

Newsletter

Cranford Primary School

Issue 1: 5th September 2025

Message from the Head Teacher

Welcome back to the new academic school year. It is lovely to see all the children back in school looking very smart in their school uniforms, refreshed from their holidays and ready to learn. I am pleased to see that the children seem to have settled in very well to their new classes.

As you know, I am acting as the Interim Headteacher until Mrs Chana returns at the end of October. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

I would like to welcome some new staff to the school. Our new class teachers are Miss Sufi in Blue Class, Miss Spencer in Lime Class, Miss Gonzales in Gold Class, Miss Sarwa in Ruby Class, Miss Abdi in Topaz Class, Miss Hussaineh in Crimson Class, Mrs Kaur in Emerald Class and Miss Mir in Ebony Class. I am confident that all of the new staff will be a great asset to the school.

Our school motto continues to be Learning Hand in Hand – Partners in Education and with that in mind I look forward to working closely with you all over the coming year to ensure that your child achieves to the very best of their ability.

Kiran Khbra, Interim Headteacher

“Today is the first page of a new book. Make it a good story!”



**EARLY YEARS
ATTENDANCE
WINNERS
BLUE CLASS**

**KS1
ATTENDANCE
WINNERS
LIME CLASS**

**KS2
ATTENDANCE
WINNERS
EBONY CLASS**

Don't be late through the gate!

5 mins late every day	3.4 days of learning lost every year
10 mins late every day	6.9 days of learning lost every year
15 mins late every day	10.3 days of learning lost every year
20 mins late every day	13.8 days of learning lost every year
30 mins late every day	20.7 days of learning lost every year

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

There are 13 weeks of non-school time throughout the year and this is the time during which holidays must be taken. If you have older children who attend secondary school you should remember to check their term dates before you book a holiday as term dates do not always coincide. Please note any absences occurring either side of school holidays will require medical proof of illness, otherwise the absence will be marked as **unauthorised**.

When booking routine medical and dental appointments every effort must be made to book appointments out of school hours. Evidence will be required in advance of the appointment.

London Borough of Hounslow

**ATTENDANCE MATTERS,
CHECK YOUR CHILD'S
TERM DATES BEFORE
BOOKING A BREAK**

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
		swimming 5pm				
					end of term	
holiday begins!						
						Amy's BD party

For more info

**Thinking short term with your
child's education, can have a
→ long-term impact**

PE arrangements at Cranford Primary School – Autumn 1 2025

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 whole 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 – Intro to PE		
Year 1	Lime - Dance	Violet and Lime – Fundamentals Green – Dance			Green – Fundamentals Violet - Dance
Year 2	Yellow – Yoga	Gold – Fitness	Purple and Yellow - Fitness	Purple and Gold – Yoga	
Year 3	Lilac and Ruby - Gymnastics	Lilac and Ruby – Hockey		Aqua – Gymnastics	Aqua - Hockey
Year 4	Scarlet and Topaz – Dance Indigo - Fundamentals	Indigo - Dance		Topaz – Fundamentals Scarlet - Dance	
Year 5	Sienna and Crimson – Fitness		Emerald and Crimson – Volleyball	Sienna – Volleyball	Emerald – Fitness
Year 6		Amber – Football		Magenta, Ebony and Saffron – Fitness and Football	Magenta, Ebony, Saffron and Amber – Fitness and Football



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CPS After School Clubs 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.

NO CLUBS FOR RECEPTION IN THE AUTUMN TERM

Day	Clubs	Spaces Available	Sessions	Cost
Monday	Year 1 to Year 6 Table Tennis & Badminton	18	14	£49
	Year 3 & Year 4 Football	22	14	£49
	Year 1 to Year 6 Geography	10	14	£49
Tuesday	Year 1 to Year 6 Gymnastics	22	13	£45.50
	Year 1 & Year 2 Football	18	13	£45.50
	Year 3 to Year 6 Art	10	13	£45.50
Wednesday	Year 1 to Year 6 Dance	18	14	£49
Thursday	Year 1 to Year 6 Cricket	22	13	£45.50
	Year 1 & Year 2 Art	10	13	£45.50
	Year 1 to Year 6 Cooking	10	13	£45.50
Friday	Year 5 & Year 6 Football	22	13	£45.50
	Year 1 to Year 6 Basketball	18	13	£45.50

Clubs start on **Monday 8th September 2025** and run until **Thursday 18th December 2025**. Please refer to the **Autumn Term 2025-2026 After School Club Dates** list for all Club dates and any dates where Clubs will not be running due to alternative school events.

Clubs run from the end of the school day until 4:15pm for Key Stage 1 Clubs, until 4:25pm for KS2 Clubs and until 4:20 for mixed (Yr1-6) Key Stage Clubs. Please collect your child from the Berkeley Avenue entrance.

Please note, if the Club falls on a day when your child does not have PE, then they will need to bring their PE Kit to change into at their Club. Children should also bring a drink and a healthy snack for refreshment.

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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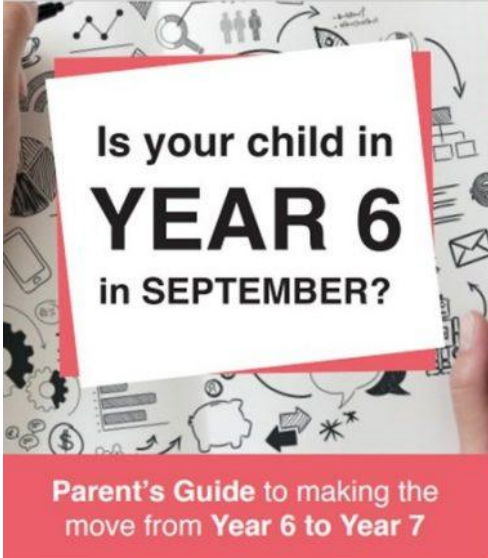


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**Cranford Community College
Open Evening**

We look forward to seeing you on:
Thursday 11 September 2025
6pm – 8pm

Headteacher talks at 6.35pm and 7.30pm



**Is your child in
YEAR 6
in SEPTEMBER?**

Parent's Guide to making the
move from **Year 6 to Year 7**

You can apply for a new Year 7 secondary school place for September 2026 if your child was born between 1 September 2014 and 31 August 2015.

If you're unsure, you can check which [application you should use for your child at their age](#).

You can apply from Monday 1 September 2025.

The application deadline is midnight on Friday 31 October 2025.

If we receive your application after the deadline, it will be classed as late and only considered after all on-time applications have been processed.

If you need it, you can read our [user guide for making an online application \(PDF\)](#).

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Dates for your Diary

24th October - Teacher training - school closed






27th October - 31st October - Half Term

3rd November - Back to school

19th December - Last day of school - pick up after lunch

22nd December - Friday 2nd January - Christmas Holidays

5th January - Back to school





FREE PARENT WEBINAR: THE FLU VACCINE IN CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE


Join us for a presentation discussing the flu vaccine in children and young people.

Topics covered:

- ✓ Why does my child need the vaccine
- 💡 Side-effects and safety
- 👤 Nasal vs injection (pork gelatine content)
- 📊 Flu data from previous years
- 🗣️ Q&A session

 **Wednesday 17th September**


 8:00 - 9:00pm





📍 Microsoft Teams - scan here

👤 login: 363 003 291 454

🔒 password: jc3J83z5

 **Thursday 18th September**


 6:00 - 7:00pm



📍 Microsoft Teams - scan here

👤 login: 310 543 675 209 5

🔒 password: gT7P9ci3



Diary Dates

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: Back in school again

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/articles/z2cpm39>



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