



Hello and welcome back into the final half term of the 2017-2018 academic year!

As we enter this final transition stage for the pupils, there are a wide range of activities and events coming up for us all to enjoy.

This week we have our environmental week and you will see plenty of posts on the school's Facebook page showing all the activities the pupils are involved with. Later in the coming weeks we'll be sharing the pupil's class for the coming year. You will also have the chance to come along to our parents evening to meet the staff and hear about your child's progress.

If the weather's good we will have our Sport's Day on the 29th June, with 6th July in reserve if the weather is inclement.

We have three transition afternoons planned for the end of July and you are invited to the final one on the 18th July to come and meet your child's new class teacher.

As we all know, the summer term will just fly by, and myself and the staff look forward to seeing you at these upcoming events.

With kindest regards,

Fyfe Johnston
Headteacher

Medication in School.

Med 1 Forms are now available to download from our Website.

Dates for your Diary

4 th June	Environmental Awareness Week
21 st June	Whole School Parent Consultations
29 th June	Sports Day
6 th July	Reserve Sports Day
11 th July	Leaver's Assembly
12 th July	Transition Afternoon
16 th July	Summer Party
17 th July	Transition Afternoon
18 th July	Transition Afternoon (Parents invited to attend)
24 th July	Last Day of Term

Hopefully we will be enjoying some lovely summer sunshine this half term. We all like to make the most of the beautiful weather and get outside as much as possible. Please send in a sun hat and a named sun cream for your child. If you wish us to apply sun cream please ensure you have completed a permission slip.



Thank you.

Forms LH, DB, ME/SH & JK all had an amazing few days during our Residential at Eaton Vale Activity Centre. We were very lucky with the weather, which enabled all to fully participate in the activities which were on offer. These included canoeing, abseiling, rock climbing, catapulting, backwoods cooking, rifle shooting and archery. Pupils also enjoyed a sing song around the campfire as well as socialising with their peers. It was a pleasure supporting the pupils to experience such a fantastic environment. A special thank you to all involved for their hard work and dedication, which ensured all pupils could fully participate.



Outdoor Learning and Environment Week

Summer Term 2018 Update



We are really proud of our Outdoor Learning here at the Clare School. Both residential trips at Horstead and Eaton Vale included so many Outdoor activities, canoeing, camp fire cooking, archery to name just a few! Every class has been spending increasingly more time outside with the good weather and we have gardeners and explorers all over school.

We welcome Harry & Megan the ducklings and we have released our Painted Lady Butterflies. Students watched the Great Tit nest box footage from the comfort of the school library! The Bell tent has been a huge success, it's such a relaxing space and looks so beautiful.

Sixth Form and their staff have been working incredibly hard on the Outdoor areas. They are entering the Norwich in Bloom competition with floral, fruit and vegetable containers, best Environmental recording diary and a scarecrow! They are working on a 'show garden' for the Norfolk Show.



Primary Youth Club are working together with Beehive children to create a garden in a wheelbarrow based on the theme of 'Grow it, Cook it!' also for the Norfolk Show.

Form HS had a great morning with The Friends of Eaton Park and Alison from the RHS planting seeds ready for the raised bed project in Eaton Park Cafe grounds. We are enjoying working together.



After May half term we return to school for 'Environment Week', Monday 4th - Friday 8th June. Classes will be invited to take part in even more Outdoor Learning across the Pre-formal and Formal curriculums. Environment Day is Tuesday 8th June with this years focus is 'Plastic Pollution'.

Wishing you a 'Wild' half term holiday.



30 Days Wild is here again! We really enjoyed this last year. The challenge is set by the Wildlife Trusts to do something 'Wild' every day for 30 Days in June. It doesn't have to be anything huge just to spend some time enjoying nature and being a little wild in any way you like! It starts on Friday 1st June in half term.

Look out on our Facebook page for updates and ideas which can also be found on the Wildlife Trusts website here:

<http://www.mywildlife.org.uk/30dayswild/>

