



# Crosby Ravensworth C.E. (A) Primary School

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## Friday Bulletin 12<sup>th</sup> January 2024

Dear Parents,

### Parent Survey 2024

It's important to us that we know how well we're running our school and what we might do to improve. We'd like to ask all of our families to complete a short online survey with twenty box-ticking questions to help us discover your views. The link will be open for one week from today. Please let us know if you're having trouble making it work. Thank you.

<https://forms.gle/ktr4bJs1XjPXb5rV6>

### Year 6 SATs

Apologies for two errors in last week's information to Y6 parents:

- The week of Year 6 SATS tests was incorrectly stated. **SATS week will take place during the week commencing 13<sup>th</sup> May 2024.**
- Parents of children in Year 6 are invited to attend a meeting about preparations for SATs tests in school on **Thursday 25 January at 3.30 pm.** (not 18<sup>th</sup> Jan as previously stated). Any parents unable to attend can contact me to arrange an alternative date.

### Young Rotary

All children in school are invited to enter pieces for the Young Rotary writing, art or photography competitions. Children in class 2 will be given opportunity to produce the writing in class. The theme is broadly on the topic of 'rebuilding'; artwork and photographs require a short sentence on the rear side to explain how the piece relates to 'rebuilding' along with the entrant's name and age. Written pieces must not exceed 550 words. All work must be given to Mr Priestley by Monday 29<sup>th</sup> January and will be passed on to Appleby Rotary Club for external judging. Winning pieces may go through to regional and national finals competitions. For more details, [see the rotary website.](#)

### Residential at Hawse End

There will be a meeting for parents and children in Years 5 and 6 going on the residential, to give more information about the activities etc. It takes place at 3.45 pm at Bolton School on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> February.

### Swimming Gala

The annual Swimming Gala will be taking place at Appleby Pool on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January. Children from Year 2 and all of Class 2 will be taking part. Details of which events your child is taking part in will follow shortly.

### Swimming

We'd like to give fair warning that all our pupils, from preschool upwards, will receive daily swimming lessons at Appleby Leisure Centre throughout week beginning 29<sup>th</sup> January. On Monday 29<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> January please could children arrive promptly to school at 8.45 and come **pool ready**. The bus will depart for swimming at 9 am. Thank you.

### Lake District Animal Park

All of class 1 including pre-school will be visiting Lake District Animal Park on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January. We will be visiting in school hours. Your child will need warm clothes and a waterproof coat. Freda will provide a school packed lunch, if you would like your child to bring a packed lunch from home, please let Pauline know. If your child does not attend pre-school on a Monday, please complete the permission slip below.

### Pop in and Play

["Pop in and Play"](#) morning will be on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February. All Children currently not in school or pre-school, from birth to 5 years are welcome to join from 9.30am until 10.30am for fun and games. Please phone to let us know if you'd like to come. Parents must accompany children who attend. Please help pass on the message to anyone who you think might also like to know.

### Wednesday After school Club

Wednesday clubs this term will be art with Andi starting on 10<sup>th</sup> January. This is always a popular and fun club, so if your child is interested, book early and join in the fun. Please note that there will be **no After school Art club** on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> February.



Duncan Priestley  
Headteacher

### Summary of dates for your diary

Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	Lake District Animal Park Class 1 trip
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> January	Swimming Gala
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> January	SATS meeting for Y6 parents at 3.30pm
W/C Mon 29 <sup>th</sup> January	Swimming lessons
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> February	Pop in Play
Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> February	Y5 & Y6 Hawse End meeting at Bolton school, 3.45pm



### Lake District Animal Park

I give permission for my child ..... to attend the Lakes District Animal Park on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January.

Signed ..... Date.....