

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to the summer term! I am hopefully you enjoyed a wonderful Easter break in the glorious sunshine we have had.

This term we will continue to embed the school improvement plan, focusing on our C360 and its four cornerstones: academic, character, community and innovation. C360 ultimately enables children to believe in themselves, feel a sense of belonging to our school community and beyond and empowers all to become inspiring changemakers.

The teachers have been working hard to produce exciting learning opportunities this term which tie all cornerstones together and focus on the theme of service from reception through to year 6. You will receive a class newsletter on Friday providing you with more information around the theme and the learning taking place. If your child sits on the SEND register, your class teacher will also be in touch this week to organise an additional 10-minute meeting for the week commencing 26th April to go through their individual My Plan targets for the term and how they will be given support to meet these.

Preparation begins over these next two weeks for all key stage 2 children to receive their chromebooks by May half term, an innovative step towards improving collaborative learning in classes, across classes and schools which in turn supports out pupils for life beyond the classroom.



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School Dinners:

Please remember to book dinners online for the coming week. There is a new 3-week menu on the system.

Inclusion Team contact details:

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Key dates:

Parent coffee morning Wednesday
19th May 9.30am at Clinton.
School Lundy trip 15th June.
Sports day Friday 25th June at Dolton.
Reserve sports day Friday 2nd July at
Dolton.

Pupils school reports out 19th July

Year 6 camp out 8th – 9th July Year 6 performance and presentation evening at the Queens Theatre 15th



You will note on the right-hand column of this letter that we have begun to tentatively map out key dates to begin to bring our community back together again. Things such as sports day have been missed incredibly over this last year however, we hope that as COVID 19 restrictions continue to ease we will be able to bring back all those aspects of school life that are so important to our children and families – I am already in training for the teacher's race! You will also see a whole school Lundy trip planned and some Year 6 activities beginning to be mapped out to ensure they receive a memorable end of their primary career. More information will follow on these.

Over the Easter holidays class teachers and the local Wildlife Group have worked hard on the school pond so we can begin to use it. This term we will be focusing on our 'inspiring skill builder' badge whilst engaging in Wild tribe sessions. Class teachers will let you know what this means for your child's class and if they will need additional clothing on key days.

We are always available to help and answer questions. In the first instance this is your class teacher who can be contacted via Seesaw, if after this you still have queries then you can contact the school office for a return call from me or to book a meeting. Our phone lines have now been merged across the three schools so you can ring at any time between 8.30am – 4pm and someone should be available to pick up your call. Our administration team now consists of:

- Mrs Alison Skinner: Senior administrator for The Clinton, Dolton and Clawton Schools.
- Mrs Teresa Cornish
- Mrs Charlotte Perry

Sometimes our administrators may be busy, please leave a message and someone will get back to you as soon as they are available to.

You have my best intentions as we enter a new and exciting term.

Kind regards,

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Mrs. Rachael Sharpe.