



Crosby Ravensworth C.E. (A) Primary School

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Dear Parents,

All the staff have thoroughly enjoyed seeing the children back in school this week. It's been quite a relief to get back to work after such a long time and we'd like to thank you all for the wonderful job you've been doing in supporting them with their remote learning. We're very encouraged with the early signs of how they've continued to progress this year despite the obvious difficulties. We've set a parents' evening for 28th April to update you on where we feel the children are with their learning and how they've settled back in. This is most likely take place through 'Teams' or telephone for those with access difficulties.

Keeping Warm

In order to keep the classrooms well ventilated, we are leaving windows open in the school during the day. This can sometimes make it a bit chilling, so we are recommending that the children wear an extra layer, eg a vest, to ensure they don't feel cold.

Comic Relief

Comic relief, raising funds for needy causes in Africa and the UK, will take place next Friday (19th March). Children who would like to participate may dress in any red clothing for the day and should make a donation to the charity directly [through their website](#) or by [texting](#).

Construction work on school site

From 17th – 23rd March construction workers will be working to install an extension to the outdoor play canopy alongside class 1. The area will be cordoned off to keep children away from any potential danger. We're grateful to the trustees of the school for their support in helping to fund this project to improve our outdoor learning space.

Free to a good home

We have a playmobile house to give away that needs collecting from school reception and assembling. This is available on a first come first served basis.

Recorder

Recorder sessions have recommenced this week and will run every Thursday for all Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 pupils. Over the course of their three years of sessions, each of our pupils is able to leave our school with an understanding of musical notation – something I am particularly passionate about. The sessions are given by our expert peripatetic teacher, Carolyn Fyfe. We seek a voluntary contribution of £10 per term towards the cost of this, which we would appreciate in the next couple of weeks. This represents excellent value for parents, being considerably less than the norm in other schools.



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New After School Clubs

I'd like to remind you of the great selection of After School Clubs that are operating for what remains of this half term. Have a look at what's on offer and please don't forget our discount offer where anyone paying for four clubs in a week can attend the fifth free (transferable across siblings).

Monday – Obstacle Course with John. The return of an old favourite!

Tuesday – Circus with Toni. Test your Circus skills and learn some new ones!

Wednesday – Craft Club with Karen. An array of craft activities; something different every week!

Thursday – Regency Rebels with Carolyn. Be part of history with this fabulous club!

Friday – Dance club with John. Learn some groovy moves and have some fun!



Duncan Priestley
Headteacher

Diary Dates

Comic relief	19 th March
Break up for Easter (2pm)	1 st April
Summer term starts	19 th April
Parents' evening	28 th April
Sponsored Walk	26 th May

After school club - Week beginning: 15th March 2021

£4 a session or 5 for £16 (this can be split across siblings)

Please tick which sessions you would like your child to attend:

Monday – Obstacle Course	<input type="checkbox"/>	Thursday – Regency Rebels	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tuesday – Circus	<input type="checkbox"/>	Friday - Dance	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wednesday – Nature Craft	<input type="checkbox"/>		

Breakfast Club – 8am or 8.30am (£3 from 8am and 50p from 8.30am)

Monday	8.00am	8.30am	Thursday	8.00am	8.30am
Tuesday	8.00am	8.30am	Friday	8.00am	8.30am
Wednesday	8.00am	8.30am	(Please circle requested time)		

Child's Name

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A love of learning for life in all its fullness. John 10:10
Courage, Compassion, Community.



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