



The Craylands School Newsletter

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Dear Parents/Carers,

We are at the end of the last full week of this academic year—a reminder that we are in school on Monday and Tuesday next week, with the children finishing at normal time.

This week, the school has had a multi-cultural week where they have been learning about different countries around the world focussing on geography, RE and the arts. This afternoon, they have had the opportunity to share their learning with each other in a celebratory assembly and then tour each others classrooms. It is clear that the children have had an enjoyable week learning about countries such as Australia, Mexico, Japan, China, Russia and Italy amongst others. A big thank you to the teachers for organising a week of culture and arts; particular thanks to Mrs Meggs, Mr Dymott and Miss Whillans for arranging the week itself. Another thank you to any parent/carer who has cooked and is bringing food along after school for the community to try – very much appreciated.

To culminate a week of culture, on Monday each class, representing their country, will take part in at least one competitive sport during the day. This is the final requirement for our Bronze School Games Award which I am pleased to announce we were awarded earlier this week.



This award is recognition for the increased number of sporting clubs and opportunities that the school has provided this year; as PE lead, I have been extremely proud of all who have competed and represented the school this year and hope that we can work on maintaining this award and possibly gaining silver next year. As Monday will be a sporting day, the children may wear their PE kits to school with trainers rather than their school uniform; much like they did on sports day.

A big well done to all those children who received a ROAR certificate this week; as a school it is clear that on the whole the children are very well behaved and respectful considering the number of gold certificates that were handed out this week. Thank you to parents and carers for taking the time to come and share in your children's success.

Thank you to those staff members who came back last Friday night to supervise the children during the sleepover and particularly Mrs Seal for staying over with myself; I'm sure the word 'sleep' should be removed from the word 'sleepover' is all I can say!

A huge thank you to Miss Luckins and Mr McArthur, who helped to move soil from the bags on the KS2 playground to the allotments this week; without them we wouldn't be in the position to start growing vegetables up there in September. With the offer of more help to fill the final 3 beds, we are extremely grateful. Thank you to Angel from Sodexo who also helped this week.

There will be one final newsletter next week to finish off the year - wishing you all an enjoyable weekend.

Mr Hiscock—Headteacher

Upcoming Events

22/7/19	School Games Day—children can wear their PE kits for the day
23/7/19	Good to be green assembly—invites only 9am
23/7/19	Year 6 leavers assembly 2.15pm
23/7/19	Last day of school year (toy day)
2/9/19	INSET DAY
3/9/19	INSET DAY
4/9/19	Children return to school
18/10/19	Last day of term 1
28/10/19	First day of term 2

Reminders and Info

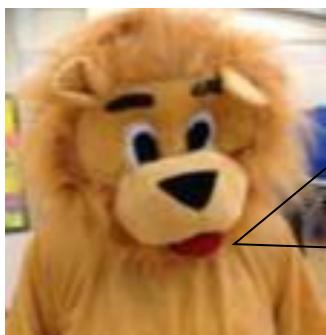
- Please send in your child with a carrier bag so they can bring their wonderful work home;
- Thank you for the bottles you have been sending in for our greenhouse. We're nearly there, so one final push on Monday and Tuesday would be brilliant!

Many thanks

Lenny's letter

Each week, this newsletter will celebrate all those at The Craylands School who received a Craylearner certificate, R.O.A.R. certificate, those chosen to be a WOW writer, SUM DOG results as well as announcing the weekly team winners.

Our pupils really are champions at Craylands!



Hungry C Kathyrn F Stickman Thomas G
Rainbow F Alexander Z Dahl Whole class
Elmer Eleanor F Walliams Daniel B
Funnybones Callum C Horowitz Carys L
Gruffalo Kofi I Morpurgo Chloe R

The R.O.A.R. certificates were issued to.....

Hungry C	Savana L	Stickman	Laurie W
Rainbow F	Logan C	Dahl	All
Elmer	Harriet B	Walliams	Dakota L
Funnybones	Phoebe S	Horowitz	Maddison B-S
Gruffalo	Abigail G	Morpurgo	Caiden B-B

Midday Supervisors Award: Camren K



This week's winning team is...

