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The Crescent Academy Newsletter

#8WeeksToGo | June 2026 | #LastHalfTerm











Head Teacher's Welcome

...and just like that we entered the sixth month of the year and the official countdown to the end of the year is on. There are 8 weeks, 39 school days. That's all! But what a 39 days we have in store!

I hope that you have had the most wonderful half term break. The weather here in the UK has been exceptional and I am just hoping that doesn't mean that summer is done - as I always tell you, I don't think I was built for the cold! It is always great to reset and recharge - as adults we may do that by sitting still, but as parents we seem to have to find the energy whilst the kids recharge with no limits at the park, wanting to go swimming, or whatever else they have in mind! So, I hope it was a healthy mix that suited everyone.

A special mention must go to our Year 6 children who completed their SATS last month - they made me so, so proud. Turning up, everyday, on time, with unwavering determination. Their results in my eyes are already amazing - thank you for keeping them calm and giving them the 'can do' attitude that was needed over those 4 days.

Those all important dates to prepare for September are in this Newsletter so please make a note. Letters have gone out today to all of the new starters we will have in Nursery and Reception in September - I am looking forward to meeting them already!

A final one from me; I always ask you to share any worries with me and there's a way to do this described on Page 2.

Adam Clewes

Coming up this Month & Next...

June 2026

2nd - Back to school

8th Y4LS Sharing Assembly

9th Y4JF Sharing Assembly

3rd - 4th Y4FT London Residential

8th Year 1 Phonics Screening week

18th Y4FT Sharing Assembly

22nd Aspirations Week

July 2026

1st Sports Day for Early Years & KS1

2nd Sports Day for KS2

6th Last week of clubs

8th Season 4 Reveal

21st Final Reveal

22nd Year 6 Leavers' Assembly followed by celebration afternoon

24th Last day -close for summer, family picnic day

shout out

The Whole Year 6 Team!



As well as you doing your bit at home, there is a very special team in Year 6 who don't just teach the knowledge to help children pass tests. They take the children's worries home with them abd give their all to make sure our ten and eleven year olds feel so proud of what they achieve - especially when confronted with a test paper. Not only this, they provide an excellent breakfast service for a week too! Thank you Miss Jenkinson, Mrs Dunning, Mrs Michilak, Mrs Ball, Mrs Hill-Bloor, Miss Roberts, Mrs Tezgel and Ms Derbyshire!

The plea from me! Sharing Worries

Those of you who have been coming to the school for as long as me (7 years in July!) I hope will agree that I am approachable and will get things done. That is always my aim. However, I will also admit when we get things wrong, or explain why something can't happen the way you may like. In short, everyone will always have different opinions and disagreements can arise - this is fine - when handled well.

I am always up for talking, and if I am not on the gate, many of you know, I always return your calls - often on the same day. But, it seems with the use of AI, worries are now becoming formal complaints, often referencing out-of-date legislation and including word choices which are not appropriate for what the worry may be.

The plea from me is that if you do have a worry, it is often something I, or one of my team, can solve. Not every issue is a complaint. Sometimes they rightly will be and we will always deal with those. So, please if you can, revert back to contacting me. I write these newsletters personally as it is my way of talking directly to you - that is not something Chat GPT or other similar software can do and we need to show our children how to use it well.



Don't forget...

Parents' Gym Club
Tuesdays and Fridays at 9.15

Coffee Morning
Every Thursday at 9.15

all with the lovely Mrs Dayson!





Sun Safe!

Children can bring sun hats, sun glasses and a water bottle to keep refilled throughout the day.

Children are best placed to ensure they have sunscreen on before coming to school. They can bring more sunscreen to top up throughout the day, as long as the bottle is labelled and the children are able to apply this themselves.

Should the hot weather return, we will let you know of any relaxation to the uniform policy

The NEW Sports Day!







Get ready for the whole new sports day... you don't get to watch the sports day, you get to JOIN IN! That's right... this year, we are breaking away from the traditional races so you can get set and go on an assault course/obstacle race with your child!

Once complete, there'll be ice lollies and other goodies for sale for a 'summer treat' for you to enjoy with your little one and they will even be able to have a go on a bouncy castle! The slots for your class are below and we will be joined by Bee Active to support making the day a huge success!

Don't worry if you can't make it on the day, staff will join in with your child. However, this is not a spectator event - if you're coming, you're running!

Wednesday July 1st Nursery to Year 2

Class	Obstacle Course Time	Bouncy Time	Summer Treat Time
Rising 3s	9.10	9.30	9.50
Nursery GR	9.30	9.50	10.10
Nursery SB	9.50	10.10	10.30
Reception CL	10.10	10.30	10.50
Reception SC	10.30	10.50	11.10
Reception HY	10.50	11.10	11.30
Year 1 LS	11.10	11.30	11.50
Year 1 CR	11.30	11.50	1.00
Year 1 OT	11.50	1.00	1.20
Year 2 EB	1.00	1.20	1.40
Year 2 KB	1.20	1.40	2.00
Year 2 HV	1.40	2.00	2.20

Thursday July 2nd Years 3 to 6

Class	Obstacle Course Time	Bouncy Time	Summer Treat Time
Year 3 NE	9.10	9.30	9.50
Year 3 TS	9.30	9.50	10.10
Year 3 TC	9.50	10.10	10.30
Year 4 LS	10.10	10.30	10.50
Year 4 FT	10.30	10.50	11.10
Year 4 JF	10.50	11.10	11.30
Year 5 TR	11.10	11.30	11.50
Year 5 RM	11.30	11.50	12.10
Year 5 JB	11.50	12.10	12.30
Year 6 AR	1.00	1.20	1.40
Year 6 HJ	1.20	1.40	2.00
Year 6 HB	1.40	2.00	2.20

There will of course be stickers for adults and children!