JULY 2021 NEWSLETTER

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HEAD TEACHER'S WELCOME

Here we are at the end of what has been a very long year! We've survived another lockdown, become experts in home learning overnight and in between all that, children are already settled beautifully into their class for next year!

As I look back over the year I am so impressed with the determination our children have shown to not let COVID get in their way and to try something new. Whilst the year has been one of my most challenging as a Head Teacher, it is also one I am really proud of based on what the children have achieved.

We can now (at the time of writing anyway!) look forward to what the new year is going to bring and get excited about even more Educational Visits, exciting learning opportunities and welcoming you back into the building as soon as possible.

One thing I'm certain of, is that if the children tackle next year with the same dedication they have shown this year, each and every one of them will be soaring in their achievements by this time next year! ***Adam Clewes***



Get that uniform ready!

If you have not yet collected your free jumper/cardigan, you have until July 31st to get this from the uniform shop in Meir.

Your free ties will be sent home on Monday ready for September—keep them safe!

⇒ Remember—shoes/trainers to travel to school, slippers to change into. Don't want to wear slippers? No problem! School shoes are fine!

⇒ Shirts—not Polo shirts (good reviews about shirts available in Poundland!)

Thinking about PE?

Based on your feedback, coming to school in PE kits is here to stay! As there's more time to prepare though, please make sure tracksuit bottoms are black or grey. Children all have school PE kits and this is what they must wear.

Time for something new!

I'm sure you've seen building work has begun on the Nursery playground. Watch this space for an amazing new play space for our youngest Crescent learners!

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PREPARING FOR SEPTEMBER

Restrictions are easing... what it means for us!

As we are told restrictions are easing from the 19th of this month, from September:

- Gates will open at 8.45am, they will close at 9am—after this time children will be marked as late
- No one way systems
- No need for face coverings outdoors but you are welcome to wear one if you wish!
- No bubbles: assemblies will begin again and most importantly, children will be able to play with whoever they want!
- At the end of the day, gates will open at 3pm, Nursery children to be collected at 3 everyone else at 3.15pm.

Prospectus with all school info will be provided on the children's first day back in September!

Clubs will begin on September 13th with more choice than ever before!

CELEBRATING WHAT WE'VE DONE!

- ☺ Prom Night
- ☺ Sports Day
- ☺ Educational Visits have restarted
- ☺ Seaside Day visit for the whole school



- ☺ Year 6 Leavers' Assembly
- ☺ Summer Awards service

Food, Glorious Food!

Try as we might, no lesson will come close to being a child's favourite time of the school day—lunchtime always wins! And so it should! A chance to eat, chat and play!

Children recently put together their own menus so from September they can enjoy their own creations such as Leighton's Meat & Potato Pie, Owen's Spaghetti, Millie's Full English Breakfast and Olivia's Fish and chips to name a few! A full menu will be sent home in the September Newsletter!



TERM DATES 2021-2022

Children come back:

Thursday September 2nd 2021

We close for half term on:

Thursday October 21st 2021

We reopen after half term on:

Tuesday November 2nd 2021

We close for Christmas on:

Friday December 17th 2021

We come back for 2022 on:

Tuesday January 4th 2022

Full term dates for the year can be found in your child's planner/ on the school website:
www.thecrescentacademy.com