



Dear Parents and Carers,

The Clare House Parent Teacher Association (PTA) would very much like to welcome you and your children to the school.

The PTA is a charity which raises money to provide Clare House with equipment and resources that will enhance your child's learning during their time at the school. We do this through a range of fundraising activities which we believe help to create a sense of community.

We've raised a total of £48,000 for the school since 2017, and we hope to continue to raise funds this year!

The funds raised over the years have paid for the Clare House Library and enabled us to provide our children with swimming lessons, educational equipment, laptops, iPads and a high quality music programme.

How do we raise money?

The majority of our funds are raised through organised events. These typically include a Christmas and Summer Fair, an annual quiz night, Spooky Disco, Film Night, Easter Egg Hunt and Ping Pong Night.

In current times, we're developing some exciting new ideas so that we can continue to raise vital funds for the school. These shall likely include select fun virtual events, so that everyone's safety is protected.

Visit www.pta-events.co.uk/clarehouseprimary and the school website to access other online fundraising options the PTA is signed up to.

Role of the Class Representatives

Our Class Representatives undertake an important role within the school community. This role connects parents with the school and PTA, fostering good communication for our children's benefit.

Role of the Committee and Volunteer Bank

All parents and carers automatically become members of the PTA.

There are two options open to you if you wish to have more involvement; the PTA Committee or the PTA Volunteer Bank.

The Committee oversees the day-to-day running of the PTA and organises fundraising events. The Volunteer Bank is made up of parents/carers who want to help on a more informal basis rather than joining the committee.

You can get involved with the PTA on many different levels, according to your preference and the time you have available.

You can also show your support by donating a raffle prize or sponsoring an event. You can donate time, money, items for sale, prizes or offers of services and skills. For example, recent donations included a Google mobile phone.

Are you a working parent?

Your employer may offer a 'matched funding' scheme. This means if you help at a PTA event, physical or virtual, your employer may match the funds raised.

Contact Us

We would love for you to be involved in what we do!

The PTA operates like a small business and requires a variety of skills to function. To get in touch please email pta@clarehouse.bromley.sch.uk.

Join us on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/groups/128746977207918>

Please read 'Our Guide to the PTA' on the school website.

On behalf of everyone on the PTA Committee, we really look forward to getting to know you and your children.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Clare House PTA