



Clenchwarton Primary School Easter Newsletter - 25th March 2021



Hello everyone,

Easter newsletter.

The Red Nose day collection currently stands at £133.50. Thank you for your support.

Please see pages 3, 4 & 5 regarding a Creative Writing Competition for Clenchwarton children.

All entries can be posted to Clenchwarton Creative Writing Competition, The Old Rectory, Main Road, Clenchwarton, PE34 4AA. Or email your entry to gillian-piggott@hotmail.com, with a tagline 'Clenchwarton Creative Writing Competition.' Don't forget to attach your illustration, if you have created one.

For any questions about the competition, feel free to email Dr Gillian Piggott: gillian-piggott@hotmail.com. Please do not send entries direct to the school.

Arriving & Leaving School:-

Only one adult is permitted to come to the school - **please wear a face mask**. We ask that adults do not congregate outside of the school. In order to facilitate social distancing, staggered start and pick up times apply.

Times for different year groups leaving the school will be staggered to support social distancing - see table on page 2. Please arrive and pick up at the specified times - **if you have more than one child in the school please use the timing for the oldest child.**

Important message COVID-19:-

Could we please remind Parents/Guardians about the importance of letting us know of any positive cases as soon as possible by email to office@clenchwartonprimary.co.uk.

If you have any concerns, please telephone or email the school office. If your child has an appointment booked or is off poorly, please let the office know.

Have a safe and restful Easter break and we look forward to seeing you on Monday 12th April 2021.

Best wishes

Ms J Borley (Executive Headteacher)



Lunchtime Co

Please see the school website for the **new menu**.

Bookings via ParentPay, by midnight on a Sunday.



Thank you.



ParentPay Lunches

Please book school lunches via ParentPay before midnight on a **Sunday**. Thank you.

Please make any outstanding payments on ParentPay ASAP.

All payments will need to be made online as we are now a cashless school.

Free Schools Meals on-Line

Please visit:-

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>

Thank you.



School bubble times are as follows:-

Start Time	Finish Time
Rec = 9:00am	3:15pm
Year 1 = 8:40am	3:00pm
Year 2 = 8:50am	3:10pm
Year 3 = 8:50am	3:10pm
Year 4 = 8:50am	3:10pm
Year 5 = 8:40am	3:00pm
Year 6 = 8:40am	3:00pm

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Diary Dates

*Please be aware that dates are for guidance only and are subject to change.

Friday 26th March 2021	Break up for Easter Holidays-Bubble times apply.
Monday 12th April 2021	School reopens—Bubble times apply.
Monday 26th April 2021	Yr 6 –Internet Safety/Crucial Crew (Virtual in class during the school day.)
Monday 3rd May 2021	May Bank Holiday—School closed.
Wednesday 26th May 2021	Reception—National Child Measurement Programme (NCMP) and screening - during the school day. More details to follow.
Friday 28th May 2021	Break up for half term—Bubble times apply.
Monday 7th June 2021	School reopens-Bubble time apply.
Wednesday 21st July 2021	Break up for summer holidays.

Diary dates are also located on the school website.

After Schools Clubs

Please see the school website. All clubs are now fully booked.

PE/After School Clubs.

This is for your information:- Pupils to be shown how to dress appropriately for PE (appropriate clothing, long hair tied back away from the eyes, no hard head accessories)

Earrings. Ideally pupils will remove earrings however, pupils unable to remove earrings should make them safe by taping, front and back, which may offer a measure of protection. The taping should be sufficient to prevent the stud post penetrating the bone behind the ear should an unintentional blow be received from equipment such as a ball or a person. The taping may be done at home for younger children (as stated Safe Practice in PE and School Sport and Physical Activity 2016).

Morning Club

Spaces are available for the morning club which runs everyday in the hall from 7.40 am-8.40 am. If you would like your child to take part. Please email tccoachingsl@gmail.com or telephone 07876141107. If your child is not attending an afternoon club for any reason, please inform the school office with the reason. Thank you.

CLENCHWARTON CREATIVE WRITING COMPETITION
FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE
(Lockdown tales)

Are you a budding writer and a good artist?

Clenchwarton Primary School and a local academic have teamed up to hold Clenchwarton's Creative Writing Competition, where you can write creatively about your experiences during lockdown and illustrate your story with a brilliant image or two. Did you learn a new skill, did you explore Clenchwarton and find out about anything new, have you learnt some new games? Tell us about it!