Rochester



This week's HERO (Here Every day Ready On time) Attendance Bear is awarded to ...

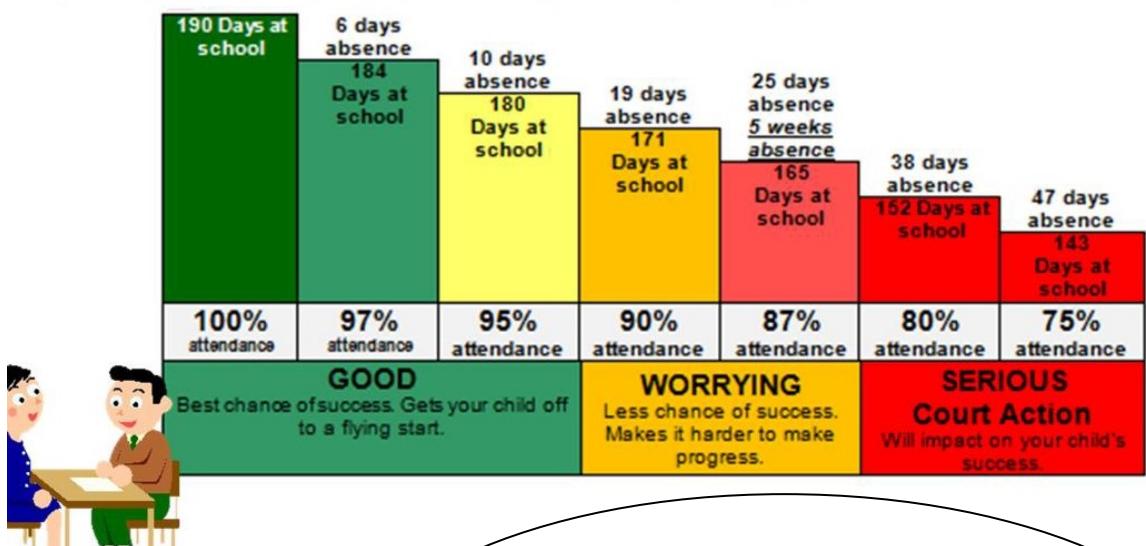
Dahl Class



Achievements outside of school...

Whilst Eva J's mum in Funnybones class took part in a Colour Run to raise funds for a children's hospice, Eva and a friend took the opportunity to raise some money by themselves; they managed to add a further £129.17 to the fund. What fantastic initiative and fund raising skills—well done Eva!

Attendance



To be a Craylearner, you need to be in school every day!

100% is what I really want to see!

Less than 96% means you will struggle to be a Craylearner!

Class	Attendance this week	Attendance over the year
Hungry Caterpillar	95.3%	94.5%
Rainbow Fish	95.8%	95.5%
Elmer	95.6%	95.7%
Funnybones	95.3%	95.8%
Gruffalo	93.0%	95.1%
Stickman	93.3%	96.4%
Dahl	96.1%	97.4%
Walliams	94.1%	94.7%
Horowitz	95.1%	96.8%
Morpurgo	95.0%	94.9%

WELL DONE TO..... Dahl Class for having the highest attendance this week.

Reading Jungle

Dear Parents/Carers,

Please return ALL books to the reading jungle before the summer holidays.

We will re-launch the reading jungle in September.

Well done to all those who have participated in this initiative so far and we hope that you, along with many more will do so next year.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Bishop
Literacy lead



St Mary Greenhithe Community Café

Summer Holiday Beach Trip

Find your bucket and spade and
join us on Tuesday 20th August for a
DAY OUT at RAMSGATE.

All coach seats are being subsidised by
the café so will be £6,
to include a non refundable deposit
of £1 per seat payable on booking.
Seats can be paid for in weekly instalments'
if required.

Full payment must be received
by 10th August.

A fun day for everyone.

For more details or to book a place
please speak to Carol at the cafe,
a member of the hospitality team
or Naomi in the office.

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