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Claybrooke Primary School Newsletter w/e 09.06.23

Be safe, Be ready, Be respectful.

Welcome to this week's newsletter.

This week children in Year 5 & 6 took part in their Bikeability programme. Many have already achieved their Level 2!. Well done! Year 4 have also undertaken their Multiplication Check tests this week. Well done to them for trying really hard. On Tuesday we held our summer 'Topic Showcase' afternoon. Thank you to everyone who came along to see some of the children's learning.

On Thursday we welcomed professional football coaches from FDS/Aston Villa FC who ran a series of activities for all classes. On Friday, Maple Class visited Ryton Pools for a school trip. They had an exciting time pond dipping and making nature art. We have also begun making exciting changes to our curriculum. Subject topics are being taught in 'blocks' rather than once a week. We are looking forward to seeing the impact on the children knowing more and remembering more.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend and enjoy the promised good weather!

Mr Rock

Next (School) Week's Calendar (*=Parents Invited):

Day	Event
Mon 12/06	Lego Club (Paid) 3.15 - 4.15 pm
Tue 13/06	Forest School for Oak.
Wed 14/06	Traveller Experience bus visit.
Thu 15/06	Oak trip to Shree Ram Mandir Temple Hot Chocolate Thursday Discovery Club. (Paid) 3.15 - 4.15 pm
Fri 16/06	Celebration Assembly

E Safety:

We will provide information about a different aspect of E safety every week in this publication; we hope you find it useful. This week's topic is: **'What Parents and Carers Need to Know about Influencers.'**



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What Parents & Carers Need to Know about INFLUENCERS

In today's digital age, social media influencers play an increasingly significant role in shaping the opinions, interests and behaviours of our children. While many of these individuals can have a positive effect, influencer culture can also present certain risks – such as encouraging consumerism, affecting self-esteem and blurring trustworthiness. To help ensure a safe online environment for young people, it's vital to maintain open communication, set sensible boundaries, promote a healthy self-image and teach digital media literacy. Our guide delves deeper into all of these.

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

HEIGHTENED CONSUMERISM

A major way that influencers make money is through brand partnerships and sponsored content. As a result, children who follow them may be exposed to a steady stream of advertising; this can lead to materialistic attitudes, unrealistic expectations and an increased desire to have the latest products. Many influencers have built huge brand empires around their large, impressionable following.

THE SOFT SELL

Some influencers aren't always transparent about the motivations behind their posts, blurring the lines between genuine recommendations and paid-for promotions – and young people sometimes find it difficult to distinguish authentic content from advertising. Many major social platforms have taken steps to make sponsored content and ads easier to identify, but it remains an area of concern.

PRIVACY CONCERNS

Inspired by their favourite influencers, children may start sharing more of their own lives online – which could reveal personal information or details about their daily routine. This openness can put them at risk of cyberbullying or even predatory behaviour. This is exacerbated by live streaming, which gives young people no time to consider the potential consequences of saying too much.

UNDERMINING SELF-ESTEEM

Many influencers share images and videos of themselves and their activities, which are often painstakingly curated and edited to present an idealised version of their life. Children who follow these influencers may develop distorted expectations about body image and the concept of beauty, which can potentially lead to negative self-esteem and even mental health issues.

Advice for Parents & Carers

KEEP TALKING

Chat to your child about the content they consume on social media and the influencers that they like. Encourage them to think critically about what they see and hear online, and listen to any concerns they might have. Maintaining this line of open, honest communication can help your child to make informed decisions about which individuals they follow and what content they engage with.

SET SOME BOUNDARIES

Agree age-appropriate boundaries for your child's social media use, including time limits and privacy settings (the two major operating systems on mobile devices, Android and iOS, have these controls baked in). Try to keep an eye on your child's online activity and discuss it regularly with them – including reminding them of the potential risks that can arise from following influencers.

SUPPORT A HEALTHY SELF-IMAGE

Reinforce your child's awareness that real life isn't usually as picture perfect as it may appear on social media – and how some content (particularly that of influencers) is often curated, staged or edited to look more glamorous. If possible, highlight examples of other influencers who share authentic, relatable material which acknowledges their imperfections and struggles as well.

PROMOTE MEDIA LITERACY

Talk to your child about the concepts of sponsored content, advertising and potential influencer bias. Teach them to critically evaluate the information they're presented with online and to consider the possible reasons behind content creation. This can help young people develop the skills to make healthier decisions about the influencers they choose to follow and the content they consume.

Meet Our Expert

A former director of digital learning and currently a deputy headmaster and DSL, Brendan O'Keefe's experience and expertise gives him a clear insight into how modern digital systems impact the experience of children, staff and parents – and which strategies help to ensure that the online world remains a useful educational tool rather than a minefield of risks.



