

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been lovely walking into the foyer and seeing all of the household items and toiletries you have kindly donated. All of the products will be passed onto the Quedgeley Community Pantry and I know that many families will benefit from your kind donations – thank you everyone! We will still continue to collect items next week so please continue bringing in any donations.

Our Year 1 children have enjoyed visiting Chestnut Court this term and making the residents smile! They have been taking part in the 'Stand By Me Project' which has involved singing some of their favourite songs and nursery rhymes. It has been lovely to hear how the residents have enjoyed joining in with some of the songs too! Becoming involved in wonderful projects like 'Stand By Me' really help children to act out our school values alongside our local community.

A quick reminder that the school immunisation team will visit us on Friday 15th November to administer the flu immunisations (nasal spray). Please remember to complete the form which you'll find on School Ping. If you do not wish for your child to receive the flu immunisation, a form still needs to be completed.

We've enjoyed welcoming many prospective families to the first of our open days this term. We have two afternoon visits left this year: Thursday 17th October at 2pm and Wednesday 6th November at 2pm. Please pass these dates onto any friends and family members who have children looking for Reception places next year.

This week, Children in Year 5 have started their 'Mini Police' journey. PCSO Petrina Ellis visited the class and delivered an engaging presentation on the importance of the police and the different roles involved. Our first 10 'Mini Police Officers' will participate in group sessions with Petrina focussing on internet safety, litter picking, patrolling, behaviour and road safety. They all have their own police caps and high vis jackets ready for action and we can't wait to see them carrying out their new roles!

Parents Evening is scheduled for next week and appointments can be booked on School Ping. If you have not been able to book an appointment, please see your child's class teacher as we can arrange another time.

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Key Dates

Friday 15th November
School Immunisation Team

w/c 14th October
Parents Evening

Thursday 17th October
Wednesday 6th November
Open Events for Prospective
Parents

Clearwater Church of England
Primary Academy
Clearwater Drive
Quedgeley
Gloucester
GL2 4GH
t: 01452 347690
e: admin@
clearwateracademy.co.uk
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Last week, we gave out details of our continued involvement with Marijana and the Move More programme. As well as offering 1:1 family support, Marijana organises webinars on specific topics. The latest webinar focussed on resilience and grit in children and how to support this. Here is a link to the recording:

<https://youtu.be/oXijV0gZPOM>

It is well worth a watch and provides useful tips and advice.

Finally, when communicating with the School Office, please make sure you use the new email address so that we can quickly assist with your enquiry. The email address you need is:

office@clearwateracademy.co.uk

Have a lovely weekend.

With best wishes,

Kate & Donna

Mrs K Moss and Mrs D Hayward
Co-Headteachers

Our School Vision

We aim to provide educational excellence inspired by the world around us. To grow curious, responsible and confident learners within a caring community, in partnership with our families, upholding our Christian values.

Our School Values

Joy

Community

Compassion

Courage

Respect

Responsibility