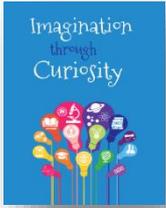


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## Claremont Primary School

### Newsletter 20<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Good afternoon everyone



This week, it has been the turn of our fantastic year twos to take their SATs. Well done to all of you and all of the incredible adults that supported the process, especially Mrs Levett, who made sure everyone and everything was in order!

It was our pleasure this week to celebrate and launch the new outdoor classroom. Our fabulous PTA, with your support, have been fundraising for this for a while; which we had to pause due to the pandemic. Mr Hume and his Outdoor Learning Strategic Team researched, sourced and worked with Mrs Cook to ensure tenders, policy and governance was compliant.

On Monday afternoon, we live streamed an assembly from the outdoor area to the whole school. We were joined by Mr Hume, Year 2, Natalie Jolliffe (vice-chair of the PTA) and Lucy Prior (an active PTA committee member). We were lucky also, that Mrs Polly Coupée joined them to take some official photographs. It was a huge community team effort part funded by you and part by us. Thank you! The children have now started to go in there; they are taking part in further developing it. We will keep you informed.

The PTA have also been very busy organising the infamous **Clarefest** which returns tomorrow after a two-year break! I hope all those that attend have an amazing time, and the weather holds!

Best wishes; have a great weekend!

Mrs Roberts and the charming Claremont team!



**Bags of Love:** Please can I ask if there is anyone who might be able to support transporting Bags to Folkestone. If so please do come forward and we can organise a collection day for those of you who would like to support this.



If you would like to join our team please do visit Kent Teach to see the exciting opportunities.

#### Vacancies:

1. [1:1 Teaching Support Assistant Teaching/Child Support at Claremont Primary School, Tunbridge Wells \(kent-teach.com\)](https://kent-teach.com)
2. [Teaching Partner \(TA\) Teaching/Child Support at Claremont Primary School, Tunbridge Wells \(kent-teach.com\)](https://kent-teach.com)

Our fantastic school kitchen had an unexpected visit from the Local Authority on 4<sup>th</sup> May 2022 to inspect our production kitchen and all associated hygiene standards. We are delighted to report that our catering team achieved the highest standard and are proudly displaying a 5\* Food Hygiene Rating. Our thanks go to Jordan and his incredible team for caring so much about all they do and the quality dining experience that they allow all our pupils, staff and visitors.

A white card from the Food Standards Agency (FSA) with the following information:

Food Standards Agency  
food.gov.uk/ratings

Name of business  
Claremont Primary School

Date of hygiene rating  
4/5/2022

Local authority name  
Tunbridge Wells

Authorising signature  
*[Signature]*

This sticker remains the property of the local authority



## 11+ Access Arrangements

If your child is sitting the 11+ in September and has special educational needs or a disability that may affect the way they access the test, please contact Mrs Smith to discuss as soon as possible. Her email is [senco@claremont.kent.sch.uk](mailto:senco@claremont.kent.sch.uk)

Any proposal for **alternative access requirements** must be made by the school by **12 July 2022**. When you register your child for the Kent Test online, you will also need to confirm that you have discussed a request for access arrangements with the school.



Huge congratulations to the Year 4, 5 and 6 girls who took part in the Cricket Tournament at Bells Yew Green cricket ground this week. Everyone had a wonderful afternoon and both our A and B teams played brilliantly.

The A team won their section of the competition and will go to the Kent finals later in the year.

Thanks to parents for their help and support and a particular THANK YOU to Mr Harfoot and Mr Andrews for their umpiring assistance.