



The Anchor News

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REASON TO
HELP
PEOPLE

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Our values focus this half term is **Compassion**



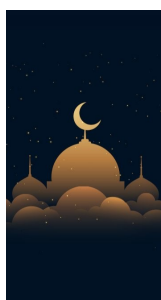
Hi,

My name is Mrs Akhtar and I have been a Teaching Assistant at St. Clement's for just over 13 years. It is a pleasure to work with amazing staff and children and I am still amazed by the beautiful smiles that greet me in the mornings.

This term in Year 2, we have been enjoying reading an alternate version to the traditional tale, Rapunzel. The children have been exploring the different characters and similarities and differences between the two stories. Next week, the children will be writing their own version of the twisted tale. Can't wait to read their amazing stories!



My goal as a Teaching Assistant is to help each child learn by whatever method he or she learns best. I also want them to be so excited about their learning that they'll want the desire to learn more. I firmly believe that everybody learns every day and life itself consists of a life-long learning journey.



Next week Muslims will be marking the end of the month of Ramadan with Eid-ul-Fitr. It is a joyous occasion where special prayers will be held, food will be prepared and gifts will be handed out. I would like to wish all the Muslims **Eid Mubarak** and hope you have a wonderful time.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend and see you all on Monday.

Mrs Akhtar - Teaching Assistant



Wednesday 19th May - Class Photo Day

The photographer will be in on **Wednesday 19th May** to take class photographs.

Please ensure your child is dressed in the correct school uniform.

Please note these are class photographs only.



Safeguarding: Council Services

Birmingham City Council have a range of services that they provide to their housing tenants and others. Here is a list of useful contact numbers for families. If you would like more information or support in accessing support from the council, then please contact Miss Akers.

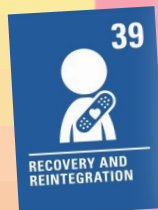
- Adults Social Care: 0121 303 1234
- Anti-Social Behaviour: 0121 303 1111
- Benefits (includes Housing Benefit/Council Tax Support): 0121 464 7000
- Child Protection - Concerned about a Child?: 0121 303 1888
- Council Tax: 0121 303 1113
- Domestic Violence: 0121 303 0368 or 0121 303 0369
- Emergency Duty Team: 0121 675 4806
- Environmental Health: 0121 303 6007
- Homelessness: 0121 303 7410
- Housing Repairs: 0121 216 3330
- Rubbish (Waste and Recycling): 0121 303 1112
- School Admissions and Pupil Placements: 0121 303 1888

UNICEF Rights of the Child

Article 39:

(recovery from trauma and reintegration)

Children who have experienced neglect, abuse, exploitation, torture or who are victims of war must receive special support to help them recover their health, dignity, self-respect and social life.



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- Don't forget -
Parent consultations
are
next week



Royal Mail Heroes Stamp Competition

Entry forms for this competition were sent home yesterday. There is a parent/carer letter on the back of the form with important information - please make sure you read this before letting your child enter.

You have just over 2 weeks to get your entries in.

Please return them to Miss Greene by **Monday 24th May**

Our school Walking Bubble map is to encourage families that travel by car to park at least 5-minutes away from school, creating a safer space for walking, cycling or scooting. By placing these restrictions, we also reduce the number of cars parked on pavements outside and close to the school gates, which is one of the main concerns parents have when walking to school. By parking five minutes away from the school gates and walking the rest of the distance, your family can still reap the benefits of an active commute while making school a safer place for all. You could even scoot from the boot – pack your child's scooter into the boot and let them enjoy the fun of scooting the rest of the way to school.

5-MINUTE WALKING BUBBLE

#StaySafeGetActive on your journey to school

St Clement's
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Protect our children

If possible, walk, cycle or scoot to school

If you have to drive, park at least 5-minutes away

Supported by the
Department for Transport

For more hints, tips and information please visit www.modeshiftstars.org/staysafegetactive

This 5-minute walking zone represents a distance of 400m measured as a straight line, based upon an average walking speed of 3-miles per hour



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