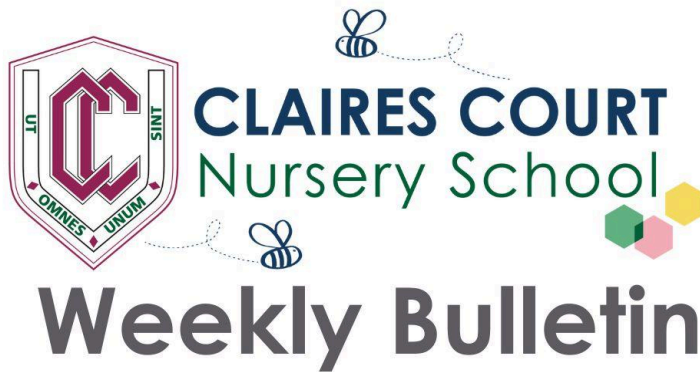


## NURSERY Words



**7 February 2025 (Spring Term Week 5) - complete and sent 4pm**

### Principal's Blog

Please read Mr Wilding's new blog for this week: [Proprietorial governance in times of change](#)

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### This week at Nursery...

The children's weekly focus was 'Sequences of the Day'. Understanding routines, day and night and now and next etc has been talked about during carpet time and directed activities.





This week's forest school is by far the children's favourite. Mr P takes them to the mudslide where they are able to have great fun sliding down and scrambling back up again.

This sort of play is extremely muddy and so much fun. The overall developmental benefits though are even more impressive:

- developing inner core
- strengthening limbs
- boosting their confidence and self-esteem,
- providing an avenue for energy release
- promoting brain development: risk-taking, decision-making, and communication, activate all our senses and increases our sensory awareness providing a richer learning experience
- gets the lymphatic system pumping which in turn boosts the immune system

- significantly reduces stress
- helps with self-regulation
- Positive emotional experiences



Bumble Bees have explored their senses, engaging in activities that promote sensory exploration. Please see [here](#) a link to useful information from Berkshire Healthcare



**Next week..**

Bumble Bees - Healthy Me/self care  
Busy Bees/Beehive - Clocks and time

**Reminders**

# Half-term Holiday Club



Exciting programme of activities!

Our fun-filled holiday camps are run by fully trained and experienced staff at our Juniors site.

**Prices from  
£38 per day  
9am - 4pm**

**Extended sessions  
available at a small  
additional cost**



## Love and Kindness Theme



### Monday 17 - Friday 21 February

Mini Mid\*, Mid Club (Year 1 - 2) and Kool Club (Year 3 - 6) all week. Sporty fun plus arts and craft-themed activities along with games and free play!



### Tuesday 18 February - Arts and Craft Xtra

Art and Craft Xtra - Time to get creative and have fun with your artistic talents. Create Valentine and seasonal artwork to impress!



### Wednesday 18 February - Cookery Xtra

Try creating some mouthwatering treats in our cookery sessions!



### Thursday 20 February - Multi-Sport Xtra

**Delicious hot lunches available to book!**

\*CC reception students only

To book go to [www.clairescourt.com/holiday-club](http://www.clairescourt.com/holiday-club)

## PTA Quiz Night - Friday 21 March

**Quiz Night**  
RUN BY CLAIRE'S COURT PTA

**QUIZ Night**

COLLEGE AVENUE  
FRIDAY 21 MARCH  
6-8PM

Have fun and raise funds for the CCF!

Tables cost £100 (max 10 per table) or £10 a head  
Tickets available at: [www.ccpta.org.uk](http://www.ccpta.org.uk)

SCAN ME

Mr Richards and Mrs O'Lee are hosting another popular Quiz Night on Friday 21 March 6-8pm in the Hall at College Avenue SL6 6AW. This event sold out in November, so book early to avoid disappointment. Tickets are £10 per person or £100 for a table of ten and can be booked [here](#). There will be a bar, card payment only, with thanks to the PTA and bring your own food or order food in. Any questions please contact Helen Phipps via [hep@clairescourt.net](mailto:hep@clairescourt.net).

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