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Claremont Primary School
Newsletter 10 September 2021



Hello everyone,

What a fast, first, full, fun week back! The sun shone like we haven't seen for a while!

I would like to say a huge thank you and very well done to all! Firstly, to all of our children and staff who are settling into the new 'old' routines of school life; to all of our new school children in Acorns and Saplings and those who have joined across the school in different year groups; to all of our new staff members; and also, to the community for their continued support. Finally, I would like to thank our Governors who organised a welcome coffee meeting for our new parents; it was very well attended and it was great to see parents on site after such a long time.

On Wednesday, we had a positive visit from our KCC School Improvement Advisor (SIA) Matt Dickson, who worked alongside Mr Care to monitor our science provision. He also checked through our Safeguarding procedures to ensure that we had everything in place for the start of a new term.

This week, we had a Full Governing Body meeting to secure the team for 2021/22. It was also an opportunity for them to question rationale, and discuss the proposed Strategic School Plan and key drivers for the school for this coming year. The key drivers were approved and so the plan will be available on the website soon for you to see. The strategic team leads will now be able to meet with their teams and put actions into place across this year to support the implementation and impact of the key foci in the best way to support and extend provision as you would expect.

On Thursday, some of the year 6 children sat the Kent PESE Test (11+). This, as always, was well organised by the year 6 team, Mrs Smith and the admissions officer- Jodi. The day was calm, the children were brilliant and very positive throughout the day. Well done all!

I hope the sun stays for the weekend and you all have a relaxing time with your family and friends.

Best wishes
Mrs Roberts and the attentive Claremont Team





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

Vacancies:

1. Assistant Head Teacher

[Assistant Headteacher Assistant Headteacher at Claremont Primary School, Tunbridge Wells \(kent-teach.com\)](http://kent-teach.com)

Update:

We have had a lot of interest in the position and a number of visits to the school from potential applicants.



Curriculum Newsletters

This term's curriculum newsletters are now on the website and you will be able to see what your child will be learning in the 'Discover' term. Select the 'Children and Learning' tab at the top of the page and then select 'Claremont – Our Curriculum'.

Drop in for parents and carers of children/young people with Autistic Spectrum Condition



(Your child/young person does not need to have a diagnosis)

These sessions will enable you to

- meet professionals who may be able to support you and your child. These may include a Specialist Teacher, a representative from the Kent Autistic Trust, a representative from IASK (Information, Advice and Support Kent), Early Help, Space 2 Be Me and other local organisations;
- ask questions and learn more about the support and information you can access through a range of services and recommended reading;
- consider your next steps;
- refreshments will be available.

Town sessions	Rural sessions
Held at Sunrise Children’s Centre, London Road, Southborough TN4 0RJ <i>(please wear face covering in centre)</i>	Held at Sunshine Room, Cranbrook Primary School, Carriers Road, Cranbrook TN17 3JZ
Tuesday 21 September 2021 - 1.00pm to 3.00pm Tuesday 11 January 2022 - 1.00pm to 3.00pm Tuesday 3 May 2022 – 1.00pm to 3.00pm	Monday 15 November 2021 - 1.00pm to 3.00pm Monday 21 March 2022 - 1.00pm to 3.00pm Monday 27 June 2022 – 1.00pm to 3.00pm

Please call Julie Goodfellow 01892 502455 or email Julie.goodfellow@stlsoutreach.org.uk if you have any queries



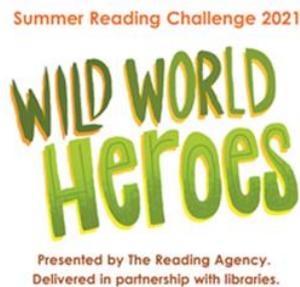
As part of the Wild World Heroes Summer Reading Challenge Tunbridge Wells library are celebrating Bees and how important they are for us and our natural world.

Would you like to enter a competition to finish our story, the V.I.Bee?

Check out the story online at Tunbridge Wells Libraries Facebook page

You could write the ending, create a storyboard for it, make illustrations, or write a poem inspired by it!

**The best three entries will win a prize
and be displayed on our Facebook page**



Spanish for kids at Claremont

Wednesdays after school - places still available

For children in all years from Reception to Year 6, an opportunity to acquire the language in the context of games, activities, and conversation. Focusing on fluency, vocabulary assimilation and exposure to the language.

Spanish is an ideal second language as it reinforces phonetic patterns and it is the second most spoken language in the world!

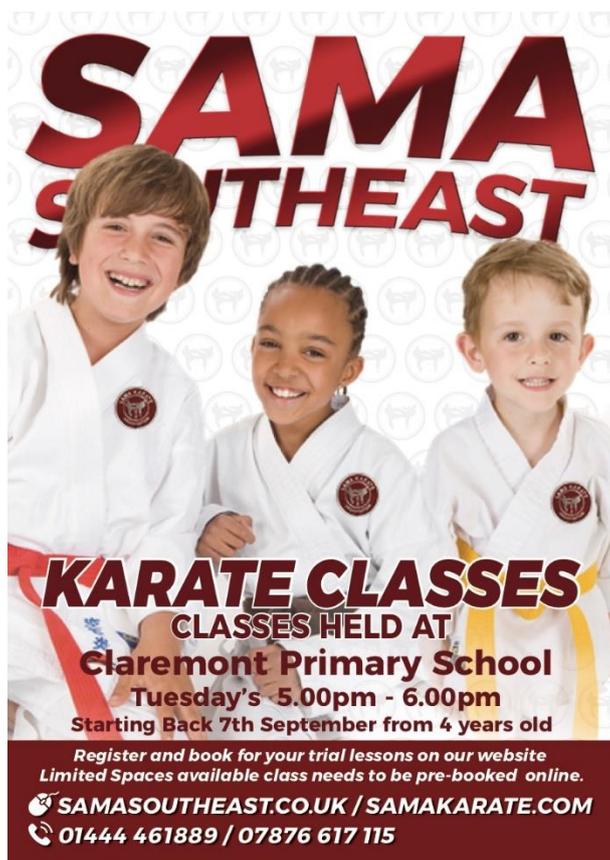
The course is designed to suit the needs of all kids, whether they can speak a little, a lot, or no Spanish at all.

We provide children with the tools to be autonomous in a second language, following their natural linguistic development, encouraging listening and understanding, and not stopping at singing and repeating.

The club is run by native tutors and provides engaging materials to support learning at home and prepares to students for language learning in Secondary School.

From the 20th of September, in the Library, £9/session

For more information or to book: Call/text 07549951122 aranbueno@gmail.com



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KARATE CLASSES
CLASSES HELD AT
Claremont Primary School
Tuesday's 5.00pm - 6.00pm
Starting Back 7th September from 4 years old

Register and book for your trial lessons on our website
Limited Spaces available class needs to be pre-booked online.

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