The competition is aimed at children of all school ages with special categories for Reception youngsters (4 & 5 year olds) right through to Key Stage 2 young people.

The creative story can either be biographical (inspired by your own life experiences) or fictional (made up from your imagination). But the theme needs to be related to lockdown & to your understanding and experience of it.

We want to hear your tales of Clenchwarton lockdown – perhaps you'll write about how you spent the time and how you overcame your difficulties (eg. Boredom, staying in touch with friends). We'd also love to hear about your successes - about how you kept going or took up a new hobby. Tell us about your hopes and aspirations for the future, now that school is fully open. What differences will the unlocking make to your life, going forward?

You decide how you want to craft a story that is unique to you.

We'd also love you to feel free to illustrate your work, if you want to. You can attach a drawing to your work or even accompany it with a photograph, if you prefer.

Work, together with illustrations, will be displayed on a special website set up for the occasion.

There are three entry categories, and winners in each age category will receive a special prize!

The three entry categories are:

Reception Years: 4 – 5 year olds

Key Stage One: 5-7 year olds

Key Stage Two: 7 – 11 year olds

So get writing and get your entries & illustrations in ahead of the deadline, which is **Wednesday April 14 2021**.

If you have a chance, type your stories. But don't worry if you cannot do that. Handwritten stories are also welcome, and we'll type them up for you so they can be displayed online.

All entries can be posted to Clenchwarton Creative Writing Competition, The Old Rectory, Main Road, Clenchwarton, PE34 4AA.

Or

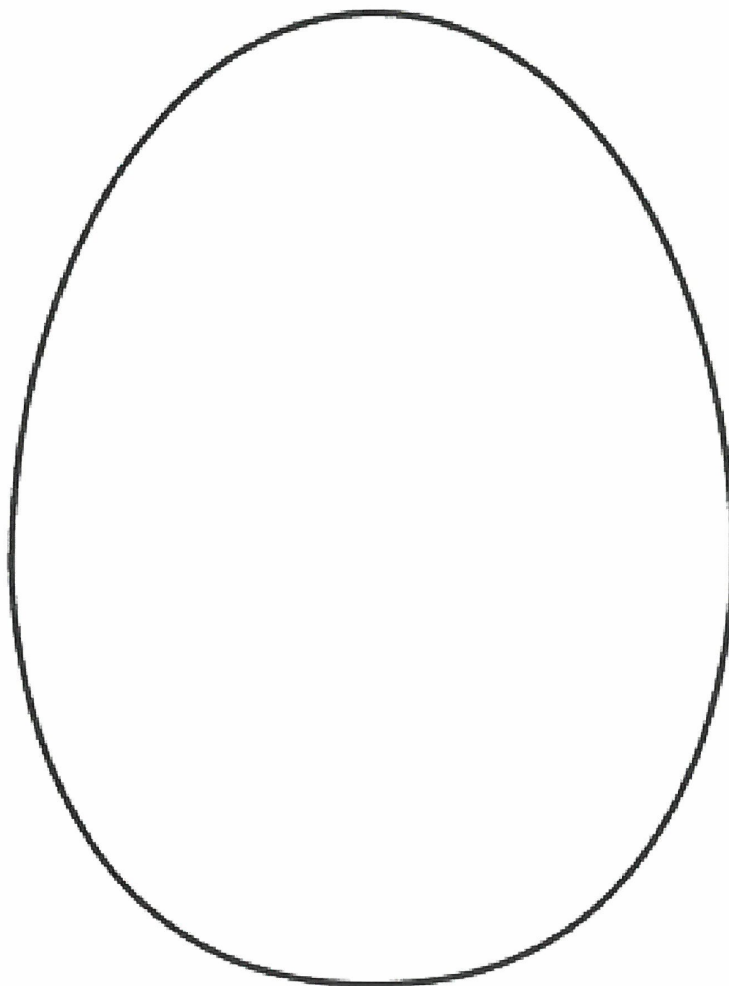
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**Colour in the Easter egg and pop it through the letterbox of our office, 17 High Street
(next to Santander) before 5:00pm on the 31st of March for the winner to be
announced on the 1st of April for a chance to win a hamper of chocolate Easter
goodies!**

(There will be 2 separate competitions for ages 6 and under & 7-11 years)



Name

Age

Contact Number.....

Signature of a parent or guardian

giving permission to enter the competition

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**Please tick if you are happy for Russen & Turner to take a photo of the winner with their
picture and use it in the local press and on social media sites.**