



CLOCKHOUSE CONNECTION



At Clockhouse we are Relentless and Rigorous



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Attendance Matters

Whilst our whole school attendance continues to be considerably lower than our 96% target, it is holding steady at around 94.8%. This is all to the good but it does need to be higher. Please help us get closer to our target of 96% - together we can do it.

Thank you to everyone for trying really hard with attendance and working so hard to adhere to the new gate times. It is important that we keep going with this. Learning starts as soon as the classroom doors open.

Please remember your child needing medication is not a reason to keep them at home. You can sign a form to give us the permission to administer this and therefore your child can attend school as normal.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Staff Changes

At the end of term we say goodbye to Mr Pye who has made the decision to move with his family to Wolverhampton. I am sure you join with me in thanking him for all he has done. We also temporarily say goodbye to Mrs Bhogal as she starts her maternity leave.

A message from Mrs Savidge

Happy Half Term to Our Clockhouse Family!

With half-term just around the corner, I am sure, like the staff, you are all looking forward to the holiday after another busy term at Clockhouse! I am sure you will agree that it is almost impossible to believe that we are approaching the final half-term of the year; where has the time gone? Thank you for your support this half term - as always, this, and your commitment to the Clockhouse cause, does not go unnoticed on a daily basis and is truly appreciated by each and every one of us.

A huge well done to all the Year 6 children who worked so hard to do their end of Key Stage assessments last week; they all worked so very hard in the lead up to their tests and did their very best to put all their learning into practise! We could not have asked for more, they did us and you proud and we eagerly await the results of all their hard work. Thanks must go to all the parents and carers during the week and throughout the year, who

ensured that the children came to school well prepared and ready to do their best. Thanks must also go to the staff team for all they did in the lead up to and during the tests, firstly to make sure the children were well prepared and secondly to make sure they stayed calm throughout. Well done Clockhouse!

We are very much looking forward to welcoming you at the many events we have planned for the final term of the year, starting with the annual Celebration Assemblies which start after the holiday!

As always, thank you for your continued support in all that we do. All that leaves us to say is happy half term from us all and we look forward to seeing you all back at school bright and early on Monday 1st June for another busy and exciting half term. Please do not hesitate to come and speak to us should you have any questions, concerns, ideas of how we could improve further or indeed to just have a chat!

Thank you for everything!

Our Clockhouse Association

I am delighted to report that Our Clockhouse Association (OCA) have been so busy planning the Summer Fete. Please remember it is 13th June and we cannot wait to see you there. It promises to be a wonderful community event for all. Look out for updates on Class Dojo.

OCA are also busy planning for Fathers' Day following the success of Mothers' Day. Letters will be coming out soon - watch this space!

If you are interested in helping OCA please contact Mr Koten.

Be Aware

Uniform for September

Thank you to all those parents who have been ordering school uniform on line at <https://www.mapac.com/education/parents/uniform/clockhouseprimaryrm53qr> - Please be aware that if you wish to have uniform delivered to school for September, this must be ordered no later than 26th June. After this date, orders can still be made but will need to be delivered to your home. This will cost of £3.95 or free for orders over £50.00. Should you want uniform for September, orders MUST be made by 31st July. Online ordering will resume at some point in September. Please be aware we do not have stock in school so if you wish to purchase brand new uniform, you will need to use this facility.

Thank you to all those who are supporting our efforts to ensure children are wearing the right PE kit, school PE kit is an expectation and we do

ask that this is adhered to, so please ensure the children have the appropriate kit ready. Also, we continue to have a number of children wearing jewellery that is not acceptable for school.

Can I please remind you that jewellery is not permitted for safety reasons. It is Local Authority policy that children do not take part in P.E. if they are wearing earrings. As P.E. is compulsory part of the curriculum, please ensure that earrings are always removed on PE days.

mapac  Your Official School Uniform Supplier

WELCOME TO MAPAC

We are delighted to be working with your school who have entrusted us with providing your children's school uniform.

1. HOW TO REGISTER & ORDER

- CLICK THE UNIFORM LINK FROM YOUR SCHOOLS WEBSITE... or... www.mapac.com/education/parents or search online for "Mapac find your school"
- Use the "LOGIN/REGISTER" tab at the top of the page and fill in your details (even if you don't need to order straight away. It means you'll start receiving Mapac updates and offers!)
- Once on your dedicated school page, simply add everything you need to your basket, register (if you haven't already) and then check out.

