



CLEE HILL COMMUNITY ACADEMY

NEWSLETTER

FRIDAY 30TH JANUARY 2026



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ATTENDANCE

Class 1 – 95.67%

Class 2 – 94.98%

Class 3 – 94.82%

Class 4 – 97.37%

Class 5 – 96.83%

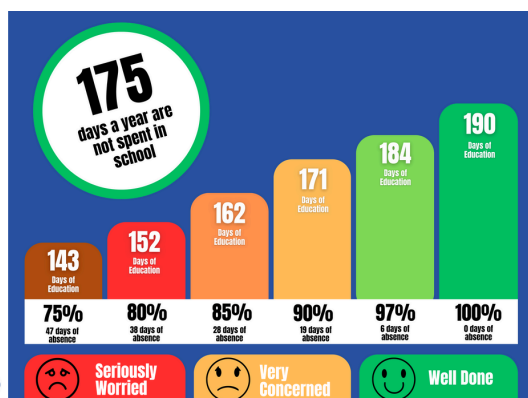
Whole School – 96%



**Good
attendance
means...**

Being in school
at least **97%** of
the time, that's
at least **184** days
a year.

Target 97% →



HALL OF FAME

Certificates

Class 1

Science - Raya
Maths - Silas
Writing - Phoenix
Reading - Marnie
British Values - Frankie

Class 2

Maths - Reeve
Reading - Jack
Writing - Zara-Rose
Praise - Isla J and Freddie S

Class 3

British Values: Ella
Praise: Joey, Fred
Maths: Neve
Reading: Charlie
Scientist: Aelfwynn

Class 4

TTRs: Matilda (Break-thought Artist), Blake (Rock Legend), Chase (Support Act)

Maths: Dottie
Science: Nancy
Handwriting: Amber
Reading: Evie

Class 5

Heidi – scientist
Lily – handwriting
Bobby – Maths
Molly, Evie and Misha - praise



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Dates for the Diary 2025-2026

Spring Term

05.01.26	PD day
06.01.26	Children back to school
07.01.26	Woodwind lessons starting on a Wednesday afternoon
15.01.26	Understanding your Child SEND group – parenting course (10 week course every Thursday 9-11 starting on the 15th January) / Class 1 visit to Goodheart Farm
19.01.26	New date for Year 6 and Year R height and weight screening. Please ensure that the office are aware if you wish to opt out.
04.02.26	Upper KS2 Girl's athletics festival.
09.02.26	Safer Internet Week: whole school focus on safety and assembly ran by digital leaders
11.02.25	Reading Miles - China
11.02.26	Supporting pupils with SEND at CHCA- Parent Group – 1.30-3.00
12.02.26	PTA Bake Off - Class 1, 2 and 3
13.02.26	Class 3 Egyptian Day / Last day of half term

THE GREAT CLEE HILL PRIMARY SCHOOLS BAKE OFF CHALLENGE

On Your Marks, Get Set... BAKE!

When: Thursday 12th Feb 2025

Who Can Enter: 1st round- class 1,2 & 3.

What to Bake: Anything sweet or savoury! Be creative!

(Important Note: All bakes must be made by the children)

Prizes: Star Baker & Runner Up awards!

Bake Sale: After judging, all entries will be on sale at school pick-up on the **12th Feb 2025** to raise money for the school!

Good Luck Bakers!

THE GREAT CLEE HILL PRIMARY BAKE OFF

ROUND 1
CLASS 1,2 & 3

ENTRIES TO BE IN BY
MORNING REGISTRATION
ON THURSDAY THE 12TH OF
FEB

Dress as a WORD Day

Spelling Shed



We're taking part in Dress as a Word Day on:

Thursday 5th March

It's time to express yourself!
Which word will you be?





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Half term

23.02.26	Back to school
26.02.26	PTA AGM – after school
04.03.26	Wonderdome – Planetarium experience for all pupils funded by the PTA
05.03.26	World Book day
06.03.26	PTA Quiz night
09.03.26	Science week
11.03.26	Ludlow Swimming gala
19.03.26	PTA Easter Filom night
20.03.26	Spring term data report sent home
24.03.26	Parent's evening – 2.30pm – 6.30pm
26.03.26	PTA Bake Off - Class 4 & 5
27.03.26	PTA - Egg Hunt
27.03.26	Last day of term - Maths Problem Solving am/ Board games pm

Easter holidays





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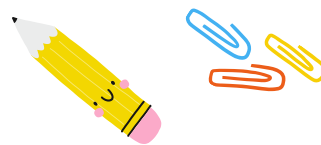
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Special Educational Needs

Parents and carers are invited to join the SEND team on Wednesday 11th February 1.30-3.00 pm in school.

This is an informal relaxed chat with coffee and cake and a chance to meet other families and help us put together our school SEND information to send to parents.

