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## Message of the week Welcome back after the half term break

Thank you to all Parents/Carers for getting your child/children into school on time, everyday for our first week back. Our whole school attendance for last term was 94% which is above National Average!!!!!! Attendance is so important to us because your children can get the best learning possible.....**every day counts.**

The children have worked really hard and demonstrated how to model themselves as independent learners this week – we are half-way through the year (*can you believe it?*).

**Well done Crescent children it is a great start to the term!**



## **Exciting News** **Next week is Science week!**



**Miss Kyeremeh, our science lead** led this week's assembly to tell them all about next week. The children have the opportunity to enter into a Science Competition to win a Fabulous mystery prize!

The details have been shared on the DOJO and the deadline is Fri 1<sup>st</sup> March 2024  
We look forward to see all of the children's science antics and their amazing competition entries.

### Reward Assembly

#### Attendance:

**KS1:** 95% -2D

**KS2:** 100% -4D



**Value of the week: Respect**

#### Reading Cup:

**Ks1:** 2D- 84%

**KS2:** 4C-S- 76%

#### Homework Heroes:

Thank you to Parents/carers for your continual support in working in partnership with the school in making sure that your child/children complete and hand in their homework.

**We know how hard you work.**

### Important dates



#### **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February –**

Year 3 trip to Wandle Park

#### **Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March- 9:00 -10:00AM**

Parents/Carers Wellbeing coffee morning-

#### **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March -**

Reception Height & weight check-school nurse

#### **Wed 6<sup>th</sup> March –**

Year 4 trip to the Horniman Museum

#### **Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> March - World Book Day -**

Please see letter sent home for book character competition. *There will be prizes for the most imaginative creations.*

Entries to be handed to your child's class teacher by **Fri 8<sup>th</sup> March 2024.**

## Family Support Team

A little reminder that the family support Team provide support, advice & information to all the families at the Crescent school – ask to speak to one of the team if you need anything – we may be able to help.

## Regular events taking place at the Crescent



### Baby & Toddler Group-

Every Wed morning- From-8:45 – 10:45am

### Parents/Carers Coffee Mornings-

Every half term-

**Family English Classes** at the Crescent school-**FREE** & run by CALAT-Adult Learning in Croydon

Due to limited places please contact the Family Support Worker-Mrs Morris-Cope



## The Crescent PTA

We would love to hear from any parent/carers of the Crescent school who can spare any free time  
We have so many Amazing ideas to raise funds to support and provide Fabulous learning and fun activities/experiences for your child/children

### However, we do need your help & support!

Please contact the Family Support Worker Mrs Morris-Cope if you have any questions or wish to join our team.

As we do need parent class reps for each class in all the year groups across the school.



## Important Information



**Trips-** Parents/Carers we are short on Parent contributions.

Only 50% of all the parent community has contributed.

The cost is £20 & for children and for those who are receiving Pupil premium £10

**We are at serious risk of not be able to run trips and enrichment packages. Your support is greatly appreciated to ensure we are able to enrich all our children's experiences at the Crescent.**

## Curriculum Corner

This half term's learning for every year group is on our school website under your child's year group tab.

Please talk to your child about their upcoming learning and how it links to what they have previously learnt – we talk about this a lot in school.

All of our Subject Leaders have been speaking to your children about their likes and dislikes in the lessons and we have had some wonderful feedback!

Don't forget reading and times table are essential for your child's development in all their learning as it gets easier so check out times tables rock stars to challenge your child <https://trockstars.com/>

## The Crescent Food Bank

We are asking all families if they can spare any non perishable food items or toiletries, no matter how big or small.



This would be very much appreciated in supporting restocking our shelves for our family community. Just drop off your donations to the office or our FSW on the gates in the morning.

Thank you for your support