



Cranford C E Primary School

Working together for all children to prosper, be full of hope and be excited about their future.

NEWSLETTER

Friday 6th November 2020

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Headteacher: Mr R Albert

Dear Parents & Carers

I hope this edition of the newsletter finds you healthy and well. This newsletter marks my second anniversary at Cranford and I am so proud of the journey that the school has been on in that time. Thank you for your part in that ongoing journey.

The children have been absolutely magnificent on their return to school this week and continue to be focused on their school work and being the super young people they are. Again, it's important to thank you for your ongoing support and commitment to the school along with the education of your children. We continue to follow all of the guidelines and regulations that are in place to keep the children and staff as safe as possible. On this, I have read that many local schools are asking parents to wear face masks at drop-off and collection times. As we are not allowing parents on to the school site, it's not our place to ask the same of you. If you feel more comfortable wearing a mask at these times please do so, continuing to socially distance when waiting for your child.

Things are different in the lockdown world. This weekend sees Remembrance Sunday with limited services and next week, our own Remembrance Service on the 11th will be different than usual. We will, of course, mark the occasion, joining in with the 2-minute silence and the teachers will discuss the important messages behind the poppies and snap-bands that they are buying in school (thank you for your generosity with this).

CSD Activity Camps are continuing to offer after-school care for our children and with the cancellation of many community sports and activities for children during the November lockdown, these provide further opportunities for our children to remain active. Contact them via their website, www.csdactivitycamps.co.uk, for more details.

Hopefully, by the time we return to school after the weekend, there will be a clear decision regarding the next American President - it'll be a nice change from the wall-to-wall coverage we've been having! In the meantime, have a relaxing weekend (at home) and we'll see you all next week.

Mr Albert

RECEPTION 2021!

We have had a number of after-school tours with parents looking to send their children to our Reception class in 2021 so if you, or someone you know, is looking for a school for their little one, please get in touch and make an appointment.



We're supporting Children in Need 2020 next Friday!



We're helping to raise money for children who desperately need our support in 2 ways this year:

1. Friday 13th November—Mufti Day (Fancy Dress can be worn) - **£1 (minimum) donations please!!!**
2. We want to make a "Loose change Pudsey"! Please send in any spare copper or silver coins to help us out!



NUT FREE SCHOOL



THANK YOU

Upcoming dates:

Wednesday 11th November

Remembrance Day

Friday 13th November

Children in Need Mufti Day

Friday 11th December

Christmas Jumper Mufti Day

Friday 18th December

End of Term

December – Christmas Performances

EYFS and KS1 will be taking part in a Nativity.

KS2 will be taking part in a Carol Concert.

Performances will be taking place remotely, details to follow.

Please make sure you have a Youtube account set up ready!



Follow our twitter account:

@SchoolCranford

To keep up to date with what's happening....

A prayer to for guidance

Dear Lord,

We pray that our lives are not impoverished by neglect,
Nor burdened by indulgences.

Help us lives our lives in condition for high endeavours.
Grant that we may never be content to rest in satisfaction,
And to ease when we could struggle.

Help us to accomplish good work,
And be the best version of ourselves.

Amen

Safeguarding Matters

Always be aware of what children are doing when they're on mobile devices (phones, tablets and laptops), computers and game consoles. Make sure they're only accessing age-appropriate content and games, whilst talking to them about the dangers of talking to, or sharing information with, people they don't know.

If you're concerned about the well-being of any child or adult please speak to either Mr Albert, Mr Tyman or Miss Kirby (our safeguarding leads). For out of hours concerns please contact Northamptonshire MASH (multi agency safeguarding hub) on: 0300 126 1000 (option 1) or out of hours: 01604 626 938.

Contact Details



Please remember to contact the school office if you change, or have changed, your address, telephone numbers or email address.

A message from St John's Church...

Christmas Child shoebox collection

Thank you to everyone who contributed boxes, items and donations towards the Christmas Child shoe box collection. Our benefice collected 104 boxes, which is a magnificent number and way beyond our expectations.

These will bring 104 children great joy.