

Weekly Newsletter

'Education on another level, where possibilities are endless'

SPRING SING PERFORMANCE

We are excited to invite you to watch our Spring Sing on **Wednesday 1st April at 9.30am**. This will be a joint performance, with each class performing an individual class song and some shared songs together.

Tickets are required for this performance and can be booked through this link - [Spring Sing Performance](#)

Please note, tickets are free, but are required for entry as the ticket/QR code will be scanned to allow admission.

Tickets will be limited to two per family to ensure we can accommodate all in the hall.

We look forward to welcoming you in and putting a *Spring* in your step with our performance!



NEW BIKE AND SCOOTER STORAGE

We ask and encourage the use of our new bike and scooter storage outside of school – one next to the Early Years Gate and the other opposite school.

We would advise using a padlock/lock to ensure safe storage, as we cannot be responsible for any scooters and/or bikes that are left.

We ask that Year 1 children cycling or scooting to school now use this storage instead of bringing it inside school, and that this storage is also used by any of our Early Years children who attend After-School Club, as it reduces times spent moving scooters/bikes at the end of the school day. Thank you for your cooperation with this.



CROWN STREET COMMUNITY

COFFEE MORNING, WITH OUR SCHOOL NURSE

Thank you to the parents that attended our first Coffee Morning held last week – we hope you found it useful both from the information from Jez, our School Nurse, but also enjoyed the opportunity to come together with other parents/carers and enjoy a hot drink, biscuit and chat!

Thank you to Jez for facilitating this, we will be looking to host another Coffee Morning in the Summer term. Look out for more information soon!

REMINDERS ...

PARENTS' EVENINGS (& mornings) THIS WEEK!

Tuesday 24th and Wednesday 25th March

We look forward to welcoming Parents/Carers in for our second Parents' Evening of the year this Tuesday 24th and Wednesday 25th March. These 10-minute appointments are an opportunity to meet with your child's Class Teacher who will provide an update on how your child is progressing both academically and socially within their year-group.

If you have not yet booked, this will need to be done through your MCAS App, by selecting 'Parents Evening' on the left-hand side. If you have any problems, or if you are unable to attend, please get in touch with the School Office.

For appointments, please come through the main entrance to sign in and we will direct you to the correct classroom.

For those collecting children from Kids Club, we ask that all collections are done before 5.30pm and that the Kids Club Pupil Entrance is still used for collections, so that your child can be signed out by Kids Club staff.

RSHE PARENT SESSION

Monday 30th March, 9am

This session will be a repeat of previous session. Information and session content was sent directly to parents on 06.03.26

BIG WALK AND WHEEL

We are still participating in the Big Walk and Wheel event running until the end of the week and so would encourage walking, wheeling, scooting and/or cycling to school as much as possible.

We appreciate some families cannot make active journeys the entire way to school (cars and/or public transport may be needed) but we would encourage you to try and be active for as much of the journey to school as able! You can find out more about the initiative by [clicking here](#).



Eid al-Fitr

With the end of the Islamic holy month of Ramadan ending, the religious celebration of Eid al-Fitr was celebrated by Muslims worldwide at the end of last week.

Last week we welcomed in Ayesha (Anam's Mummy) to talk to each of the classes all about Ramadan and celebrating Eid. A huge thank you to Ayesha for taking time to share all about this important celebration with us.

We hope all our families who celebrated, had a joyous Eid al-Fitr filled with love, peace and blessings.



CHARACTER AWARDS!

Last week's Character Awards have been awarded:

In PLMM this was awarded for **Kindness**
– for being a good friend and spreading positivity

In RSH this was awarded for **Bravery**
– for settling in well to new environment and class

In 1ND this was awarded for **Bravery**
– for settling in well to new environment and class

Well done to you all!



Bravery Citizenship Curiosity Gratitude Integrity Kindness

KIDS CLUB

Fees/Balances - All Kids Club balances need to be cleared by Friday 27th March. If you pay via Tax-Free Childcare, please ensure payment is made well in advance as there can be a delay in the monies reaching our bank account. Sessions may be placed on hold until we have received any funds. As per our Charging Policy you risk losing your place if payment is late or not paid in full.



After-School Pick-up Time - After-School club ends at 5.30pm, so please ensure you are here on time to pick up your child. Please note that there is a late collection charge should you be late collecting your child. Thank you for your cooperation.

PUNCTUALITY - REMINDER

Full attendance, including arriving on time, is important for your child's academic success but also for their personal and social development too. Arriving late can impact the start of the day routine and can mean important learning is missed.

We ask that you support us with this and ensure your child arrives at school on time each day – the gate/door opens at 8.45am and are closed promptly at 8.55am.

UNIFORM - REMINDER

A reminder that children should be coming to school in full school uniform, this includes correct school shoes. Our Crown Street Primary blazer and tie are branded items that are required for all children from Reception onwards. Branded Crown Street Primary jumpers/cardigans are available, however plain navy alternatives are suitable. For further information on what uniform is required, please see our website here - [School Uniform](#).

Please ensure all items of uniform/clothing are labelled.

Please note, Reception and Year 1 are able to come into school wearing their full-PE kit on their allocated PE day.

Trainers may be worn only on the day when the Year 1 class comes to school in their PE kit.



BOOK RECOMMENDATION

Recommendation by: Miss Mcleod Marsh

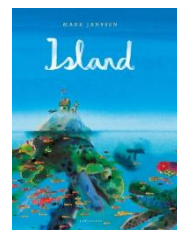
Book Title: Island

Author: Mark Janssen

Character Trait Link: Curiosity

Reason: An entirely wordless picture book

full of beautiful illustrations that spark curiosity and imaginative storytelling! I love making a new story each time I read it – the beauty of a wordless book!



PTA: Pre-Loved Children's Book Drive



PTA

The PTA are holding a book drive until Monday 30th March for your pre-loved children's books. There is a drop-box located in the school's reception area.

The books will be sold for £1 at the Spring Sing Performance on Wednesday 1st April. It is a wonderful opportunity to provide a new home for pre-loved books whilst raising money for our children. Thank you.

SPORTS ACTIVE CAMPS FOR HALF-TERM

Please click the image (or scan the QR-code) for more information about external 'Sports Active Camps' that are running during the Easter half-term break.

These are run at different locations across Manchester.

Progressive Active Camps
Be happy, healthy and active!

Active Camps run across Greater Manchester in all school holidays
In some setting wraparound childcare is also available

Go-Karts, Bouncy Castles, Glow Sports, Arts and Crafts, Creative Arts and Gymnastics, Battlefield Archery, Nerf Wars, Football and much more

We have something for everyone!

Fully funded places available as part of the HAF Programme at some locations.
Tax free childcare vouchers accepted.
Sibling discount applied using code 'SIBLING'

To check which camps are running and to reserve your space scan the code below.

manchester-info@progressive-sports.co.uk

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tues 24th March – Parents' Evening (+ Morning)

Weds 25th March – Parents' Evening (+ Morning)

Thurs 26th March – Academy Committee Meeting (AC2)

Mon 30th March – RSHE Parent Session (repeat), 9am

Weds 1st April – Spring Sing, 9.30am (all classes)

Thurs 2nd April – **School Closes for half-term break**

Mon 20th April – **School Reopens to all for Summer Term**

For 2025-26 and 2026-27 Term Dates please [click here](#)