"Alone we can do so little, together we can do so much"



Well Done

CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulation to all of the children to achieved their January Travel Tracker badge this month. Some of the competitions have started to be returned with badge ideas for 2026-2027 and they are looking amazing! Keep up the hard work with walking to school.

Well done to our Anti-Bullying Ambassadors who gave an informative talk to our Governors this week about the work that they have been doing in school. They spoke about their training with the Diana Foundation to spot and safely challenge any signs of bullying behaviour as well as informing an adult. They confidently shared their message of kindness and inclusivity as well as speaking about the playtime Kindness Club who act as a friend to all. Heidi shared a wonderful vision of creating a community within our school where everyone feels safe, respected and looks out for one another. Princess Diana believed that young people can change the world and our group should be proud of the way that they are spreading this message.



REMINDER

- **Toast** – For Y3,4,5,6 is available on Arbor, deadline for payment is 9am Friday 13th February. unfortunately we are unable to add anyone to the list after this date.

- **CHAMPS** – Just a reminder the deadline for booking CHAMPS is 11am for that day. You will need credit in your Arbor account to be able book.

SCHOOL NOTICES



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LUNCH ORDERING

**DON'T
FORGET**

Innovate

Deadline for
ordering meals is
11pm the Sunday for
the following week.

**IMPACT
FOOD**

If parents/carers miss
the 11pm Sunday
deadline they will
need to email Impact
Food direct:

primary@impactfood.co.uk

If students are absent
due to illness,
parents/carers need
to email Impact to
request the meal is
cancelled:

primary@impactfood.co.uk

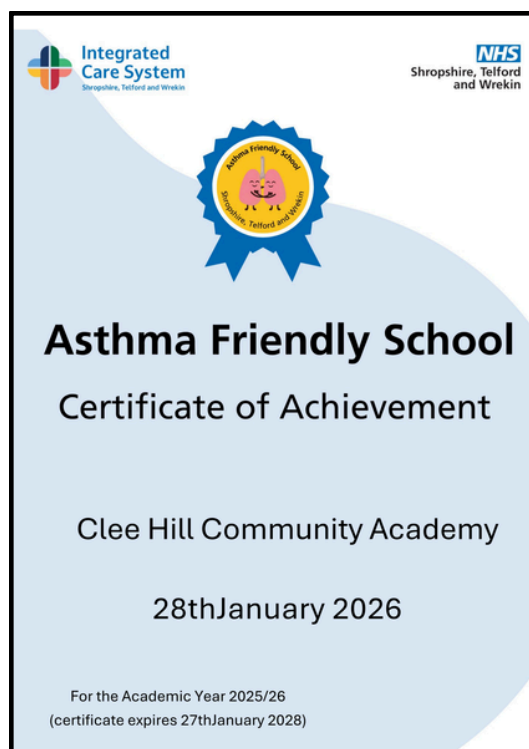


The January PACC newsletter is now available with lots of useful updates and information including;

- The National SEND Conversation event in Birmingham; what PACC heard from and told the Department for Education
- Information about phase transfers, and how to support young people with SEND as they move between different stages in Education
- Introducing the new SEND Inspection; coming to Shropshire soon
- How you can share your experiences on reasonable adjustments, EHCPs and social care

and lots more about things to do over the February half term. You can read the January newsletter here - [January Newsletter](#)

☀ We're proud to share some fantastic news! ☀ Clee Hill Community Academy has been recognised as a Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin Asthma Friendly School! 💛💙 We're delighted to have achieved this award, which reflects our commitment to ensuring that our school is a safe, supportive and welcoming environment for all children with asthma. 📄 We'll be displaying our certificate in school, and we're excited to celebrate this achievement with our whole school community.





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QUIZ NIGHT

**FRI 6TH
MARCH**

7pm start

Quiz host : George Buckley
Clee Hill village hall
£20 per team- maximum 6 in a team

To book your teams place
message
Jo Hiron- 07952843360
Becky Booton- 07972 270018

Funds raised for Clee Hill
Primary PTA



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DINOSAUR DISCOVERIES

**February Half
Term Family
Activity**
2pm - 3.30pm

£5 per
accompanied
4 - 11 year
old

Monday 17th
to Friday
20th
February

Make a dinosaur skeleton to take home.
Look at the size of dinosaurs and
their feet. Learn the meaning behind
some dinosaurs' names, other
dinosaur theme crafts and much
more!

shropshirehillsdiscoverycentre.co.uk »

Book Online »

info@shropshirehillsdiscoverycentre.co.uk
01588 676060
School Road, Craven Arms SY7 9RS
Grow Cook Learn, a registered charity: 1158795

Shropshire Hills
Discovery Centre

LUDLOW



February Holiday Clubs

at The Croud Meadow, SY2 6ST

For children aged 5 to 11, our holiday clubs are open to all abilities
with a focus on fun and sports! Groups of mixed age and ability.

