



## WHAT'S ON? SUMMER TERM

### SUMMER TERM DATES 2026

8<sup>th</sup> May  
**Future Me Assembly (Invite Only)**

wc 11<sup>th</sup> May  
**End of Key Stage Two Tests**

15<sup>th</sup> May  
**Celebration Assembly (Invite Only)**

wc 25<sup>th</sup> May  
**Half Term Holiday**

1<sup>st</sup> June  
**School Photo Day - Day Change**

wc 1<sup>st</sup> June  
**Multiplication Tables Check window opens**

12<sup>th</sup> June  
**Future Me Assembly (Invite Only)**

19<sup>th</sup> June  
**Professional Day (School Closed)**

10<sup>th</sup> July  
**Summer Fayre**

## MESSAGE FROM OUR HEADTEACHERS

Dear Parent/Carer,

In spite of having a little too much rain, the Year Six pupils have been fantastic this week. They have worked hard, overcome challenges and tried their best. This afternoon, they have enjoyed some well-earned relaxation time with cake from our amazing catering team and drinks provided by the PTA. We could not be prouder of their efforts.

Both of these important events in the school calendar only take place because of the amazing staff we have at Crosshall Junior School, who are role models of **Ambition, Resilience** and **Kindness**.

This week, the Year Six children have been supported in big and small ways. From class teachers giving quiet encouragement and last minute tips, to Teaching Assistants building confidence with their ongoing support, the Year Six pupils have always had someone to talk to about their worries or look to when needed. Only one of the many examples of this have been our two wonderful colleagues who came in early to offer breakfast and fun to those children who wanted or needed it.

Next week, for the residential trip, Crosshall staff will be working extremely long hours to provide a brilliant experience for the children attending. They will be up early to get the day ready and go to bed late after supporting the children with their bedtime routines.

In school, staff tirelessly prepare high-quality learning opportunities, personalise support for individual children and offer the right challenge for pupils to improve.

Without these **ambitious, resilient** and, above all, **kind** staff, we would not be able to offer all we do and we want to take this moment to thank all our colleagues for the amazing job they do.

**Mr Dan Ainscow & Mr Liam Murphy | Headteachers**

## National Year of Reading - Book Suggestions

Our children have a wide range of interests that go beyond reading and these can help engage our pupils in their reading by making links to these interests.

This Year of Reading [website](#) offers some suggestions for books linked to children's other interests. If your children are:

- Gamers - try [these books](#)
- Musicians - try [these books](#)
- TV watchers - try [these](#)
- Into sport - try [these](#)



## Free Books

As we continue to refresh our library, we are finding that we have quite a lot of books we no longer need.

On **Tuesday**, in the **main playground**, we shall put these books out **free** to good homes!

If anyone wishes to make a **donation** to the PTA at the same time, it will be welcomed.



## COMMUNITY NEWS & EVENTS



Visit [Local Community News](#) on our website [HERE](#)



**BROMCOM Parent Portal MCAS App: All parents/ carers must register for MCAS App.**  
See original letter with details on how to setup, activate account and pay for school meals



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[YEAR THREE](#)

[YEAR FOUR](#)

[YEAR FIVE](#)

[YEAR SIX](#)

## Young Carers

Many young carers look after a parent, sibling or grandparent. Caring responsibilities may include doing extra jobs around the house such as cooking or cleaning or helping with someone's personal care and mobility. Sometimes they may not do much actual care, but they are significantly impacted by living in the same household as someone who requires assistance.



We have a thriving Young Carers group in school, to provide support and respite from caring responsibilities, an opportunity to give carers time just to be children and enjoy fun activities with Young Carers from across the school. The children chose the name for our group - the Non Boring Club. They even designed the logo. You may see some of the children proudly wearing their club badge.



The school have formed a partnership with Centre 33 and Caring Together, to provide support to and raise awareness of young carers within our school.

If you believe your child may be a Young Carer, please complete the form [here](#) or contact the office ([office@crosshalljunior.co.uk](mailto:office@crosshalljunior.co.uk)) to make us aware:

## LEARNING ACHIEVEMENTS



COINS	Joel 4RP	IMPROVED	Blake 3LR
COINS	Harriet 5LG	IMPROVED	Ivy 4RP

## Pupil Achievements

Please email ([office@crosshalljunior.co.uk](mailto:office@crosshalljunior.co.uk)) with any achievements of our children so that we can share them with our community.

## USEFUL LINKS



[School Dinners](#)  
[Menus HERE](#)



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**2025-2026 &**  
[future dates](#)



## amazon

### Our Amazon Wishlist has had a refresh!

All the items on the list are part of the Reading Spine. All gifts are very much appreciated and add to what we are able to provide in our classrooms. [CLICK HERE TO VIEW](#)

**Healthy Snacks at breaktime:**  
Please provide your child with a healthy snack for morning break. We encourage a balanced diet in school. ALL snacks MUST BE NUT FREE.



## LEARNING & WELLBEING SUPPORT

With the rising cost of living, many families might find themselves struggling financially.

[Money Advice St Neots](#) are a locally-based charity with the purpose of offering debt advice and budgeting coaching for local people. More information can be found [here](#).

If families are struggling, please reach out to our Learning and Wellbeing Mentors through the school office as we can offer additional support.



## ONLINE SAFETY SUPPORT



The Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) are responsible for supporting people with accessing information and organisations for managing it.

They have created a set of resources for parents to support them with talking to children about online privacy.

If parents want to find out more about settings or improving routines, then the Switched On to Privacy website can provide more information. Parents/carers can access the website [here](#).

## PTA ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

### This Term's Activities:

- Father's Day Shop - 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> June
- Summer Fayre - 10<sup>th</sup> July
- End of Term Disco - TBC



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If you have some spare time or would like to join our committee team please do get in touch via the school office or our Facebook page to find out more details.



The PTA  
need  
you!