

Welcome to Year 5



Inspire tomorrow, today ...

Year 5 – Key Members of Staff

Mr Batty

Class Teacher

Miss MacPherson

Class Teacher

Miss Haden

Higher Level Teaching Assistant

Points of contact

In the first instance contact the class teacher / HL/TA.



Phase Leader (Mrs Kirkham)



Deputy Head Teacher - Mr Saunders



Head Teacher – Mr Murphy

SENCO – Miss Wigley

Inclusion Lead – Miss Evans

Welfare contact – Mrs Fielding

Office contacts – Mrs Elliot/Mrs Maxwell/Mrs Wynne

Communicating with school

- School Comms is how payments are to be made to the school office via the School Gateway App.
- SIMS Parent is our main method of communication with parents / carers. We will use this for homework details, important information and to celebrate achievement.
- Please follow our Twitter @claregatepri
- If your child(ren) is going to be absent from school, please email absence@claregateprimaryschool.co.uk, with the child's name and class in the subject, on EVERY DAY of their absence. It is vitally important that you tell us exactly what their symptoms are.
- Staff are unable to receive verbal messages on the gate — please phone the school office if you need to tell their teacher anything.

The Essentials

Attendance:

At Claregate 100% attendance is encouraged. If your child is absent from school for any reason then please let us know the reason why as soon as possible via absence@claregateprimaryschool.co.uk. All unexplained absences will be followed-up by our Child and Family Support Worker – Mrs Fielding.

Punctuality:

It is essential that pupils are ready to start learning at the start of the school day. All pupils must be in school by 8:45am each day. Pupils must not be on school premises before 8:35am unless they are in BATs.

The Essentials

School Uniform

All pupils are expected to wear full school uniform to school every day.

White shirt

Long / short grey trousers, skirt, or blue/white print summer dress

A school tie is compulsory along with a blue v-neck jumper

Sensible black school shoes (not trainers)

Extreme haircuts are not allowed

The Essentials - PE Kit

Your child needs to wear their PE kit to school on their PE days. They do not need to bring any other uniform with them.

Indoor PE – Friday

House colour t-shirt (Ruby-Red, Emerald-Green, Diamonds- Yellow, Sapphire-Blue)

Blue shorts (joggers over the top in cold weather)

Trainers (they will do indoor PE barefoot)

Outdoor PE – Monday

A plain dark coloured tracksuit may be worn over PE kit

Trainers

Year:	5	Claregate Primary School Curriculum Map (Long Term Plan)	Academic Year:	2023/24
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Subject	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Science	Earth and Space	Properties and Changes of Materials	Forces	Living Things and their Habitat	Animals Including Humans	Working Scientifically
Computing	Computing Systems & Networks	Creating Media – Vector Drawing	Programming A – Selection in Physical Computing	Data & Information – Flat File Databases	Programming B – Selection in Quizzes	Creating Media – Video Editing
Geography	North and South America		Fieldwork		Ironbridge	
History		Ancient Mayans		Anglo Saxons & Vikings		Wolverhampton Wanderers
Art & Design	Still Life			3D Modelling - Clay		Printing
Design Technology		Electrical Systems: Light boxes	Mechanical Systems Moving Toys		Food: Pizzas and persuasive packaging	
Music	Harvest Performance		Charanga – The Fresh Prince of Bel Air		Ukuleles	
PE (Hall Based)	Gym – Travelling & Turning	Dance Science - Space	Dance – Rock & Roll	Gym – ‘Viking’ Balance	Dance History	Gym – Abstract Angles
PE (Games)	Rules & Concepts (Invasion - Football & Netball)	Invasion in a Team (Hockey & Ball Skills)	Accuracy & Rallies (Net Games)	Leadership (Outdoor adventure)	Olympic Training (Athletics)	Striking and Fielding
RE	Christian prayer		Hindu, Jewish and Islamic prayer		Keeping the 5 Pillars of Islam	
MFL	My school, your school	Where I live	New Year, healthy eating	Colour, clothes descriptions	Weather and countries	Going to the beach
PSHE / Citizenship	Relationships		Living in the wider world		Health & Wellbeing	

Year 5 Expectations

- This year we aim to encourage your child to become more:
 - Organised
 - Independent
 - Confident
 - Self-motivated
 - Responsible for their own learning, actions and belongings!

So finally...

- Thank you for reading.
- Any questions or queries that arise during the year then please do not hesitate to contact us.