

Newsletter

Cranford Primary School

Issue 5: 6th October 2023

Message from the Head Teacher

We are looking for a new parent governor. Being a governor is important, interesting and satisfying. Governors have the opportunity to express their own views, to listen to the views of other representing the school and its community and to influence our pupil's education for the better. As a CPS governor you would work in partnership with other governors and school staff to help shape the future of the school, to decide the key issues that will help staff continue to raise standards and to determine how the school will best spend its money to achieve these aims. If you wish to apply please complete the candidate form attached to this newsletter and return to Sara Edet, PA to the Headteacher, via the office email address which is office@cranfordprimary.hounslow.sch.uk by 16th October 2023.

Well done to all of the Year 2 children who put on a fabulous Harvest Festival assembly on Tuesday. It was clear that the children had done lots of rehearsing and it really paid off. Thank you to all of the parents who came to watch and also those who donated food items. These will be donated to the local food bank.

Next week the Book Fair returns to Cranford Primary School. This is a much loved tradition at our school which really gets the children excited about books. Reading for pleasure is transformative for pupils' academic success and personal wellbeing. This pop up shop never fails to inspire and excite the children by bringing books to the heart of our school!

Please remember that next Friday is our Legends of Time History Day. Children are invited to come to school dressed as a historical figure or someone who is a legend to them.

Jasmeen Chana, Headteacher

The more you read, the more things you will know."

























EARLY YEARS
ATTENDANCE
WINNERS
PINK CLASS

KS1
ATTENDANCE
WINNERS
YELLOW CLASS

KS2
ATTENDANCE
WINNERS
SAFFRON
CLASS



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

Manha (6Ebony), Samraj (6Ebony), Declan (5Sienna), Kartik (5Sienna), Khadijah (1Lime), Calvin (1Lime), Ayush (1Green), Ishmeet (1Green), Sivasurya (6Magenta), Velany (6Magenta), Nathan (3Aqua), Hana (3Aqua), Setayesh (2Yellow), Musa (2Purple), Inaaya (2Purple), Najem (2Yellow), Asra (2Gold), Hamza (2Gold), Ali (5Crimson), Antonina (5Crimson), Hallie (RRed), Arvin (RRed), Evan (RPink), Abdulmuizz (RPink), Bianca (4Topaz), Laith (4Topaz), Zainul Kabir (3Ruby), Rajvi (3Ruby), Fravaloyn (4Indigo), Amine (4Indigo)

On Friday 13th October we will be celebrating Legends of Time day which will link to Black History Month.

For this, each class will be focusing on a significant black person through time, learning about their achievements and what makes them special.

This day will include a day off timetable with children taking part in a range of fun activities and then presenting their learning to the other classes in their year group, in the afternoon.

We encourage children to dress up for this day as a 'Legend of Time'. This could be a historical figure or someone who is a legend to them.



Come along to our first autumn term coffee morning.

An opportunity to meet other parents and staff, have a chat and share your ideas.







DATE WEDNESDAY 18TH OCT

TIME 9:30AM

LOCATION KS2 HALL

CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION

This school is proud to be a

MUSIC MARK SCHOOL

In recognition of a commitment to providing a high-quality music education for all children and young people

2023 - 2024



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We are pleased to announce that we received a Certificate of Recognition from Music Mark in acknowledgement of our commitment to providing high quality music educations to our children. Thank you to Miss Miah and Miss Safir for leading on this initiative and ensuring that our school is filled with the sounds of singing and music.



We are excited to announce that the Book Fair will return to Cranford Primary School next week. The Book Fair will take place in the KS1 courtyard after school on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 3.10pm until 4pm.

Hounslow School Nursing Service

World Mental Health Day 10th October 2023

"Mental health is a universal human right"



World Mental Health Day is about raising awareness of mental health and driving positive change for everyone's mental health.

Good mental health allows us to cope with challenges, connect with others and thrive throughout our lives. It's vital and deserves to be recognised and respected.

Talking is good for your mental health. And talking about mental health is important. But starting a conversation isn't always easy.

Top Tips on talking about your mental health - Choose someone you trust to talk to; Think about the best place; Prepare yourself for their reaction.

Top Tips on talking to someone about their mental health – Find a good place to talk without distractions; Listen & ask questions; Ask how you can help. (www.mentalhealth.org.uk)

> ww.hycscounselling.co.uk www.youngminds.org.uk

www.papyrus-uk.org

World Mental Health Day 2023 | Mental Health Foundation















Cranford Primary School Berkeley Avenue Cranford Hounslow

Head Teacher: Mrs Jasmeen Chana



An Engaging and Exciting Environment where your child can flourish.

Come and Join us for

Reception Open Day

We have four sessions available. You can email admissions@cranfordprimary.hounslow.sch.uk or call the school office on 0208 759 0305 (option 3) to book a spot for the open day. You are welcome to bring 2 people to the viewing

> Morning session-Wednesday 22nd November at 10am Afternoon session-Wednesday 22nd November 2pm Morning session-Wednesday 29th November at 10am Afternoon session-Wednesday 29th November at 2pm



































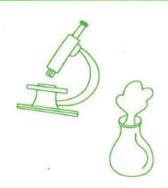


Parents of children currently in Year 6 must apply for their children's secondary school place by 31st October 2023. The online application portal is already open so please do not delay. If you are not sure how to apply please come and speak to the office staff at your earliest convenience. If you do not apply by 31st October it is highly unlikely you will get a place at your child's preferred school.



September 2024

Secondary **School Transfer**



Children born between 1 September 2012 and 31 August 2013 will transfer from primary school to secondary school in September 2024.

The closing date for applications is 31 October 2023

Please read the 'Secondary School Transfer September 2024' brochure carefully before completing your application. A copy can be downloaded from our website.

Hounslow residents must apply online at www.hounslow.gov.uk/secondaryadmissions





For advice and guidance contact the admissions team on 020 8583 2711 or admissions@hounslow.gov.uk







Dates for your Diary

Book Fair in school - 10^{th} - 13^{th} October - 3.10 pm - 4 pm

History Day (Legends of Time) - 13th October

Coffee Morning - 18th October 9.30am

Half Term - 23rd - 27th October

Parents Evenings - 7th and 9th November - times tbc

Year 5 Diwali Assembly - 10th November

Christmas Fayre - 8th December

Christmas Jumper Day - 8th December

Early Years Christmas

Nativity performance - 12th

December

KS1 Christmas Carol Concert - 14th December

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Class Parties - 19th December

Last Day of Term - 20th December

Teacher training day - 21st December

Christmas Holidays - 21st December to 7th January

Back to school - Monday 8th January 2024

Free School Meals for ALL Children

All children from Reception to Year 6 are now eligible for free school meals. Parents must book their child's school meals in advance - the deadline is midnight the night before to order a meal for the following day. You can pre-order meals all the way up until half term. To order your child's lunch you will need to log onto your <u>ParentPay</u> account.

The school menu for this term can be found on our website.

This is a fantastic opportunity and we hope you take up the offer of free, healthy, hot dinners freshly prepared on site by our cooks.

Rights Respecting School:

This week marks the start of Black History month and we are focusing on 'opportunities'. We have been learning about Article 29 (Goals of Education):

"Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full. It must encourage the child's respect for human rights, as well as respect for their parents, their own and other cultures, and the environment".

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 - Give it all you got: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oJmyY2yR9