2. ORDERING GUIDE

Under normal circumstances we aim for all orders to be sent out within 10-15 working days. During our busier periods (especially over the summer) or if anything unexpected occurs, it can take longer, so please allow us some extra time to get your order to you.

Delivery to your home / work all year round!
or
FREE delivery to your school

(This service will not operate during any school holidays. This includes the 6 week summer holiday - order cut off date is 26th June for last delivery in to school before the end of term. Our aim will be to resume in September, you will be informed when this happens.)

IMPORTANT SUMMER ORDERING INFORMATION

To receive your order before the start of term please order by 31st July.

We do everything we can to send out all items as soon as possible but a high volume of orders or unforeseen circumstances may occasionally lead to delays. If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to call or email us. We are happy to help!

T: 01923 25525 | E: parentcustomerservice@mapac.net



Please park safely at all times!



Please DO NOT park on the zig-zags!

Community Corner

Help keep everyone safe and happy Twitter

Thank you to all those who are respectful of the parking rules around the school in the mornings and at the end of the day. This is to keep our community safe and happy. It also continues to sadden and frustrate me that there is still a small number of parents/carers who continue to park in breach of the law—please do not. I would hate for there to be an accident, as I am sure you would!

Thank You!

A huge thank you to the team of Governors and friends who gave up their Saturday to help Mrs Abeledo and Mrs Savidge paint some of the wooden stucutres in the Key Stage 2 playground. It was a lot of hard work but many hands made it that little bit easier. We hope you can see the improvements! Thank you for your on-going support.



Please Help

The Playground

Playground Equipment:

As tempting as I know it is for children to play on the playground equipment, we ask that you support the school in not allowing children to climb on playground equipment before and after school. The equipment is for school use only under the supervision of school staff. Unfortunately accidents do occur and we cannot take responsibility for this at the beginning and end of the day.

Scooters and Bikes

Please can we also remind you that scooters and bikes should not be ridden on the school site at the start and end of the day due to the hazard this presents. Thank you in advance for your understanding and support.

Update

The Field!

I know many of you, like us, are eager to see the field back open. Prior to half term with have a meeting with the Local Authority to see where we are and to discuss options moving forward. It is certainly taking longer than any of us would have hoped and we thank you for your, and the children's, on-going patience with this. We will of course update you when we know more.



June

Dates for the Diary

1 st June	Orange Day
1 st June	Multiplication Check Starts – Year 4
2 nd June	Year 3 Learn with my Child
3 rd June	Year 6 Shakespeare Globe Workshop
4 th June	Year 5 (Japan) to Frameless
4 th June	Y5/Y6 Quad Kids
8 th June	Phonics Check starts Year 1 & Year 2
8 th – 12 th June	Attendance & Punctuality Week
8 th – 11 th June	Year 6 Brighton Residential
10 th June	Year 2 to Colchester Castle
10 th June	Year 1 Learn with my Child
13 th June	OCA Summer Fete
15 th June	Year 6 St. Paul's Cathedral
16 th June	Year 4 to Hertfordshire Zoo
16 th & 18 th June	Nursery Learn with my Child
17 th June	Y3/Y4 Quad Kids (David Leaper Trophy)
17 th & 19 th June	Year R Collier Row Library
19 th June	Father's Day Sale
25 th June	Y1/Y2 Quad Kids
26 th June	Enterprise Day
26 th June	Choir to Queens Theatre
30 th June	Year 6 Learn with my Child
1 st July	Sponsored Event
2 nd July	Year 1 to Southend Sea life Centre

Dates can also be found on the School Website.

Values

Our Clockhouse Values

Do not forget our six Clockhouse Values and the importance of us all living up to these and modelling them all the time!



Holiday Dates

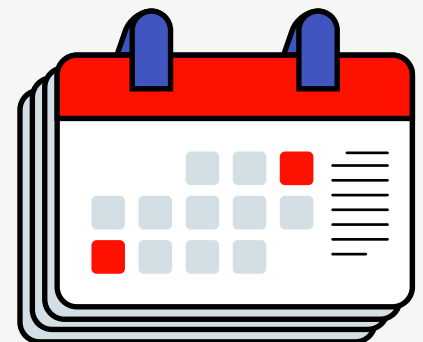
School Closes at the end of the day on

School re-opens on

Summer Half term Friday 22nd May
 Summer Friday Friday 17th July

Monday 1st June
 Monday 7th September

In Service Training Day Monday 20th July



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