiplication Check Results...a huge achievement for all of our children, staff and families that have supported with home learning...thank you.

This year we are continuing to reward our children who complete EVERY SINGLE PIECE OF HOMEWORK, this will be with a visit to the Cinema in the Summer term. We are also rewarding our children with 100% attendance (with no late marks or appointments) with a visit to Blackpool Pleasure Beach; this is a huge reward and the children absolutely love the day, please support them with good attendance and encourage them to be in school, on time, every day.

From Monday we will be asking children to keep their lunchboxes in a separate storage facility, therefore any snacks they bring into school should go with them to their classes. Please remind your children of this on Monday morning. Many thanks.





KS2 SATS RESULTS

We are incredibly proud of our children!

COMBINED

(Reading, Writing and Maths)



73%

met the expected standard

National Average: 63%

GREATER DEPTH

(ACROSS ALL SUBJECTS)

22%

achieved greater depth

National Average: 9%



READING

84%

met the expected standard

National Average: 75%

GREATER DEPTH

41%

National Average: 28%



WRITING

82%

met the expected standard

National Average: 72%

GREATER DEPTH

30%

National Average: 13%



GPS

(Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling)

88%

met the expected standard

National Average: 74%

GREATER DEPTH

63%

National Average: 12%



MATHS

84%

met the expected standard

National Average: 75%

GREATER DEPTH

33%

National Average: 24%

*Well done to all of our children
and thank you to our amazing staff, families
and wider school community for your continued support.*

TOGETHER WE SHINE



BREAKFAST CLUB

Just a reminder children are welcome to come along to our daily BREAKFAST CLUB

Start time 8:15am. Children should not come earlier and should be accompanied by an adult until they are accepted into the club by a member of staff.

We ask for a contribution of 50p per day. This covers the cost of staffing, food, drinks, toys and activities for the children. This can be paid in cash or online in the gateway app.

BATTERY RECYCLING

DID YOU KNOW YOU SHOULD NEVER THROW HOUSEHOLD BATTERIES IN YOUR REGULAR RUBBISH OR RECYCLE BINS???

Why ? The two main reasons are that waste batteries:

- can leak toxic chemicals into the environment if they end up in a landfill site, the final resting place for a lot of household rubbish
- can be processed at a recycling plant to extract metals and other valuable resources for new products

There's also a safety issue to bear in mind, as some types of battery (lithium-ion) can catch fire if dumped in your rubbish bin, particularly if they get wet or are damaged.

If you have any used batteries you can drop them off at the school office—to be recycled.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

ORDERING UNIFORM FROM SCHOOL.

Can parents please be careful when placing uniform orders for named items.

- * Make sure you are ordering the correct item
CARDIGAN OR SWEATSHIRT
- * Make sure the size is correct - If unsure you can call into the office and try on samples.

(Incorrect items can not be refunded)

NAMING OF SCHOOL UNIFORM

Can parents please make sure items of uniform are clearly named - specifically cardigans, sweatshirts, coats.

Just one week in and we already have a large number of these items that have been left around the play-ground!!

Clothing with no names will be left on the pegs in the picnic area.

Anything still remaining at the end of each week will be sent off to a local charity shop.

HI-VISIBILITY JACKETS

As Autumn approaches, can parents make sure children wear a high visibility jacket TO/FROM school every day.

Visibility is a key issue all year round, all day round, whether children are walking or on their bike. However, over the autumn/winter months, it is especially important as the school day can start and end in twilight. During term time, the majority of child road accidents happen in the afternoon and evenings, especially in the autumn and winter when it gets dark earlier in the day.



PARENT EVENINGS

Please make a note for your diaries:

Our AUTUMN Parents Evenings will be taking place on:

WEDNESDAY 14TH OCTOBER

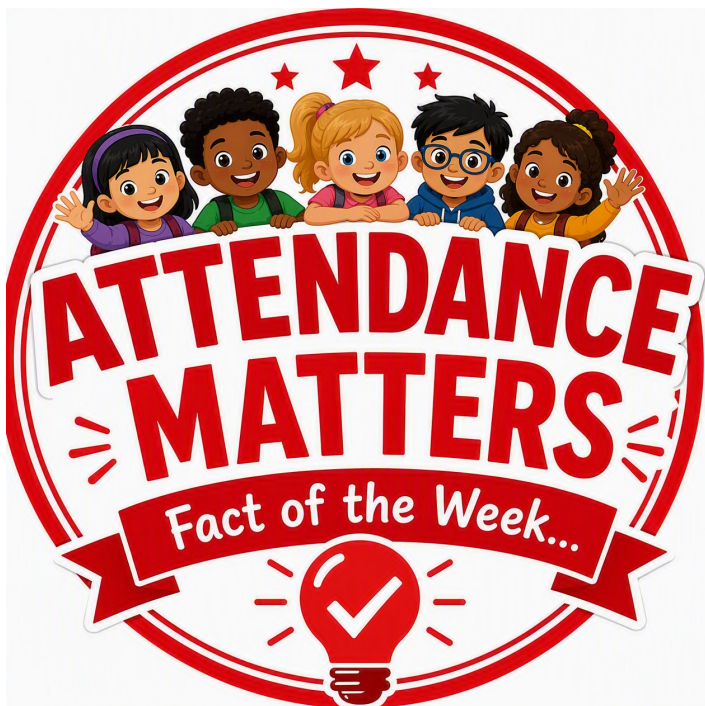
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THURSDAY 15TH OCTOBER

Year 6—TBC

Diary Dates

Monday 21st September	Year 5 visit to Brockholes
Friday 25th September	Citizens Advice Bureau in School—Afternoon 3 sessions
Monday 28th September	Year 4 swimming lessons
Tuesday 29th September	Year 6 Visit to Heysham Power Station
Tuesday 29th September	KS1 Reading and Phonics Parent Workshop
Wednesday 30th September	KS2 Reading and Phonics Parent Workshop
Thursday 1st October	School Photographs—Individual
Thursday 2nd October	School Photographs—Siblings



Our Learning Mentor carries out Home Visits each week. The purpose of these visits it to check that children are safe and that (in some cases) the absences are genuine. Any concerns are reported through to Social Care.