



Cranbrook Primary School Newsletter

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Thought of the week

"The more you practice the better you get."

Message from the Headteacher:

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are continuing our efforts from The Great British Spring Clean campaign run by 'Keep Britain Tidy' and thank you all for continuing to take litter home, recycling litter or putting it in the nearest bin. We love that the children and our Cranbrook community as a whole is making the effort to care about their school and take pride in being here and looking after the school.

Clean playgrounds mean a happy place for children to play, grow and discover and we love seeing the children enjoy their time outside in the playground. Please keep teaching the children the importance of not littering and setting the example for them. Thank you



Use of School Premises by Election Candidates

Election candidates are entitled to use school premises to hold election related meetings under the Representation of the People Act 1983. Their use of school premises does not mean the school is showing support. Cranbrook school remains impartial in all political matters.

Car safety:

All parents/carers, please remember it is a legal requirement for all passengers to be safely fastened into age appropriate car seats. UK law dictates that a child must use a child car seat until they're 12-years-old or 135cm tall, whichever comes first. Children over the age of 12 or more than 135cm tall must wear a seat belt.

Additionally, recent changes to the highway code have set out a hierarchy of road users, **placing pedestrians as the most vulnerable road users**, therefore placing emphasis on the need to give way to pedestrians crossing or waiting to cross a road into which or from which drivers are turning. These rule changes also make it clear that pedestrians should 'cross at a place where drivers can see you.' Please can we all work together to ensure the safety of everyone during school drop off and collection times by adhering to the Highway Code and looking out for our fellow travellers.

Key Dates

Term Dates for 2024

Summer Term 2024:

Monday 15th April-Tuesday 23rd July 2024

Half Term break:

Monday 27th May-Friday 31st May 2024

Monday 22nd April 2024-Monday 17th June 2024

Year 5 Red swimming lessons
(every Monday morning)

Tuesday 18th June-Wednesday 19th June

Year 5 Residential trip to Gilwell Park

Thursday 20th June 2024

Reception Red-Trip to Wellgate Farm

Reception Green-Trip to Wellgate Farm

Wednesday 26th June 2024

CFA Sumer Fair for all

Thursday 27th June 2024

Reception Yellow-Trip to Wellgate Farm

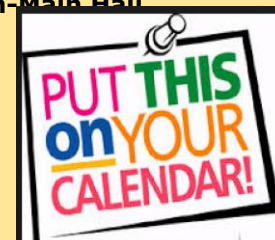
Reception Blue-Trip to Wellgate Farm

Friday 28th June 2024

All Year 4 Classes to visit Polka Theatre
Wimbledon

Tuesday 23rd July 2024

Year 6 Leavers Assembly to parents-
9.30am-Main Hall



Online Safety:

Managing Screen Time:

There is an increase number of parents seeking guidance about helping their children to develop a healthy relationship with technology.

Internet Matters have a series of tips and guides to help with this including setting up parental controls, finding other activities to do, agreeing on boundaries and more. Please click on the link below for further information.

<https://www.internetmatters.org/issues/screen-time/protect-your-child/#age-guides>

School Website:

I would encourage all Parents/Carers to visit the school website regularly to read and note new updates and information. It is full of key information. By the end of this week, we will have the updated curriculum overviews up for you to know in advance what we will be focussing on for the next half-term.

Update Contact Details / Emergency Information

If you have changed any contact details, such as phone numbers or your address, please let the school office know urgently, so that we can make contact in an emergency situation.

Information for Year 5 Parents-11+ Exam:

The 11 plus exam for 2025 entrance will be held on **Friday 20th September 2024** – this is the second year we are testing on a weekday as last year was a success, children who sit the test will be given an authorised absence from the primary school.

Registration will open on **1 May and will close at 5pm on 15 June 2024** – this is a strict deadline. It is not possible to register before or after these dates. **The registration period is shorter this month, please ensure your parents are aware! So please note the deadline.**

Parents must register their child when they are in Year 5 during the above registration dates on the following link, children will sit this exam when they are in Year 6: [Redbridge - Redbridge 11 Plus](#)

Looking after your Mental Health- Exercise:

You don't have to join a gym to introduce movement into your day. The best way for many living with mental health challenges and illness is to see exercise as a part of your lifestyle – not a chore you have to tick off your to-do list. Here are some clever (and fun) ways you can move.

Go Online

You can now do many classes online, from cardio, weight training, yoga, and Pilates. If you're not ready to join an in-person class or are sure that what you're doing is safe, online classes are a great option. They offer you the flexibility to exercise in your own time, your own space, and at your own pace, all while being instructed by a professional.

Move around your home.

Gardening or spring cleaning your home are great ways to be active. Not only are you getting your exercise, but you're also accomplishing other tasks – and that deserves two rewards!

Lost Property If your child has lost an item of clothing in school, please take a look at the **Lost Property Tubs**, which are located in the school playground by the green sheds.

If you have accidentally taken a blue batman scooter from the bike shed, please return it to the school office.



Tuesday 23rd July 2024

**Year 6 Leavers
Assembly to parents-
9.30am-Main Hall**

Family Maths Challenge:

Answer to last week's challenge: dimensions

THIS WEEK'S CHALLENGE:

What will be the answer if you are given a telephone and asked to multiply all the digits on the pad?



Sports Days Wednesday 3rd, Thursday 4th and Friday 5th July 2024

Please see the below dates for Sports days 2024:

Wednesday 3rd July – EYFS

Thursday 4th July - Years 1 to 3

Friday 5th July - Years 4 to 6

Hubs, ARP and Cube will have their Sports day separately.

More information will be shared in the following weeks.



