

# Newsletter 02/10/2020

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**Attendance**  
 Whole school: **97.3%**  
**We have reached our target of 96%, but let's try and improve this next week!**  
Our attendance target for the year is 96%.  
 Well done to Year1 and Year 4 for winning this week's attendance!



**Year 1**  
**99.3%**

**Year 6**  
**94.1%**

**Year 2**  
**98.6%**

**Year 3**  
**96.6%**

**Year 4**  
**99.3%**

**Year 5**  
**95.6%**

**Attendance and Lates:** Any children who arrive after their class start time will have to report to the main office and will be registered late. **The law requires pupils to attend school regularly and this includes arriving on time each day.** If you have any concerns about your child's punctuality please talk to us.

Thank you to all who have responded to our Online Accessibility Survey so far - if you haven't yet completed this very short survey please do so by accessing the following link  
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**Message from Mr Phillips**

Hello parents!

Another brilliant week within the academy! Your children have been fantastic, and over the past month they have worked incredibly hard at working on their catch up plans that have been designed to make sure that children are taught the main things that they missed out on during lockdown. Next week, we are looking at other aspects of our curriculum being introduced too.

We are looking forward to our charity day next Friday where we celebrate the life of Mrs Winstanley. Many of you will know that Mrs Winstanley was a member of staff who made a difference to so many of our family's lives. Sadly, in 2019, she lost her battle to cancer. Normally, we would love for as many families to join us in this celebration; however, given the current situation, this is obviously not possible. On Friday children can come in non-uniform, and our theme is bright coloured clothing! Throughout the morning children will be carrying out some fun activities and enjoying reading their books with cups of hot chocolate! We are asking that each child brings in a £1 donation; all the money raised will go towards Cancer Research UK. Charities in these times are struggling and we want to do what we can to give children the knowledge of the great work that charities carry out, but also the difficulties they face.

Let's try and raise some money for a brilliant cause!

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**Stars of the Week**

Foundation 1 - Enzo  
 Foundation 2 - Daisy  
 Year 1 - Rosie  
 Year 2 - Annie  
 Year 3 - Tyler  
 Year 4 - Emi  
 Year 5 - Mason

**Readers of the Week**

Year 1 - Axle  
 Year 2 - Leo  
 Year 3 - Lainey  
 Year 4 - Mckenzie  
 Year 5 - Connor  
 Year 6 - Adam M

**Creativity Certificate**

Foundation - Leila  
 Year 1 - Zachary  
 Year 2 - Mason  
 Year 3 - Tilly  
 Year 4 - Shahin  
 Year 5 - Joshua  
 Year 6 - Peyton

**Super Phonics Award**

Foundation - Emily T  
 Year 1 - Oscar





Year 2 have finally come to the end of the catch up plans. They have worked incredibly hard and shown some true determination and dedication throughout. They are extremely excited to get stuck in to the year 2 tasks. This week, we have continued to recap sounds in phonics and practised spotting sounds in various stories. We have covered the 2, 5 and 10 times tables in maths. In the afternoon we have spent time understanding animal habitats, reminding one another what it means to be a good friend and football games in PE. **Mrs Page Year 2**

A fantastic week in year three! We have finished our partly cloudy stories this week and created some amazing pieces of writing. In maths we continued to work on the four operations and made some great progress. In science this week we became explorers and we looked at different plants and how their seeds are dispersed. On Thursday we were lucky enough to take part in pedestrian skills and learnt lots about how to cross the road safely. Have a great weekend!

**Miss Mellors Year 3**



Year 4 have had an amazing week again! We have been learning how to understand words in context during our reading lessons and have learnt the meanings of some really tricky words! In literacy, we have been writing a police report about an old lady with a hidden identity. In science, we explored the school grounds looking for flowering and non-flowering plants and found a range of different ones that we then classified. We were also very excited on Wednesday morning as it was our week to do dance with NAPA and Georgia said we had done brilliantly.

Have a well deserved rest over the weekend ready for next week! **Miss Holmes Year 4**



It has been a wonderful week in year 1 this week. In phonics, we have learned many new sounds and our knowledge is coming along great! We have all tried super hard in whole class and with lots of different adults with blending and segmenting. In maths, we have been learning all about doubles and learned a very catchy song. It has been wonderful to see the children concentrate on their pencil control and begin to write simple labels and captions in writing time. We have introduced our rainbow challenges this week' and the children have been incredibly independent completed all their tasks. As they children are becoming young readers it is super important for them to practise at home. By listening to your child read can help them develop even more. Thank you for you support and we hope you have an amazing weekend. **Miss Cooper Year 1**

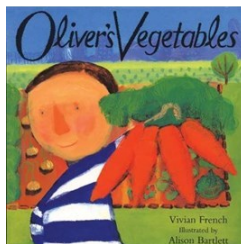


We have had such a lovely week! We have been reading extracts from the book Wonder to practise our inference skills. In maths we have revised formal written methods of multiplication and division. We have enjoyed writing letters of complaint in our writing lessons. A highlight this week was dissecting flowers in Science. Well done for working so hard Year 5! Have a lovely weekend.

**Mrs O'Loughlin Year 5**



There hasn't been **mushroom** in our writing area this week as it has **bean** so busy with all our fantastic authors writing all about our story 'Olivers Vegetables'. In maths we have **bean** looking at doubling and halving using numicon which has **lettuce** solve some simple number problems. The children in nursery have used the story of Rosie's Walk to make their own map to navigate from home to school. **Mr Kelly & Miss Kirby FS**



It's been another full-on week in year 6! We loved further developing our tennis skills on Monday in PE and had fantastic discussions and ideas in science, where we've been looking at classification in more depth - we found out lots about microorganisms! We've done lots of amazing inference work in guided reading, composed biographies in writing and become masters of tricky multiplication and division methods in maths. Additionally, we are fully gripped by our 'Joy of Reading' text, 'The House in Poplar Wood' and can't wait to find out what happens next! Homework has been set on Seesaw and must be submitted by Wednesday - don't forget! Have a lovely weekend.

**Mr Rhodes Year 6**



#### Safeguarding

At Craven Primary Academy, the welfare of all our pupils is of great importance to us and we hope that parents are confident about their children's health and safety whilst in our academy. We will always try to share any concerns we have with parents. However, there are times when we are legally obliged to share our concerns with other agencies, without first speaking to parents, or without the consent of parents. The safety and protection of our pupils is our most important concern and we wish to reassure you that any sharing of information is done with the children's best interest at heart. If you have any concerns about the welfare or safety of any child in our school, the Child Protection Officer's are Mr Phillips, Mrs Hartmann, Mrs Hamby and Mr Gillen. They can be contacted through the school office. The academy has a duty to inform parents that they are prohibited on reporting or publishing details (including on social media) that could identify anyone who is subject to an allegation.