Our Vision and Values

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Mrs Bennett's Blog

Thursday 2nd May 2024

Hi Everyone,

Thank you to everyone for kindly donating last Friday for our children to take part in the colour run to raise money for St Lukes church new lights It was a great success, raising £343.78 and the children had so much fun seeing how much colour they could attract to their bodies...











Dojo is a great communication tool in our school to share stories of what is happening in school and for families to be able to message staff, when I look through all of the stories- it really does reflect the vibrant, exciting, above and beyond curriculum offer our children receive at Crossflatts Primary School. Staff are available to send and answer messages during school hours which are 8.00am to 4pm Monday to Friday. In order to protect all staffs work life balance, any messages or emails received outside of these hours will be answered the next school working day. Our school office is open from 8.00am to 4.00pm and therefore we are able to answer telephone calls during these hours. After 4pm our school answer phone is switched on where parents are able to leave messages or please do email office@crossflatts.bradford.sch.uk and these message will be answered the next working school day.

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Our new lunch menu goes live from Monday 6th of May- please ensure you order you child's lunch in the usual way as this is a new menu and replaces the old on the booking system, all of the old orders you may have made for the coming weeks will be deleted. Therefore it is essential to book the meals your child would like ready for Tuesday next week.



Friends of Crossflatts

Friends of Crossflatts hold monthly meetings, one in person and one via Zoom. Our focus at the moment is planning Rose Day. All are welcome to attend.

Our next meetings are Friday 3rd May at 9am in The Willows and Wednesday 8th May at 8pm via Zoom. Please email friends@crossflatts.bradford.sch.uk if you would like to attend on Wednesday evening.

Safeguarding

Helping very young children in difficult situations to seek support can be challenging. Their minds are often not developed enough to understand situations which make them feel uncomfortable. They are also unable to comprehend what they need to do to get out of them. More often than not their limited vocabulary will also reduce their ability to talk to adults effectively. ChildNet has released a downloadable story over on their site, aimed at children aged three and up. Their objective is to make them aware of how to seek help. By following the link below you can also find simplified resources around the story, as well as the story itself. https://www.childnet.com/resources/hanni-and-the-magic-window/

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Attendance

Here are the last week of last half terms figures:

Our Aspirational Target	The national target	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
98%	97%	98.5%	97.4%	98.4%	95.7%	98.2%	98.2%	98.6%

Whole School: 97.9%

I hope the weather is kind to us over the bank holiday weekend and you can have some time enjoying the three day weekend when it arrives with your family and friends. We will see you all on **Tuesday 7**th **of May** next week.

Best wishes

Mrs Bennett

Headteacher

