



**CLIPSTON ENDOWED VC  
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

**Be Kind ~ Be Your Best ~ Be Happy**

**Clipston Connects  
Number 25  
21st March 2025**

**“Do to others as you would have  
them do unto you” Luke 6:31**



Diocese of Peterborough

W/B 24/03/25	Regular Events	New / One-off Events
<b>Monday</b>	Reading Volunteers in school Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs	Full Governing Body Meeting
<b>Tuesday</b>	Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs	
<b>Wednesday</b>	Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs Brass Music Lessons. NMPAT Music Lessons	Parent Consultations - evening
<b>Thursday</b>	Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs	
<b>Friday</b>	KS1 French Club & Hotshots Basketball Rhino Wrap Around Care Clubs	EYFS & KS1 Mother’s Day Gathering 3.00pm - Hall



**News:** In Worship this week we discussed World Water Day in the context of the fashion model Georgie Badiel who set up the Georgie Badiel Foundation – a charity that brings clean water to the people of Burkina Faso and other countries in Africa, inspired by her childhood experiences walking miles each day to collect water. Mr Grindrod from the Diocese was observing Worship.

Afterwards, he spoke to Year 2, Year 4 and Year 5 children about their thoughts. The highlight of the week for the children was the hatching of the Living Eggs chicks! They arrived as eggs on Monday and the children have loved watching the chicks grow and develop. In other exciting news, a beautiful flowering cherry tree has been planted at the front of the school, donated by Mrs Mercer to mark her retirement. This photo shows the school during the renovation work in 1928, when there was a tree in exactly the same location. The children in Owl and Robin Classes thorough enjoyed chatting to Ian as he dug the hole and planted the tree! At the end of term, we will be running our annual Egg Decorating and Egg Rolling Competitions – please see attached flyer. We look forward to seeing Owl and Robin parents and their representatives for a special Mother’s Day presentation in the Hall at 3pm on Friday – all are welcome, not just Mums!



March	April	May
3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Life Education Sessions 6 <sup>th</sup> World Book Day – Pyjama Day 13 <sup>th</sup> National Reading Championship (selected Y5&6 children) 17 <sup>th</sup> Living Eggs arrive x 2 weeks 21 <sup>st</sup> Enrichment Day & Red Nose Day 26 <sup>th</sup> Parent Consultations – eve 27 <sup>th</sup> Kingfisher Trip 28 <sup>th</sup> Woodpecker Trip and Mother’s Day Presentation 3pm – for Owl and Robin parents/carers - Hall 31 <sup>st</sup> Parent Consultations – pm	1 <sup>st</sup> Easter Egg Competitions 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Parent Consultations pm 3 <sup>rd</sup> Easter Raffle 4 <sup>th</sup> Easter Service in Church 9.15am 4 <sup>th</sup> Last day Term 4 22 <sup>nd</sup> First Day Term 5 25 <sup>th</sup> Year 5 Swimming starts	5 <sup>th</sup> Bank Holiday 8 <sup>th</sup> Sparkenhoe School (Y2) to visit us 12 <sup>th</sup> Year 6 SATs Week 17 <sup>th</sup> School Association Summer Fete 21 <sup>st</sup> Whole School Photo 23 <sup>rd</sup> Poetry Workshop Day 23 <sup>rd</sup> Last Day Term 5

**Our Christian Value this term is **Forgiveness** – Forgive as you have been forgiven: Matthew 6:14-15**

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