



24th April 2026

Dear Parent/ Carer,

Year Six: End of KS2 Tests 11th – 14th May 2026

During the week beginning Monday 11th May 2026, the children will complete their End of Key Stage Two Tests.

The End of Key Stage Two Tests are one method of assessing learning, are an important part of your child's education and should be taken seriously. However, there is much more to your child's education than testing.

During this week, when the children are not sitting their tests, there will be lots of opportunities for fresh air and creative activities. On the afternoon of Friday 15th May (when all the tests have been completed), the year group will be celebrating outside with some music, cakes from the school kitchen, and fizzy drinks provided by the PTA.

Our amazing Learning and Wellbeing Mentors are also offering a breakfast club during testing week. We recognise that this can be a stressful and anxious time for children, so they are offering a breakfast club from 8:15am on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Attendees can enjoy a selection of breakfast cereals or breakfast bars and juice and participate in some settling activities to give them the opportunity to start their school day with a calm, positive approach. They will then be able to head into their class on time without rushing and be ready for the day.

If you would like your child to attend Breakfast Club, please complete [this form](#) by **Friday 1st May**.

Although some children love tests, others can feel worried and anxious. If your child needs a little bit of reassurance or understanding during test week, or is having worries leading up to the tests, please make their class teacher aware via the school office. As a school, we want to make sure your child is prepared and feeling confident.

Attached to this letter is a 'Prepare to Perform' document which offers many ways to help support your child at home. Next week, your child will be bringing home a child's version of the 'Prepare to Perform' booklet which they will have been introduced to in class.

As always, if you need to speak to your child's class teacher about anything related to the End of Key Stage Two Tests, contact them via the **school office on 01480 475972** or email office@crosshalljunior.co.uk.

Yours sincerely,

The Year Six Team, Crosshall Junior School