

Friday 6th January 2023



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to our Crossdale News - we hope that you enjoy reading our newsletter; a communication for you with key messages and dates from school.

Please remember to keep checking our [school website](#), as this is where you should be able to find answers to many of the questions you may have.

Best Wishes,

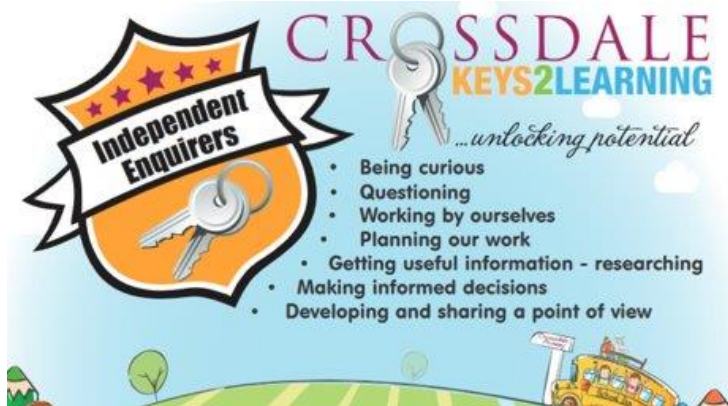
Mr. Cresswell, Mrs. Westie & Miss Seedhouse

Happy New Year!

It has been lovely to see the children back in school this week! We hope that all of our Crossdale families had a wonderful Christmas time and that you've had a positive start to the New Year!

Keys to Learning Day

On our first day back, children took part in our Keys to Learning day, thinking about what a good 'Independent enquirer' may be. The children all worked brilliantly throughout the day, taking part in a range of activities that helped them develop skills for our orange key! Take a look at the [photographs on our website](#) to see some of the activities that the children enjoyed!



Upcoming Events

January 20

Y6 Class Assembly – Y6 parents / carers are invited to come along – 3pm start

January 27

Y5 Class Assembly – Y5 parents / carers are invited to come along – 3pm start

February 3

Y4 Class Assembly – Y4 parents / carers are invited to come along – 3pm start

February 6

Children's Mental Health Awareness Week

February 8

Safer Internet Day

February 10

Last day of the half term

Y3 Class Assembly – Y4 parents / carers are invited to come along – 3pm start

February 20

Return to school for the second half of the spring term

February 27

Book Week

March 2

World Book Day

March 7

Year 2 Residential to Beaumanor Hall. One night stay.

March 13

Science Week

Please see the school website for the [term dates for the academic year 2022/23](#).

Crossdale's choir sing at Young Voices



Our choir had a super day on Wednesday 4th, taking part in the Young Voices concert at Sheffield Arena. The children were fantastic ambassadors for our school and performed brilliantly at the concert, after a long day of rehearsals!

We need your help for Base 3 swimming!

Over the next 5 weeks, we have children from Y5 & Y6 going swimming. If you are able to assist us with walking the children to and from the pool, we would be extremely grateful! Please contact the school office to let us know of your availability. Many thanks for your support!

5 things to do to help manage winter illness

As students start to return to school, it's important to be aware of the winter illnesses currently circulating and the best ways to protect your child and others. There are some simple actions that parents of school age children can take to help protect their families and those around them – take a look at this [blog](#).

Class Assemblies

Our class assemblies return this term! Please keep an eye in the dates section on page 1 to see when your child's class assembly is. Parents / carers of the children in the host class are invited to join us from 3pm. We look forward to seeing you soon!

PTA Updates

Have you seen our [PTA page](#) on the school website? This is where we show the upcoming events planned by the PTA.

Reach for the stars!

Well done to the children who have completed their stamp charts this week:

R: Olivia, Iris, Maisie

Y1: Ivy, Rahmi, Rahmarni

Y3: Sophia, Joshua

Y6: Elizabeth, Faith

Roll of Honour

Bailey (Y4) has been awarded his Silver Blue Peter Badge (it is sparkly!). This is for contributing to the local community by helping out with the Abundance apple picking project. He now has 5 badges! Wow! Well done Bailey, what a super achievement!

*Please contact the school office, preferably by email marked 'Roll of Honour', if you would like to share the achievements of your children with the rest of the school community. **We love to hear about what they have been doing outside of school!***

CHRISTMAS JUMPER RECYCLE



IF YOU HAVE ANY
CHRISTMAS JUMPERS
THAT YOU NO LONGER
NEED

PLEASE CONSIDER
DONATING TO THE PTA
FOR OUR CHRISTMAS
JUMPER EXCHANGE
2023

FOR MORE INFORMATION EMAIL
PTA@CROSSDALESCHOOL.COM

If you have any questions regarding any PTA events, please email pta@crossdaleschool.com

School Menu



Our [school dinner menu](#) is available on the website. School dinners are now available to book and pay for on School Money for the next term.