Celebrating Eid

If you are celebrating Eid on Monday 17th June, please notify the school ASAP.



Attendance Winners

Well done to **Year 1 Yellow** for achieving **99.2%** attendance this week!

Remember **Good attendance= Good Progress**

Email address to report an Absence:

Please report any absence for your child on the email address below:

absence@cranbrookprimary.redbridge.sch.uk

Gold Awards:

Adriel. S, Yahya. K, Sarina. H, M. Musa, Ariana. A-1R, Liepa. R, Zayaan. P-1B, Shivay. K, Aaizah. P-2B, Moiz. A-4G, Jamina. K, M. Alawi, Zaynab. 2B, Fayyaz. A-2R, Anaya. W, Aizah. C-3R, Fatimah. K, Toha. H, Carolina. B-3G, Haziq. K-5B, Zuhatr. A, Tianna. S-5Y, Yaqub. A, Hareem. T-6B

Reception Star of the Week:

Naba. R, Hanain. S-RR, Maya. A, Syed Hussain-RB, Nicola. H, James. B-RG, Mustafa. R-RY

Achievement Awards for Computing :

Name	Class
Shayan. M	1R
Antonio. S	1Y
Tilak. P	1G
Hania. S	1B
M. Shameer. A	2R
Junaina. S	2Y
Muhammad Imran	2G
Enzo. Z	2B
Shayan. D	3R
David. M	3Y
Carolina. V	3G
Pranaya. A	3B
Suzana. I	4R
Abdullah. O	4Y
Deen. M	4G
Arya. K	4B
Ibrahim. Y	5R
Tianna. S	5Y
Usman. Z	5G
Syed Yahya	5B
Subhan. R	6R
Yaqub. H	6Y
Halimah. i	6G
Hareem. T	6B

Star of the ARP:

Matei. C



Rights Respecting: Article 38: All children should be protected from war. The means that all children under the age of 18 should be protected from the effects of war. We have learnt in history that in the past, children often experienced displacement and were made to evacuate their homes during wars. In PSHE and while watching news programmes we see how children are still impacted by wars today. We hope that one day no child will have to experience the effects of war. **Ahmed Raza 6B**

It is important that all parents, adults and children know the rights of a child. They should be followed always. They protect children from danger. By learning and following the rights of a child, we ensure we protect children and give them freedoms to express themselves.

Well done everyone!

CFA Summer Fair 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

Pupils, their families and friends are invited to our CFA Summer Fair at Cranbrook Primary School. The Fair will take place on **Wednesday 26th June 2024** from 3pm – 5pm. Entry is free and there will be a raffle, games, food trucks, face painting, Mehndi, toy stalls, clothes stalls, jewellery stalls, etc. Cash payments will be accepted on all stalls. Card payments will also be accepted on some stalls. Please help us by donating the following items by Monday 24th June - Reception, Year 1 and Year 2: Large family sized bags of sweets. Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6 a £1 donation. All pupils will be allowed to donate £1 on the day to come in non-school uniform and can wear Marvel or Disney costumes or Fancy dress instead. We look forward to seeing you all there for an afternoon of fun!

Cranbrook Spelling Bee Finalists:

A huge congratulations to all of the Cranbrook Spelling Bee finalists - You really were outstanding in your spellings! Well done to Aleezay 1R, Asim 1B, Yusuf 4R, Shanzay 4Y, Ibrahim 5G and Aiza 6G on making it to the final rounds - we wish them the best of luck for the 27th of June when they will compete against other schools in Redbridge.

	Red	Green	Yellow	Blue
Year 1	Ishika Aleezay	Ava Dhruv	Liyana Safwan	Aasiya Asim
Year 2	Sabah Paula	Iveith Bopagamage Muhammad Faizan Nawaz Janjua	Sumaiyah R. Hana U.	Gulrukh Afridi Shivay Kumar
Year 3	Lisan Minha	Husnara H Aryan A	Khadija Zoya	Isabella Almir
Year 4	Yusuf Chidumebi	Tazmeen Umaiza Yaasir Ahmed.	Shanzay Toqueer Abdullah Okelola	Ibrahim Aditya
Year 5	Hana Pandor Hemish Bissessur	Ibrahim Danyal	Salma Hoque Zuhayr Ahmed	Aditya Pandey Rezwana Washim
Year 6	Ismaeel W Thea	Aiza Yasin Abisha Asokhan	Mehran Nouri Yasin Rahman	Yaqub Ali Rafi Miah

Who Inspires YOU!

We would love you, our parents & carers, to share recommendations of individuals who inspire you or your children, especially from your own culture.

Your diverse insights will contribute to a variety of inspirations within our school community.

Please send them to:

**Admin.cranbrookprimar
y@redbridge.gov.uk**



Celebrating Cultural Connections-Celebrating diversity across our school:

Chris Jackson

Chris Jackson is a geologist and adventurer, who is currently a Professor at Imperial College London.

After completing a BSc and PhD in Geology at the University of Manchester, Chris lived in Bergen, western Norway, where he tried his hand at ice-climbing, sea kayaking, and sparsely bolted rock climbing routes. He then returned to the UK to take a full-time academic position at Imperial College.

His geological fieldwork has taken him to remote, and physically and mentally challenging locations, including the Argentinian Andes, the Borneo rainforest and the Sinai Desert in Egypt.

Chris appeared in 'Expedition Volcano', a BBC 2 series in which he and a team of international scientists undertook an expedition to two of the world's most volatile, spectacular, but least known active volcanoes on Earth, Nyiragongo and Nyamulagira, located on the border between the Democratic Republic of Congo and Rwanda.