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School Calendar (*=Parents Invited):

Summer Term 2023	
Date	Event
Thurs 15/06	Oak trip to Shree Ram Mandir Temple Visit
Mon 19/06	Leics Mobile Library
Thu 22/06	School Sports Afternoon 1.30-3.00 *
Mon 26/06	Annual Reports Out (TBC)
Tue 27/06	Willow trip to Conkers
Wed 28/06	Oak Class Production 2.00-3.00 & 6.00-7.00 *
Thu 29/06	Yr 5 Taster Day @ Lutterworth High School
Thu 06/07	Leavers' Assembly 9.30-10.30 *
Thu 06/07	PTA Disco, incl. Leavers' 3.30-7.00
Wed 12/07	Last Day of School Year

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10am-1pm

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Willow Class Weekly News

This week's awards:

Excellent Work:

Annamay- for a wonderful seahorse drawing

Values:

Whole class for their brilliant attitude to football training

Hot Chocolate:

Fred
Oliver

This Week's Learning:

- We read 'Wombat goes Walkabout' story and have been learning about animals.
- In Science, we have been learning about different sorts of mammals and that fish have backbones and live in water. We even had a look at some real fish (yr 1).
- In phonics, year 1's have been consolidating their set 3 sounds focusing on ai, ew and u_e.
- The reception children have been reading two syllable words and recapping the set 2 sounds.
- In DT, the children have been exploring different forms of transport and discussing how they travel to school.
- In computing, we have been learning to undo writing when we make a mistake.
- In the home corner, we have created an animal hospital with the children's help.
- Maths- we have been consolidating doubling and learning number bonds to 10 (Yr R).
- Maths- we have been counting pairs and adding equal groups (yr 1).
- In the Art area, we have painting different animal prints and exploring patterns.
- RE- the class shared a bible story called 'The coin in the fish's mouth'.
- PE, we played games to explore running, throwing and catching.



Next week's Learning:

- In maths, we will be exploring odd and even numbers (yr R).
- We will also begin to share numbers to create equal groups and make arrays (yr 1).
- We will continue Athletes topic and throwing and catching in PE
- In science we will be exploring if animals can be grouped by what they eat.

Homework & Reminders:

Conkers Trip Tuesday 27th June update

Please note that we will not be arriving back at school until **approximately 4pm** on Tuesday 27th June so you will need to collect your child at this later time. This is to allow us to make the most of the day and have plenty of time to travel back.

Also we need a **parent volunteer** to accompany us on the school trip. Please speak to Miss Jones if you are available to help out.

PE will be on **Monday** and **Tuesday** next week- please can your child come in their kit both days. Please remember to remove your child's earrings or bring tape to cover them!

Homework- please continue to read with your child as often as possible.

Yr 1 Please follow the links to consolidate learning we have been practising in class this week

[Special friend, fred talk lesson 5](#)

[Review ai, er, ow](#)

[set 3 speed minutes lesson 5](#)

Yr R Please follow the links to consolidate learning of the sounds we have been practising in class this week

[Word Time 1.6 lesson 6](#)

[red words green books lesson 1](#)

[Speed Minutes Set 2 lesson 5](#)

Thank you for your continued support!

Miss Jones and Mrs Dudfield
Willow Class teachers

Maple Class Weekly News

This week's awards:		
Excellent Work: Hugo	Values: Abbie	Hot Chocolate: Cha Charlene rlene

This Week's Learning:

- Comparing and contrasting two locations from different parts of the world in Geography.
- Exploring the use of inverted commas in writing.
- Started a new unit of Fractions in maths.
- Had our topic showcase on Tuesday afternoon.
- Had a visit from professional football coaches from FDS/Aston Villa FC!
- Went on a trip to Ryton Pools as part of our Science learning.

We had a fantastic day at Ryton Pools on Friday. Pond dipping and nature art. The weather was perfect for a day out! Thank you to all the adults who came along to help out. It was much appreciated.



Next Week's Learning:

Some of the things we will look at next week are;

- Continuing to contrast places in Geography.
- Look at persuasion in English
- Continue improving our Fractions knowledge in maths

Homework & Reminders:

Homework

Due to the trip on Friday, homework will come home on Monday.

Please remember to tick off tasks completed. A reminder that homework is to be handed in on a Wednesday. Please ensure that you bring it in. Thank you.

Please do not hesitate to contact a member of the Maple team if you have any questions.

As always, thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Chick (Mon, Tue, Wed)

Mr Rock (Thurs, Fri)

Oak Class Weekly News

This week's awards:

Excellent Work:

Wacky

Values:**Hot Chocolate:**

Harry & Anna

**This week:**

- Some of the Year 5 & 6's have completed their 'Bikeability' course! The children are all qualified at level 2 - well done everyone!
- We have started a new Geography topic, looking at renewable and non-renewable energy
- Year 4 have completed their multiplication tables check!
- Year 4 and some of Year 5 have completed their summer term assessments - well done everyone!
- Year 6 have taken part in the transition festival @ Lutterworth College
- Had a visit from professional football coaches from FDS/Aston Villa FC!

Next week:

- Visiting the Shree Ram Mandir Temple in Leicester!
- Year 5 will be visiting Lutterworth College as part of a taster day for secondary school transition
- Continuing our Geography work around energy

Dates to remember:

- Wednesday 14th June - homework due
- Thursday 15th June - Shree Ram Mandir Temple visit
- Thursday 22nd June - Sports Day (weather permitting)
- Wednesday 28th June - Oak performance
- Wednesday 28th June - Aspiration Active Event @ Broughton Astley Leisure Centre
- Thursday 6th July - Leavers Assembly
- Thursday 6th July - PTA Disco
- Tuesday 11th July - SATs results released
- Wednesday 12th July - Last day of summer term

Many thanks for your continued support.

Miss Blower