

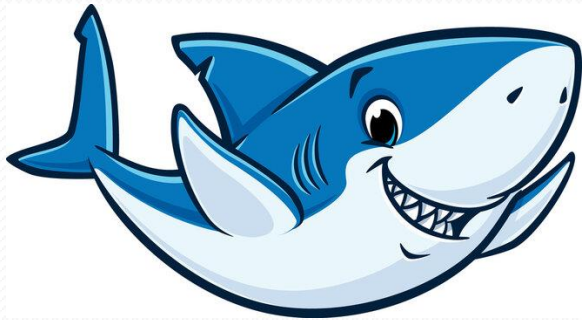
Welcome to Clarendon Junior School



Key Staff for you to know

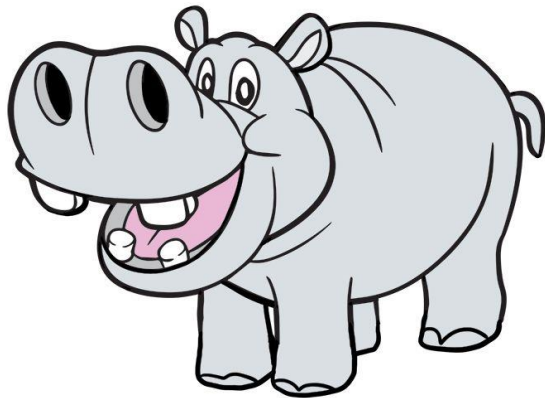
- Mrs Evans – Executive Head
- Mrs Brown – Associate Executive Head
- Miss Hayday – Assistant Head
- SENCo – Mrs Westall
- Pastoral Team – The Pastoral Team work with all staff to ensure children are safe and happy in school
 - Mrs Allen – Pastoral Team Lead
 - Miss Newman – Pastoral Team

Year 3 classes



Shark Class – Miss Downing

Hippo Class – Miss Giles



TAs – Miss Franklin, Miss
Laker, Mrs Pike, Mrs Weston

Clarendon Juniors Snapshot

- We want children to love their education, enjoy coming to school and achieve the very best they can.
- We are an exciting school with a lot going on.
- All year groups aim to go on trips during the school year.
- We have clubs that operate after school. Please look out for the letters about these.
- The children can earn golden time in Y3 to have on Friday afternoon. This is treated as a reward for hard work and positive behaviour during the week.
- Our houses are named after trees – Ash (red), Beech (blue), Elm (green) and Willow (yellow). Children collect house points and the totals are added up weekly. The winning house gets the house points cup and a leaf on their tree. The house with the most leaves on their tree gets a treat at the end of the term.

The Clarendon Promise

At the heart of our federation are values we live by every day. This is the Clarendon Promise — a set of principles that guide how we learn, work, and grow together:



Clarendon Promise

"Always a little further"

'We are Clarendon'

At Clarendon...

We are kind

We never give up

We are curious

We are respectful

We are a team

We are brilliant



Uniform

- Blue school jumper/cardigan
- White shirt/polo shirt
- Black or grey trousers/skirt
- White/black or grey socks/tights
- Black school shoes



PLEASE ENSURE ALL CLOTHING IS NAMED

PE kit

- White T-shirt
- Black or dark blue shorts
- Black or dark blue tracksuit bottoms in winter
- Trainers for games
- Black plimsolls for indoor PE
- Hair tied up for PE sessions
- Blue PE kit bag (optional)
- Earrings removed or tape provided to cover them



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Snacks & Lunchtime

- Snacks
 - Healthy fruit snacks
 - Drink
- Lunch
 - A balanced lunch box
 - Drink
 - Dolce Catering – option to buy lunch, choice of hot meal either meat or vegetarian, jacket potato or wrap / baguette / sandwich
- Children have access to their water bottles throughout the day



Reading at Clarendon Juniors

- During the 1st 2 weeks at the Junior School, your child will undertake a reading fluency assessment
- This gives a reading age that we match to a colour banded level (this is a different banding system to the Infant School)
- Children are encouraged to be more independent so will be responsible for changing their books when they have finished. Time is set aside during the day for children to go to the library and change their books when they are ready (initially this will be with an adult as they become more familiar with our library system)

Maths

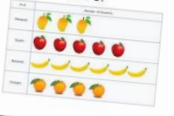
- We have a Mastery approach to mathematics - a 'small steps' approach to developing fluency, variation and mathematical reasoning.
- Use Times Table Rock Stars to aid acquiring fluency in multiplication facts and support home learning.
- All children will receive a login to keep at home during the first few weeks



Homework

- A homework grid will be given out in the 1st week of each term
- Non-negotiables – reading 5x per week, Times Tables Rock Stars 3x per week
- Choose 3 tasks from the grid to complete each term

Write a plant or flower poem. This could be an acrostic poem that spells out a flower or plant. 	Take a visit to your local garden centre or look at their website. If you had £20.00 to spend what could you buy? Make a list and add the prices. Is there a way to make your total exactly £20.00? 	Paint or draw a picture of a flower or interesting plant. 	Draw or photograph all the different plants and flowers in your garden then research what they are called and label the drawing/photos. 
Create your own miniature garden. You could make it in a box or a plant pot. 	Create a song or rap to sing to the class about how to care for plants. 	Design a seed packet with instructions on how to keep the plant healthy once it is planted. You could even make a real packet with homemade paper seeds inside! 	Re-tell the story of Jack and the Baked Beanstalk. Remember to write in full sentences! 

Write a postcard from a sunny beach trip. Use expanded noun phrases like "the sparkling, blue sea". 	Create a mini-diary showing the time you wake up, eat lunch, and go to bed. Draw the clock hands for each. 	Count the fruit in your kitchen. Draw a pictogram using symbols to show how many of each fruit you have. 	Design a healthy "Super Salad". Draw it, label the ingredients, and write a sentence explaining your dressing choice. 
Design a poster showing three ways to stay healthy, including healthy eating, exercise, and good sleep. 	Build a model animal, vehicle, or building using clean recycling from home (like cardboard boxes, plastic bottles, or metal caps). Label the different materials you used rigid, bendy, waterproof, or strong. 	Draw Mary Seacole's "British Hotel" and list three herbal remedies she used to heal soldiers. 	Write a short poem about summer using your five senses. Use the sentence starters: / see..., / hear..., / smell..., / taste..., and / feel.... 



Early Days

- First day of term is **Wednesday 2nd September**
- Gates open at **8.40am** and school starts at **8.45am**
- Please meet your child's class teacher on the lower playground (next to the Infant playground)
- At the end of the day the teachers will bring the children out to meet you at **3.15pm** on the lower playground.



General Information

- All school information is now sent home via Parent Hub
- Our website www.clarendonfederation.co.uk also has up-to-date information
- Please ensure the school has your updated contact details should any numbers change
- Please ensure any medicines kept in school (inhalers for example) are in date and clearly labelled. If a child needs any new medication there is a form that needs to be filled out
- Please can you make sure you have completed the registration form online or on paper
- Breakfast Club operates in the Junior School hall – please ask for more information



Any questions?

Contact the school reception by email on
admin@clarendon-jun.wilts.sch.uk

Please remember to complete the contact information as soon
as possible!