



CROSSHALL CLOSE UP



CROSSHALL JUNIOR SCHOOL WEEKLY UPDATES | W.E. 13.10.23

Dear Parent/ Carer,

In our ambition to be the **kindest School in the World:**

- the Year Six children were praised for being the best children that the Legoland tutors had ever worked with;
- the children, parents, and staff raised over £800 for Macmillan and approximately £300 for Jeans for Genes;
- a child gave his Tooth Fairy money to help other children at Crosshall;
- the House Captains have been selling disco tickets, as well as counting and redistributing the house point tokens;
- Year Three have been learning about how to care for animals, during the visit from Wood Green;
- a group children were praised for helping a local woman;
- a visitor commented on how respectful the children are in school;
- our Class Ambassadors are supporting their classes, teachers, and visitors;
- all the class leaders are busy in their roles;
- our school has been chosen as the face of award winning Times Tables Rockstars, used in over 15,000 schools across the country!

The staff are so proud of our school

We look forward to seeing you at the Parent and Child Learning Reviews next week

Anne Eardley | Head Teacher

UPCOMING EVENTS

wc 16th October
Parent and Child Learning Reviews (PCLRs)
week [LETTER](#)

17th October
3CD & 3RP Toothpaste Workshop [LETTER](#)

20th October
Celebration Assembly 9:00am - Invite Only
3LG & 3LR Toothpaste Workshop [LETTER](#)

wc 23rd October
Half Term Week

wc 30th October
School Begins
Book Week [LETTER](#)

1st - 7th November
Book Fair

2nd November
Meet & Greet Author Jack Meggitt-Phillips

3rd November
Fancy Dress Day [LETTER](#)

8th November
Dads Who Read - Library Event

10th November
Open Day

15th November
#AskCJS session

17th November
Celebration Assembly - Invite Only
Children In Need Charity Day

20th November
Flu Immunisation Day [LETTER](#)

30th November
Edinburgh Bonus Day
House members wear token blue

1st December
Christmas Decoration Day

NO MOBILE PHONES AND NO ELECTRONIC DEVICES IN SCHOOL

Reminder that pupils must not bring a mobile phone to school or use one within school grounds, and should not bring in mobile phones or (any other form of communication device, including Air Tags) to school, except in exceptional circumstances about which the school has been informed.



Mobile phones, Air Tags, and electronic devices are not permitted during the school day, on residential trips, or school journeys.

All school policies can be found on our website [HERE](#)

YEAR SIX: APPLY FOR YOUR SECONDARY SCHOOL PLACE

Reminder for Year Six parents to apply for your child's secondary school place by the end of this month.

Full details and information on application timeline [HERE](#).

DEADLINE: Apply by 31st October.



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PARENT VIEW QUESTIONNAIRE

Each year, we ask parents/ carers to take part in **our Parent View Questionnaire**. Please head to this link <https://forms.gle/KRoeUJyS3RyXuKUL8> and complete our anonymous survey. Results will be shared in due course. Thank you!

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS AND ACTS OF KINDNESS

Well done to Katie, 5MM who has complete fifty 5k Park Runs earning her a special T-shirt to mark the milestone. A fantastic achievement at nine years old!



Well done to Eleanor, 4JE who climbed to the top of Mount Snowdon on 7th October and raised £200 for St Neots' foodbank, while also earning her charities badge in Brownies in the process.



Blake, 3LR carried out an act of kindness this week when he used his Tooth Fairy money to help children at the school. Blake received a Head Teacher Award for demonstrating such kindness. Go Blake!

ONLINE SAFETY TIPS

Many of our children play video games on a variety of devices which can be a very positive experience. Internet Matters have created a guide of parental controls for games created by EPIC, the creator of games like Fortnite and Rocket League, which may be helpful. Visit the website [HERE](#)

ARTSMARK - GOLD AWARD FOR CROSSHALL JUNIOR SCHOOL

We are delighted to announce that we have been awarded an Artsmark Gold Award for 2023. This is a fantastic achievement in recognition of our fantastic arts provisions. More details [HERE](#)



GOOGLE CLASSROOM ACCOUNTS

All children now have access to a variety of tools through their Google Apps for Education accounts.

Parents should not use these accounts to contact teachers.

As part of our Online Safety curriculum, we teach children not to share accounts, and whilst we ask parents to monitor use at home, if a parent uses the account it is contrary to the lessons children are experiencing. Teachers have been asked not to respond to messages sent through the Google Classroom

If you wish to contact your child's teacher please email the school office office@crosshalljunior.co.uk.

Thank you for supporting our children in their learning of online safety.

Assembly Theme Next Week:
Looking After Our Environment

NUMBOTS	
COINS	Nathaniel R
IMPROVED	Nathaniel R

TTRS HOUSE BATTLE NEXT WEEK: Cardiff v London		
	SPEED	Nicolas D
	COINS	Callum P
	IMPROVED	Dylan G

ASK YOUR CHILD A QUESTION:

Year Three What are the five animal welfare needs?

Year Four Name one type of rotation in gymnastics?

Year Five Can you write today's date using Roman numerals?

Year Six What are features of journalistic writing?