St Michael's V.A. Junior School

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Clover Hill V.A. Infant & Nursery School
& St. Michael's V.A. Junior School,
Bowthorpe, Norwich

Week commencing 10th March 2025

HOPE ~ RESPECT ~ PERSEVERANCE ~ TRUST ~ SUCCESS

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
PE Year 3	PE Year 4		PE Year 5	PE Year 6
Multi-Sports *finishes at 4.15pm*	Lego Club Year 5 and 6 Street Dance - All Years *finishes at 4.15pm*	All Angels' Active Club *finishes at 5pm*	Summer Sports *finishes at 4.15pm*	Football *finishes at 4.15pm*

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Mon 10 March - Group Class photos

Fri 21 March - Non-uniform day and donate an Easter Egg!

DATE CHANGED **Wed 26 March** - Easter Raffle Draw

Fri 4 April - School finishes at 1.15pm for Easter Holidays

Wed 23 April - RETURN TO SCHOOL

SCHOOL LUNCH

Week commencing 10th March

WEEK 3

See website for full menu,



School menu click here

WELL DONE TO ALL WHO ENTERED THE SPELLING BEE COMPETITION!



A big congratulations to the winners from each year group!



Your hard work and dedication truly paid off. We are so proud of everyone who took part. Keep up the great work and continue to shine!

Celebrating Our Young Authors: Chiatokam and Chiamara



We're so excited to celebrate two of our talented Year 3 authors, Chiatokam and Chiamara .

These creative young writers have both had their stories published, and we couldn't be prouder of their amazing achievements. Even more wonderful, they've generously donated two copies of their books to our school library for everyone to enjoy.

Their creativity and generosity are truly inspiring. Well done, Chiatokam and Chiamara – your hard work is making a big difference at our school! Keep shining!

DSL Designated Safeguarding Leads for St. Michael's VA Junior School

Designated Safeguarding Lead Mrs. McCarney, **Alternate Safeguarding Lead** Mrs Claflin & Mr Bennison
SENCO Mr Laband, Mrs Brabbin **Pastoral** Mrs Francis, Mr Stapleton, Ms Howard, Miss Armstrong
Year 3 Lead Mrs Reeve **Year 4 Lead** Mr Shailes **Year 5 Lead** Mr Watkins **Year 6 Lead** Mr Anstiss

WORLD BOOK DAY















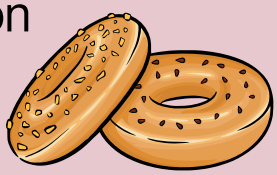


REMINDER CHILDREN CAN GET A FREE BREAKFAST IN THE MORNING AT SCHOOL





Toast, Bagels and a selection of Cereals





WASTE FREE LUNCH CHALLENGE!

As part of **National Science Week**, on **Thursday 13th March**, **Eco Council** would like to challenge the children (and adults) to bring in a packed lunch which produces absolutely no waste.

This is an optional challenge designed to highlight the amount of waste we produce each day.

School dinner arrangements will continue as normal.
If you would like to take part, check out the helpful hints below.

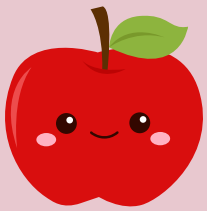
You could even post a picture of your lunch to Class Dojo!
A waste free lunchbox will be rewarded with 20 Dojo Points!

Pack waste FREE food!











PACK

- ***Snacks in reusable containers***
- ***Drinks in a reusable bottle***
- ***Reusable utensils when needed***
- ***A reusable lunchbox or backpack***

AVOID

- ***Lunches packed in plastic bags, cling film or foil***
- ***Disposable drink boxes, cans, cartons and bottles***
- ***Disposable forks and spoons***
- ***Pre-packaged lunches or single serve items***

THE SCHOOL KEEPS ME WELL INFORMED?

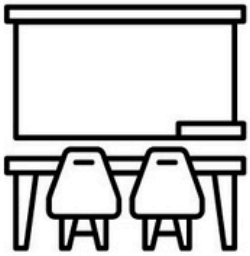
HOW THE SCHOOL COMUNICATES WITH ME ABOUT MY CHILDS PROGRESS AND ATTAINMENT.

1 Class DOJO

Class DOJO is our online platform we use to regularly communicate.

- Teachers share updates, messages, and photos with parents via the app, providing a window into the classroom.
- It allows for one-to-one messaging, fostering better communication about your child's progress.

ClassDojo



2 Open Classroom

We hold open classroom session each term. This is a opportunity to look at your child's books. A chance to learn more about the classroom environment and have informal conversations with the teachers and team.

3 Parent consultations

We have parent consultation evenings where you can arrange 1 to 1 meetings with your child's class teacher. This can be done in person or over the phone.





4 Phone or Message

You can always contact the school office to arrange to discuss your child at anytime during the year or message the class teacher directly on DOJO

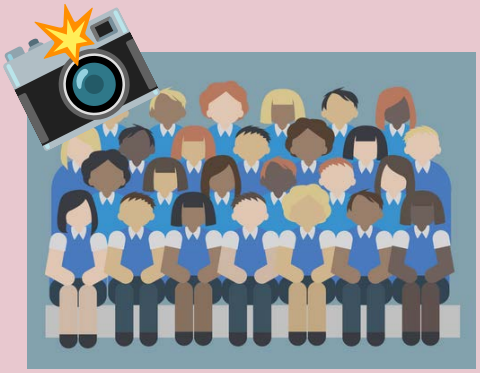
5 Reports

You will receive a Mini report in December and March and a full report in July updating you on academic progress, attendance, national curriculum assessment results (where applicable), and comments on behaviour and development.



CLASS PHOTOS

Monday 10 March



Don't forget to brush your hair!



NATIONAL CHANGES TO SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Planning a holiday?
Illness with no medical evidence?
Arriving Late after registers closed?
The Government has made changes to school attendance.

This could affect you!
If your child is absent for 5 days or more without permission or medical evidence you will face fines.

You can help yourself!
We can give you information, advice and guidance.
Speak to us for support.

How to keep your child healthy - click here



REMINDER THAT WE ARE A NUT FREE SCHOOL

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Please do NOT bring these food items to school















Little Clovers

Parent and toddler group (0-4yrs old)

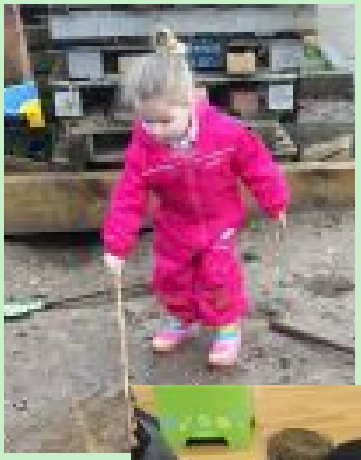
Fridays 9.30am - 11am

Clover Hill VA Infant & Nursery School

Rawley Road, Bowthorpe.

Every Friday, term-time only £1 per session.

Refreshments available











Little Clovers allows your child to experience and explore new surroundings inside and out along with making friends. Little Clovers is held in a safe and secure setting enabling you to relax and your child to gain confidence.



EGGCELLENT EASTER RAFFLE

PAYABLE VIA PARENTPAY OR BY CARD AT THE
SCHOOL OFFICE FROM WEDNESDAY 5 MARCH TO FRIDAY 21 MARCH

DRAW TAKES PLACE ON WEDNESDAY 26TH MARCH