



# Cranwell Primary School *Newsletter*

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## School Uniform

I would like to take this opportunity to thank parents for supporting your child with issuing them with the correct school uniform. I have been very impressed with how smart our children look in their school and PE uniforms. Thank you.

It is our school policy that all children wear school uniform when attending school, or when participating in a school-organised event outside normal school hours.

### Aims and objectives

Our policy on school uniform is based on the notion that school uniform:

- promotes a sense of pride in the school, the community and belonging towards the school;
- is practical and smart;
- identifies the children with the school;
- prevents children from coming to school in fashion clothes that could be distracting in class;
- makes children feel equal to their peers in terms of appearance;
- is regarded as suitable wear for school and good value for money by most parents;
- is designed with health and safety in mind.

**Please label  
everything!**

We ask all parents who send their children to our school to please support the school uniform policy. We believe that parents have a duty to send their children to school correctly dressed and ready for their daily schoolwork.

### Our School Uniform Policy:

- Jumper/Cardigan - Navy Blue
- Shirts/Blouses - Light/navy Blue or White
- Polo Shirt - Light Blue, navy or White
- Trousers/Shorts - Charcoal Grey or Black
- Pinafore Dresses/Skirts - Grey or Navy Blue
- Socks - Black, Grey or White
- Summer Dresses - Blue & White
- Shoes (not trainers) - Black (Please note: Shoes should be robust and high heels avoided)

A variety of clothing printed with the School Logo, including jumpers, cardigans and polo shirts may be obtained from the School Office.

All children should have a named P.E. Kit of plimsolls, trainers, dark coloured shorts/leggings and a **white** t-shirt. Infant children unable to fasten laces should be provided with slip-on plimsolls, these should be kept in a bag in the cloakroom. For children in KS2 (Years 3, 4, 5 & 6) warmer clothes are required:

- Tracksuit
- Jogging bottoms
- Jumper, especially for the cooler months during terms 1, 2, 3 and 4 as some PE lessons will be conducted outside
- No jewellery to be worn at any time. All earrings must be removed prior to P.E lessons as members of staff may not touch/remove them
- No football or rugby shirts may be worn as an item of P.E kit
- No tight vest tops may be worn
- No hot pants/revealing shorts may be worn

Thank you for your support in this matter.

## House Captains

Congratulations to the 8 House Captains nominated by their Houses :

Johnson: Thomas Leighton-Humphries & Pheobe McAndrew

Scott: George Smith & Matilda Taylor

Keller: Ethan Wells & Ellie Turner

Bader: Hannah Pocock & Percy Harlow

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank all the Year Six children who stood for nomination.

## Fencing

Yesterday afternoon, Nancy Smith, Mia Worrell and Jacob Grun from year 3 all represented the school at a fencing event with other local schools.

The children thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon, (despite the wind) and returned to school having learnt new skills. Well done!



Please be aware that when you have a class of 30 children the majority of white shirts are the same size and often from the same providers. Shoes also look very similar. Trying to distinguish whose items are whose is very difficult without them being named.



## Thurston Trip

Our annual trip to the Thurston Outdoor Education Centre in Coniston, Cumbria is about to be offered to our year 5 children. Places will be reserved quickly. If your child is currently in Year Five and is interested, then you must attend a presentation night which gives both parents and children the knowledge of what the trip entails, how to book a place and what your child needs to do to prepare for the trip. The meeting will take place on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2018 at 6:00pm in the School Hall.



## Harvest Celebrations

St Andrew's Church in Cranwell Village will be conducting its Harvest Festival Celebration on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2018. Harvest artwork created by Cranwell Primary School children will be on show. The Service will commence at 11:00 and will be followed by a buffet lunch in the Village Hall. The School would like to support this occasion by collecting Harvest gifts, especially dry goods, which will be donated to Centrepoint Outreach at Boston. Harvest Gifts can be brought into school by Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2018. Thank you for your support.

## Mathletics

Mathletes of the week winner for week ending 16<sup>th</sup> September:

Highest points:

Eleanor Gould (3639)

Sarahlileigh Tinsley (3270)

Elizabeth Rooke (2470)

Key Stage 1/Foundation Stage winners were class - 2/3CO (14031)

Key Stage 2 winners were class 5B (18567)



We will be taking part in this year's Jeans for Genes Day on Friday 21 September.

1 in 25 children has a genetic disorder that makes their life very difficult. That's equivalent to one child in every class. By wearing our jeans and donating, we will change the lives of these children.

All children and staff are invited to wear their jeans on **Friday 21 September**. We'd like everyone to take part so please encourage your child to come into school on the day wearing their jeans and with a £1 donation.

If you'd like to find out more about how our support will help, please visit their website at [jeansforgenes.org](http://jeansforgenes.org)

Well done to Emily Pickles (Year 5) for her idea to organise this event.

## Junior Footballers Wanted



Cranwell Junior Football Club is looking to recruit boys and girls. Training is 10.00am until 11:30am each Saturday at the village football pitch in Cranwell. Training is free. There are teams for children in Year 2 to Year 6. More details contact [info@cranwelljfc.uk](mailto:info@cranwelljfc.uk)



## Headlice

We have had a number of cases of head lice reported by parents. Please see the link below to help prevent and treat.

<http://www.nhs.uk/Conditions/Head-lice/Pages/Introduction.aspx>

## Parent Evenings

Parent Evenings have been arranged for the week beginning 15<sup>th</sup> October 2018. A letter will be sent home shortly allowing you to book time slots. The School Governors will be in school while Parent Interviews take place, providing refreshments and answering any questions you may have.

### Upcoming Events:

#### Jeans for Genes Day:

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2018

#### Parent Interviews:

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> October 2018

#### Safety Day including Big Breakfast:

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2018

#### This Academic year:

#### Academic Year 2018-2019:

Term 1 ends – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> Oct 2018

Term 2: Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> Oct – Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> Dec 2018

Term 3: Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January – Fri 15<sup>th</sup> Feb 2019

Term 4: Mon 25<sup>th</sup> Feb – Fri 5<sup>th</sup> Apr 2019

Term 5 : Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> Apr – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2019

Term 6 : Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> Jun – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2019



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