

Newsletter

Cranford Primary School

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Message from the Head Teacher

Today we took part in Earth Hour as part of our Eco Schools initiatives. We switched off all lights, computers and gadgets for one hour to show symbolic support for the planet and to raise awareness of the environmental issues affecting it.

The children have all competed in an Easter challenge set by me this week. The lucky prize winners have all received their Easter Egg prize today. Parents should have received their child's Top Ten Easter Learning by now along with details of an Easter writing competition and our Bug Club challenge.

Our after-school clubs for the Summer Term can now be booked using Parent Pay. Fitness, health and creativity are all integral parts of the school curriculum and our after school clubs programme encourages children to develop skills in a variety of sports and to broaden their range of experiences and interests as well as helping parents balance work and family life. Clubs start on Monday 15th April 2024 and run until the last week of term with the final clubs being on Tuesday 23rd July 2024. If your child would like to attend a club, please log on to Parent Pay to pay the fees – spaces are allocated on a first come first served basis and clubs must be paid for in advance.

Today is the last day of the Spring term. Please note that this is a normal school day – school finishes at the usual times – 3.10pm to 3.40pm depending what class your child is in. The Easter holidays start on 29th March and run until Sunday 14th April. All children should be back in school on Monday 15th April for the start of the Summer term. Please note any absences occurring either side of school holidays will require medical proof of illness, otherwise the absence will be marked as unauthorised.

I wish you a peaceful and happy holiday.

Jasmeen Chana, Headteacher

*"The very first Easter taught us this –
that life never ends and love never dies"*



EARLY YEARS
ATTENDANCE
WINNERS

PINK CLASS

KS1
ATTENDANCE
WINNERS

GREEN CLASS

KS2
ATTENDANCE
WINNERS

SAFFRON
CLASS



Congratulations to the following children who were awarded a merit this week:

Avreet (4Scarlet), Kim (4Scarlet), Aliyah (4Scarlet), Larrisa (4Scarlet), Imran (4Scarlet), Nancy (4Topaz), Johar (4Topaz), Laila (4Topaz), Avni (4Topaz), Mya (3Ruby), Hannah (3Ruby), Jasnur (3Ruby)

Congratulations to the following children who have 100% perfect attendance - not a single day off school since September! Keep it up!

Nursery: Vanshika, Cezar, Mahirah, Jaice

Reception: Zayan, Haniya, Hanan, Radu, Igor

Year 1: Dominic, Samarveer, Aariya, Aarleen, Aloysha, Zakaria

Year 2: Riya, Sana, Aayat, Matvii

Year 3: Valonia, Vania, Vivianne, Samaira, Yahya

Year 4: Zainab, Avreet, Laith, Larrisa, Patrick, Diya, Rivan, Issa, Gianna, Shaylon

Year 5: Bushra, Sakina, Nathan, Nestor, Ayan, Greta, Safaa, Aleeza, Deepshika, Ubaidullah, Ayesha

Year 6: Mustafa, Zack, Arnav, Manha, Kaiden, Shea, Abdulrahman, Isabella, Sahebdeep, Oliwia



CPS After-School Clubs from only £3.50 per session!

We are offering an extensive range of after school clubs for the Summer Term. Fitness, health and creativity are all integral parts of the school curriculum and our after school clubs programme encourages children to develop skills in a variety of sports and to broaden their range of experiences and interests as well as helping parents balance work and family life.

Day	Clubs	Spaces Available	Sessions	Cost
Monday	Year 3 & 4 Football	20	12	£42
	Whole School Cricket	20	12	£42
	Whole School Art	10	12	£42
Tuesday	Whole School Dodgeball	20	14	£49
	Whole School Girl's Football	20	14	£49
	Whole School Geography	10	14	£49
Wednesday	Whole School Basketball	20	14	£49
Thursday	Reception & KS1 Football	20	13	£45.50
	Whole School Gymnastics	20	13	£45.50
	Whole School Cooking	10	13	£45.50
	Key Stage 2 Singing	12	13	£45.50
Friday	Whole School Dance	20	11	£38.50
	Year 5 & 6 Football	20	11	£38.50

Clubs start on Monday 15th April 2024 and run until the last week of term with the final clubs being on Wednesday 23rd July 2024. If your child would like to attend a club, please log on to Parent Pay to pay the fees – spaces are allocated on a first come first served basis and clubs must be paid for in advance. Refunds will not be granted and we reserve the right to withdraw a club if there is not enough interest.

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Opal Class Update

In Opal class we experienced several festivals including Ramadan, Holi and Easter through story-telling and sensory activities like making lanterns, splashing paint on T-shirt templates and creating an Easter garden.

Nadia and Mehtaab also joined their classes in Early Years for a fun workshop.

Happy Easter, love from the Opal Class team.



House Points are awarded to children for having a positive attitude to learning for example by persevering and not giving up, by being a good role model to others and by making improvements to their work.

We have counted up all the tokens awarded this term and the winners are FIRE House.

Congratulations to all the children in FIRE House who have received extra playtime this week as a reward.



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Stress Awareness Month 1-30 April

Since April 1992, every April, **Stress Awareness Month** is held to increase the public awareness around both causes and cures for the modern-day stress epidemic.

Stress and mental health challenges are one of the biggest public health challenges faced in Britain.

