CPS SECOND HAND UNIFORM SALE

3:00pm FRIDAY 23rd June

OUTSIDE THE SCHOOL GATES

SECOND HAND UNIFORM SALE SPECIFICALLY FOR CHILDREN AGED 4-6

PERFECT OPPORTUNITY TO GET SOME UNIFORM FOR CHILDREN STARTING IN RECEPTION IN SEPTEMBER

ITEMS FROM £1! CASH OR CARD





A warm welcome from your Parents' Association!

Claygate Primary School Parents' Association (CPSPA) would like to offer a warm welcome to parents and families of all children joining Reception in September 2023! Welcome to our School Community.

Who are the PA?

The Parents' Association strive to provide a structure through which the parents/families of children attending Claygate Primary School can work together with the Senior leadership team for the best possible school experience for our children. We want to enrich our children's school experience and create a community which we can all be part of and be proud of.

The main function of CPSPA is to raise funds and drive initiatives to enrich the educational and social experiences of our children at Claygate Primary School.

So far, this academic year (2022-2023) we have raised approximately £33,000, which has helped to support the Rainbow Room (a safe space for Emotional Literacy Support), a Reception Buddy Bench, safety signs for the road at drop-off and pick-up times, classroom resources chosen by class teachers, and contributions to the Claygate Community Pool.







Our aim is to create a positive and inclusive school, where school and home can be brought closer together! We would like to ensure all family members have the opportunity to get together socially, meet new people and, most importantly, have fun!



The PA is run by a team of Trustees and Committee members, who are all volunteers, assisted through a network of class reps and additional event volunteers. Every parent of a child at Claygate Primary School is automatically a



member of CPSPA. There is always an opportunity to get involved and help out 😊

PA Events

We run a wide array of events; a selection of which are noted below.

Christmas Bazaar – crafts, biscuit decorating, games, food and drink. And, if you're lucky, the big man himself may make an appearance!



Summer Festival – taking place in the summer term, this typically features an array of fun and games for all the family, some pop-up stalls from local businesses, food and drink and performances from our children and local groups.

Our Summer Party and Quiz Night give our parent body a chance to unwind and

get together under the banner of school fundraising.

Colour Fun Run – this year, the children ran a course around the Rec amongst a flurry of rainbow dowsed powder! Parents enjoyed a 5K race through the woods.

Ad hoc in-school events, such as the Jubilee picnic and Coronation event – fun and games for the children during school time to help celebrate key national occasions with their friends. This is what memories are made of!



Cake sales – weekly class cake sales are a fun addition to Fridays after school, raising regular 'extra' funds for teachers to spend for their classes.

Second hand uniform sales – regular second-hand uniform sales, usually after school on a Friday, to get those staple items at a bargain price.

Some useful information ahead of starting your CPS journey

Uniform Sales – We are running a second-hand sale for new Reception parents on June 23rd at 3pm outside the school office. We will be selling PE Kit, Summer and Winter uniform, with all proceeds going to the school. If you are unable to make it, there will be another opportunity to grab a bargain at the Summer Festival on 1st July.

<u>www.mynametags.com</u> – Shoes, clothes, bags... if in doubt, label it! From experience, it is always great to get ahead of the game and get these ordered early. If you purchase MyNameTags and enter the school ID (23444) at checkout, 24% of every purchase goes to CPSPA! We often get discount codes too, which we will circulate.

Class Representatives – 1-2 parents per year group volunteer to be a 'class rep'. They help feed information from class teachers and from CPSPA to parents. For Reception starters, these will often



be parents with older children at the school too, so they can give a helping hand! If you have any queries, please get in touch with us.

Summer Festival 2023 – get a sneak preview into life at CPS and join us at the Summer Festival on 1st July 12-4pm!

Getting involved

We are always looking for enthusiastic volunteers. Whether you wish to be a fully-fledged member of our committee, or to provide an hour of your time to help at one of our events – no matter how big or small – we are always grateful for support. Please email us <u>claygateprimaryschoolPA@gmail.com</u> if you are interested.

Look forward to meeting you all,

Emily Tye

CPSPA Chair, on behalf of the CPSPA Trustees, Committee and all volunteers

