

Crosby Ravensworth C.E. (A) Primary School

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Dear Parents,

It's been a term not without its challenges, but we've made it safely through to Christmas without too much fuss. That's not something that every school in the country can say, so we're very thankful for small mercies and also thankful to all the parents who've continued to follow the guidance around COVID 19 and prepared your children well for the challenges of staying safe and controlling the virus. Let's hope 2021 brings more joy and cheer, not just to us, but to everyone around the world.

Covid 19 contact tracing over Christmas

I feel it my duty to make parents aware that it is still theoretically possible that I might be required by public health England to contact every family over the holidays to ask them to isolate for ten days. In the event that a child or member of staff were to experience symptoms of COVID 19 up to Sunday afternoon and that to be followed by a positive test result, then all contacts would have to be traced back to our last afternoon in school. Depending upon how long it were to take for test & trace to report the outcome of the test to me, I could be required to pass on the unfortunate news as late as Christmas Eve. While very unlikely, such an unfortunate set of circumstances would be devastating to the whole community and that is a wretched series of phone calls that I hope not to have to make.

Class 1 Trip to Church

Class 1 had a fantastic time on Tuesday when they visited the church with Alex and Jill. They all helped decorate the church for Christmas, and we would encourage you to pop in when you have a chance to see the great work they have done.













Holy Joe – our Christmas nativity

The children were absolutely thrilled to see the premiere of 'Holy Joe' at the Alhambra Cinema yesterday. Paul Bale did a wonderful job of filming and producing it, and we're very grateful to him for his considerable expertise. Despite having sent the copies of the production by recorded first class delivery on Monday morning, they have yet to arrive in school. Knowing the pressures on the postal system this year, we did make some contingencies so you can watch the nativity over Christmas by visiting Paul's youtube link here. Thanks again to the Friends of the school for financially supporting this.

Family Christmas Takeaway

Please find attached to the bulletin some great Christmas activities sent through by Wordsworth Grasmere – a little family fun for a rainy afternoon!

New After School Clubs

We have another great selection of After School Clubs to choose from for next half term. Have a look at what's on offer!

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

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

Wednesday – Animation Club with Mrs Nye. Settle down to some fabulous films from our collection.

Thursday – Ukulele Club. Due to popular demand, we're excited to announce the return of Ukulele Club. Why not come along and give it a go?

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

Duncan Priestley Headteacher















After school club - Week beginning: 4 th January 2020						
£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			Thursday – Ukulele			
Tuesday – Craft			Friday	Friday - Dance		
Wednesday – Animation						
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						