There are many lifestyle factors that can contribute to stress, which may lead to further mental health problems. Some themes that may cause stress include: work, family, financial problems, health.

74% of people feel so stressed they have been overwhelmed or unable to cope (Mental Health Foundation and YouGov)

www.nhs.uk/every-mind-matters/mental-health-issues/stress/

www.youngminds.org.uk/professional/resources/stress-bucket-activity/

www.mind.org.uk/information-support/types-of-mental-health-problems/stress/managing-stress-and-building-resilience/

www.nhs.uk/every-mind-matters/mental-wellbeing-tips/self-help-cbt-techniques/



Young people in Hounslow can text a school nurse for confidential advice and support:

07507 333176

Learn more at: bit.ly/ChatHealthPrivacy

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PE arrangements at Cranford Primary School – Summer 1 Timetable

On the days your child does PE they must come to school wearing their P.E kit. They will stay in their P.E kit for the duration of the day. Please find below the days that your child will be required to wear their PE kit.

Year Group	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Reception			Blue, Pink and Red (Dance)		
Year 1	Violet (Target Games)	Lime, Green (Target Games) Violet (Invasion)			Green and Lime (Target Games)
Year 2	Yellow (Invasion)		Purple and Gold (Invasion)	Purple, Yellow and Gold (Striking and Fielding)	
Year 3	Aqua and Ruby (Tennis)	Aqua and Lilac (Cricket)	Lilac (Tennis)	Ruby (Cricket)	
Year 4	Topaz and Scarlet (Football)	Topaz and Scarlet (Ball Skills)	Indigo (Ball Skills)		Indigo (Football)
Year 5	Emerald and Crimson (Basketball)		Sienna (Basketball)		
Year 5	Emerald, Crimson and Sienna (Swimming)				
Year 6					Magenta, Saffron, Ebony and Amber (Tag Rugby)



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Tesco In-Store Vote!



Please vote for Cranford Primary School in your local Tesco stores so that we can win a Stronger Starts grant. We would use this money to provide additional sensory equipment which will encourage learning through exploration, curiosity, problem solving and creativity.

Voting will commence in store from the first week in April 2024 and run until the end of June 2024 and will be available in the following stores:

Powder Mill Lane Express, Feltham, Bear Road Hanworth, Feltham Dukes Green, Bedfont, North Feltham, Hounslow Staines Road, Hanworth Express, Bath Road, Isleworth Express, Osterley Extra, Twickenham Extra, Hayes Bulls Bridge, Heston North Hyde Road.

To vote, you will need to make a purchase within store of any value. You will receive one token per transaction and it's not necessary to purchase a carrier bag in order to receive a token.

Please vote for us!



Little City visited our Reception children this week. Little City is a mobile role play city where the children are the grown-ups whether that be the hairdresser, the firefighter, the builder, the café owner and much, much more. Our children had a fabulous experience and became thoroughly immersed in the learning experience.





MULTI-ACTIVITY CAMP

From 09.00am till 3.00pm

Half-day option now available



Paid places
from
£19.00
per day

8th to 11th April 24

Craft

DANCE

SPORT

COOK

Ofsted
Registered

PLAY

laugh

LEARN

ART

LUNCH



The Holiday Activities
and Food Programme
(HAF)

How do I book a free
place?

Once your voucher has been received through the Holiday Activity system. You will be able to follow the link from that voucher to view all the activities available for the relevant holiday. It is one voucher code that has 4 credits over Easter.



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ENTRY VIA WOODFIELD ROAD

Book now at: www.ohmcoaching.co.uk

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Dates for your Diary

29th March – 12th April
- Easter Holidays

15th April – Start of the
Summer Term

25th April – Year 1
Vaisakhi Assembly

26th April – Maths Day

23rd May – Positive Day

24th May – INSET day –
school closed

27th – 31st May – Half
Term

Let's Get Reading at CPS!

Parents are reminded that children should be logging into their Bug Club account once a week.

After Easter there will be prizes for the best class readers.



London Borough of Hounslow

ONE HOUNSLOW FAMILY HUB

FAMILY HUB FUN DAY

FREE EVENT FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

08 APRIL
12PM – 3PM

Come along to find out more about Hounslow's Family Hub offer, and take part in fun activities!
Here's what you can expect:

- ✓ Petting Zoo
- ✓ Soft Play
- ✓ Face Painting
- ✓ Soft Archery
- ✓ Arts and Crafts
- ✓ Circus Skills
- ✓ Music and Movement

REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED!

This is an inclusive and accessible event for all children, young people and their families. If you will need any assistance on the day to support accessing this event, please email: familyhub@hounslow.gov.uk

📍 Feltham Assembly Hall, Hounslow Road, Feltham, TW14 9DN



Rights Respecting School:

This week we have been focusing on Easter and Holi. We have been learning about Article 31:

“Every child has the right to relax, play and take part in a wide range of cultural and artistic activities.”

Music is an important part of school life as it enhances children's moral and spiritual capabilities. Each week we will be sharing songs from the model music curriculum, which is used in our music teaching at Cranford. We would encourage and welcome your support by playing the music at home and discuss with your child what instruments they could hear, did they enjoy the music and how it made them feel.

This week's song:

[Life is a Wonderful Thing](#)



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