

# Crayke C of E Primary School

**'TRY YOUR BEST IN EVERYTHING YOU DO'** 

Respect Friendship

Forgiveness

Determination

#### Dear Parents and Carers,

I have been quite overwhelmed with the fantastic start I have had to life as the Headteacher at Crayke CofE Primary School and feel so lucky to be here. I am so impressed with the confident, articulate nature of your children; particularly how well they co-operate, share and take turns. This extends not only to the classroom, but also at lunchtimes and playtimes. It has been lovely to see many of you on the gate in the morning; thank you for your friendly welcome and I look forward to getting to know you all better over the coming months. Visitors this week, including prospective parents, have commented on the "buzz" of learning in classrooms and the vibrant feel around the school. Please read on to find out more about what has been going on in school this week and what's to come in the weeks ahead. It promises to be an exciting term!

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Class 1	Class 2	Class 3	Class 4
Leo Barnes	Brooke Smith	Emily Sharp	Gracie Bramall
	Isabelle Sargent	William Piercy	Nancy Bramall Smith

## **Highlights of the week**

In **Class 1** the children have been learning about shapes and were busy exploring what a sphere is (and isn't!) and Mrs Sheppard and Mrs Helfferich were thrilled with the children's independent writing about her poinsettia.

In **Class 2**, it's all been about the seaside so far and the children have begun exploring what they enjoy about the beach and things they might not yet know about the sea.

**Class 3** have been immersed in geographical skills already this term and enjoyed looking at maps of Europe as a launch to finding out about volcanoes, earthquakes and mountains.

**Class 4** enjoyed a Stunning Start to the week, thinking about where they would like to go on a journey and dressing accordingly. There were some fabulous costumes! Thanks for your support with this.



WEEK TWO	Main course	Dessert
Monday	Sausage, Chips and Beans	Chocolate Cornflake Pudding
Tuesday	Pasta Bolognaise with Cheese & Onion Flat Bread	Fresh Fruit, Yogurt or Cheese & Crackers
Wednesday	Roast Chicken, Sage and Onion Stuffing & Gravy	Fruits of the Forest Flapjack
Thursday	Cheese & Potato Puff Pastry Whirl	Chocolate Sponge & Chocolate Sauce
Friday	Golden Breaded Salmon Fillet	Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt

## **Diary Dates – January 2020**

Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> January 2020	Crayke Seniors' Lunch at Sports Hall	Year 6
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January 2020	Educational Visit – York Minster	Class 4
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> January 2020	Denim for Dementia Day	Whole School
	Achievement Assembly 9:10am	Class 1
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> January 2020	Achievement Assembly 9:10am	Class 3
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> January 2020	SATS Meeting 6pm	Year 6 Parents/Carers
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> January 2020	Candlemas Service- Church	Whole School 1:30pm – all welcome

## Extra-Curricular Clubs – Week Commencing 13th January 2020

Monday	Choir (no charge)				
	3:15pm – 3:45pm				
	Years 3 – 6				
	Mrs Halliday				
Tuesday	Forest Schools (no charge)	Multi-sports (Fee paid direct)	Italian (no charge)		
	3:30pm – 4:15pm	3:30 – 4:45pm	3:30 – 4:15pm		
	Any year	Year 1-6	Year 3-6		
	Mrs Helfferich	Mr Cromack	Mrs Aristizabal		
Wednesday	School Council (no charge)	Sewing (no charge)	Tag Rugby (no charge)		
	3:30pm – 4:15pm	3:30pm – 4:15pm	3:30pm – 4:15pm		
	Councillors	Year 2/3	Year 4/5/6		
	Mrs Jackson	Mrs Dobson	Mr Warriner		
Thursday	<b>Construction</b> (no charge)	Homework (no charge)	Book Club (no charge)		
	3:30pm – 4:15pm	3:30pm – 4:15pm	3:30pm – 4:15pm		
	Year 1/2	Year 5/6	Year 3/4		
	Mrs Sheppard	Mrs Chandler	Mrs Rayner		
Friday	Unique Sports (£2.50 per child)				
	3:30 – 4:15pm				
	Year 2-6				
	Simon Carson Sports School				

Please note - Run a Mile club will recommence after half term on a Tuesday and Thursday morning at 8:30am



Sunday 12th January 10.30am Holy Communion at Crayke - all welcome.

Happy New Year! Revd Liz

#### Website

The school website is an excellent source of information, covering a wide range of topics. Please take a moment to look and "subscribe" to receive updates, if you don't already.