16th to 20th February at The Croud Meadow, SY2 6ST

Scan the QR code or visit our website to book a single day
for £18

foundationstfc.co.uk/fun

Get in touch

E: admin@foundationstfc.co.uk T: 01743 289177 opt 6



Saturday 31st January

09.30 am to 12.00 noon

Ludlow Elim Church

Lower Galdeford SY8 1RT

Drop-off for Electrical items
9.30 to 10.30

One Portable Item Only
No TVs

Sewing Repairs now available
All items plus clothing must be washed/
cleaned

So ... Don't Bin it!
We will try to fix it if we can!
Call 07786 620 624
or email

ludlowrepaircafe@gmail.com

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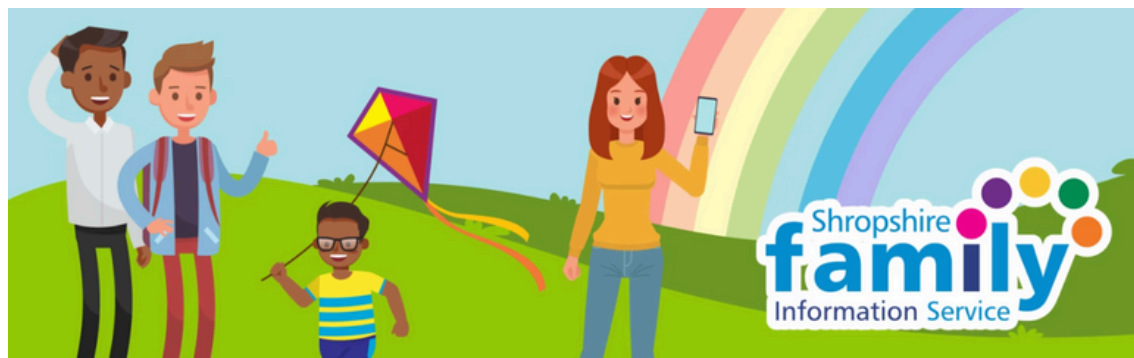
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Things to do

[Browse Things to do](#)



Family Support

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SEND Local Offer

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**Free advice and
support**

Free support

Best Start in Life

The government have launched a brand new website for families. Best Start in Life brings together trusted information and support from pregnancy through your child's early years and beyond. It has loads of really useful info including:

- Childcare and Early Years Education support
- Free breakfast clubs and wraparound childcare
- Childcare support eligibility checker
- Week-by-week guide to pregnancy
- Breastfeeding help and support
- Introducing solid foods
- Baby and toddler teeth care
- Learning to talk
- School readiness

You can also [sign up to receive personalised weekly emails](#) tailored to your stage of pregnancy or your child's age - with expert advice on baby care, childcare support and getting your little one ready for school.

Best Start in Life website

Coffee and Chat - Early Help support

You can get free Information, advice and support on all aspects of family life, at our Family Drop-Ins and Stay and Plays. You can chat, have a cuppa and see how we can help you with:

- Family life
- Parenting support
- Domestic abuse support
- Money worries
- Housing support
- Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND)
- and much more

To find your local drop in please visit the Family Information Directory

Coffee and chat sessions

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Drop in and chat to a Health Visitor

Did you know Shropshire Health Visiting Service run free drop-in clinics in Shrewsbury, Market Drayton, Oswestry, Ludlow, Bridgnorth and Highley?

Health Visitors can help families with children aged 0-5 years old. They can offer information, advice and support on a range of topics, including:

- Infant feeding and breastfeeding advice
- Child development
- Emotional health and wellbeing
- Parenting and local support groups
- Behaviour
- Sleep

If you would like support but are unable to get to a session, you can also get help by calling 0333 358 3654 or texting the team on 07520 635212.

Drop in and chat sessions

Shropshire Parenting Help and Support Line

01743 250950

Mon - Thurs, 9.30am - 4.30pm
Fri, 9.30am - 3.30pm

No judgment, just support. For all Shropshire families, including those whose children have special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND)



Does your child struggle with their sleep?

Free Sleep Tight Groups

Join us on one of our virtual or face-to-face groups and:

- Find out why sleep is important for our health and emotional wellbeing
- Get support to help improve sleep and bedtime routines
- Meet other parents/carers to share and discuss experiences

Sleep Tight Group Monday 12th January 2026 from 1.00pm to 3.00pm Virtually Via MS Teams
Sleep Tight Group Thursday 15th January 2026 from 9.30am to 11.30am Highley Primary School
Sleep Tight SEND Group Monday 23rd February 2026 from 1.00pm to 3.00pm Virtually Via MS Teams
Sleep Tight Group Tuesday 24th February 2026 from 9.30am to 11.30am Crowmoor Primary School

The groups run for 5 weeks excluding the school holidays

SEND groups are for parents/carers of Children who might have special educational needs and disabilities, no formal diagnosis is needed to attend the groups

To book a place email Parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk or call 01743 250950



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