



Cranleigh C of E Primary School

Newsletter 6

20th November 2020

A quick note from us

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Year 6 children have done an amazing job putting together this newsletter, I am sure you will agree. As we cannot mix bubbles developing the leadership skills of the children is more of a challenge this year so to start with one of their roles is to keep our families up to date with learning in school.

In the background each class is also putting together a video of Christmas celebrations as we sadly cannot put on a live 'show' with an audience. Check out the website and scan QR codes to see more learning done by the children.

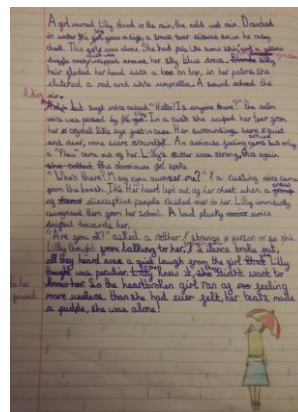
Mrs Gillian Leadbetter-Simms
Headteacher

Anti-Bullying Week

Thank you to everyone who came to school in Odd Socks on Monday. It was a great way to celebrate difference and diversity as we entered anti-bullying week. Each class has thought of creative ways to discuss the issue of bullying and how we can make the school a safe and happy place. Learning over the week included writing narratives about how we can be united together, writing haiku poems to help prevent bullying and even producing a music video to celebrate difference.



Well done everybody!





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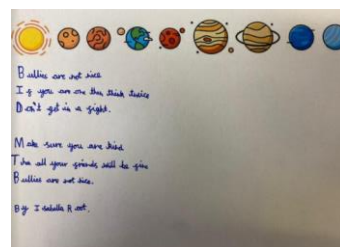
Year 6

Happy anti-bullying week! This week has been super exciting with Odd Sock Day on Monday. Many classes have been reflecting on this year's theme 'United Together Against Bullying.' Odd socks day is all about showing it's ok to be different and celebrating our differences. Be proud of who you are.



Year 5

Year 5 recently became NASA's newest employees. Our first task was to educate the juvenile aliens, in a colony that NASA had just found, about bullying. We wrote raps, diary entries or haikus as well as performing skits and creating posters.



Christian Value: Hope

Dear God,

Thank you for giving us hope.
Help us to stay positive.
Please show us hope through others.
Thank you for always giving us your blessing.

Amen



The Friends AGM

The Friends AGM was held on Friday 6th November. Thank you to everyone who joined us. A new Chair, two new co-Secretaries and a committee member were elected. They are Aimee Payne (Chair), Nina Nwaosu and Victoria Fitcher (co-Secretaries) and Suz Rogers (Committee member). Paula Elms is staying on as Treasurer for this year. Thank you Paula! The Friends committee is busy planning some socially distanced festive activities for the next few weeks and we'll provide details of those soon. We really want to give the children some festive fun, even if we have to do things a little differently. Finally, we would like to say a huge thank you to Sam and Charlie, the co-Chairs who stepped down at this AGM. They have done a fantastic job for the School, and given up so much time to plan and run events, and raise money for the School. Thank you ladies.



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Christmas Lunch & Christmas Jumper Day

The children will be having their Christmas lunch at school on Friday 11th December 2020. For this special lunch the children can also wear their Christmas jumper.

This year the lunch will be a Festive Box which comprises of the following:

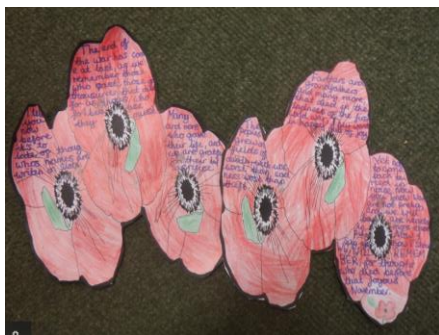
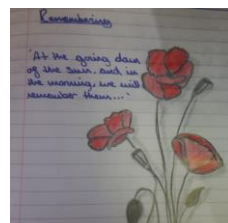
- Turkey or cheese filled roll
- Cheesy scone
- Veggie finger
- Mini vegan sausage roll
- Vegetable kebab
- Satsuma
- Festive shortbread biscuit



Your Christmas lunch can be ordered online at www.schoolmoney.co.uk. The final deadline for placing Christmas lunch orders is Friday 27th November 2020. For children in years 3-6 the cost of a lunch is £2.40.

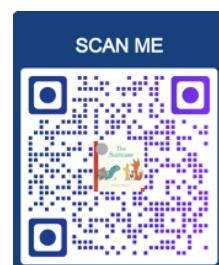
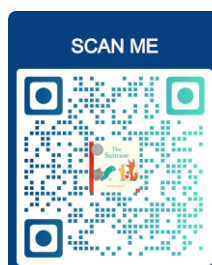
Armistice Day: Poppy Appeal – Wednesday 11th November

This year the whole school stopped and reflected together at 11am outside on the playground. Throughout the day, all classes spent time thinking about why the day is important and produced learning around the theme of remembering.



Year 3

Over the past few weeks, we have been exploring the story of the suitcase. Take a look at our version of the stories using the QR codes and scanning them. (Purple for 3DS and Green for 3CJ)





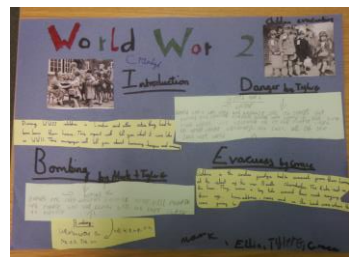
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Year 4

In Year 4 we have been learning to be History Detectives, finding out about what happened in Cranleigh during World War 2. Did you know that a bomb landed on our original school and it had to be rebuilt?



Science experiment using things around the house

Can you recreate the jar below using things that you might find around your house? Have a think about what might float on top of water and what might sink below it. The more sugar that is contained in something the more likely it is to sit below normal tap water.

EYFS and KS1: can you please create one with three colours?

LKS2: can you please create one with four colours?

UKS2: can you please create one with five colours?



If you are struggling place some Smarties or Skittles in a small amount of water and use the water to see if you can create the rainbow (this is due to different food colourings having different amounts of sugar) To make it truly scientific try pouring the liquids together quickly, slowly or use a spoon to transfer the liquids across and see if it makes a difference. What happens if you shake it? (after you have taken your picture).

Please email your photographs to science@cranleighprimary.surrey.sch.uk for Mr Turner to judge by next Friday 27th. The winner will be announced in the next newsletter and will receive a science certificate. If you do not want the picture of your jar on the school website or newsletter, please mention this when you send it in.

Term Dates 2020/2021

AUTUMN TERM 2020	
End of Autumn Term	Friday 18 th December
SPRING TERM 2021	
Back to School	Monday 4 th January
INSET DAY	Friday 22 nd January
Closing date for Primary School Applications	Friday 15 th January
Half Term	Monday 15 th February to Friday 19 th February
End of Term	Thursday 1 st April
SUMMER TERM 2021	
Back to School	Monday 19 th April
Half Term	Monday 31 st May to Friday 4 th June
INSET DAY	Monday 21 st June
End of Term	Wednesday 21 st July