

Weekly Newsletter

'Education on another level, where possibilities are endless'

END OF YEAR REPORTS

Next week you will be receiving your child's end of year report. This compromises of three different areas:

- 1. A comment from your child's Class Teacher
- 2. End of year assessments in relation to your child's development in the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS)
- 3. A next step linked to identified areas of learning and related suggestions for what you can be doing over summer to support your child in their transition to their new year group

Alongside the report, we will also be sharing your child's Pupil Profile. This is something that the children have completed over the last couple of weeks which captures their thoughts about the year they have had. We recommend reading your child's Pupil Profile with them and encourage them, where possible, to expand or elaborate on any of their comments and celebrate the amazing year they have had together.

Your child's Pupil Profile will be out during our Open Doors next week, however if you are unable to attend, we will send home a physical paper copy of this next week.

CHANGEOVER DAY SUCCESS!

Yesterday was an exciting day at Crown Street as all our children - and some new children who are joining us in September - spent some time in their new classrooms with their new teaching team!

We welcomed in some of our new Pre-School children, who spent a bit of time in their classroom with the Pre-School team. Our new Reception children (including lots of our current Pre-school children plus some new children joining in September) spent some time in their new Reception classroom with the Reception Team.

Finally, our Reception children went upstairs and became Year 1s for the day and spent time in their new classroom with Miss Daniel. During the morning, the children and Miss Daniel spent some time getting to know one another, reading 'Dear Zoo', writing letters to the zoo about a possible class pet and building enclosures for different animals. Then in the afternoon, the children explored the book 'Grand Hotel of Feelings' and created some artwork linked to different feelings as they spent time discussing their feelings ahead of Year 1. Finally, to end the day I took delivery of a parcel for our new Year 1 children - a huge teddy bear and their new class pet! So, a huge welcome to Custard, who will be joining Year 1 in September!

ANNUAL PARENT SURVEY

The views of all groups within the school community are incredibly important to us, especially at this point in the year where we are looking back and reviewing this current year, as well as looking ahead to next year and how we can continue to develop as a school.

Therefore, we will be asking our parent and carers to fill out a short survey to let us know how we are doing and how we can make our school even better!

The survey will include some graded questions, but then a free text box at the end for any specific feedback you would like to provide.

Please click here to access the survey

Thank you in advance for taking the time to share your views.

Open Doors

Mon 14th July, 3.30pm – Altius & Citius Tues 15th July, 3.30pm – Fortius & Magnus

We will be welcoming parents/carers into classrooms as a chance to celebrate the children's work and achievements over the year. Your children will also be able to share their 'pupil profiles'. Miss Mcleod Marsh and Miss Hopkins will be available to answer any questions you may have and celebrate the fantastic year they have had with your children.

To make these sessions more relaxed and to avoid crowding, we will be spreading them over two afternoons grouped by House Teams. You do not need to book a slot, it will be more of an informal drop-in session.

Both afternoons will run from $3.30 \, \text{pm} - 4.15 \, \text{pm}$. Please collect your child from the Early Years Gate as usual and then wait outside school so the staff have time to set up.

If you are unable to attend, we will be sending the children's work / books home with them at the end of the academic year so you can share this with them then.

CHARACTER AWARD!

The recipients of our Character Award for the last week are...



One of these was awarded for **Curiosity** within learning by sharing in discussions and asking questions. The other one was awarded for Integrity for trying their best. Well done to both of you!

















MYSTERY READERS

Thank you to Felice's Daddy who impressed our children with his different voices and noises as he read his chosen book!

ASSEMBLY THIS WEEK...

Our assembly this week had two parts.

The first part was all about our School Rules and how we can ensure that we follow these at all times, especially at lunchtime. We discussed our lunchtime rules and discussed how we can work together, within our House Teams, to get House Points at lunchtime. This might involve tidying our tables, eating our food and having conversations with our friends on our tables. We have been very impressed this week with how many points each of our House Teams got, I wonder who get the most next week?

The second part of our assembly was all about books (what a surprise). We watched a video linked to the Summer Reading Challenge and reminded the children all about the magical place that is the library! All children were sent home with a leaflet about the Summer Reading Challenge. We look forward to hearing about the books you all choose to read!

UPCOMING EVENTS ...

PLMM Class Celebration, Thurs 17th July, 9.30am

Pre-School parents/carers a message with the booking link to this has been sent out today, please check your MCAS for information. Please ensure you do book your ticket/s as we are unable to accommodate anyone who has not prebooked a ticket.

End of term, dress down (or up!) day, Friday 18th July

To celebrate the end (well, very nearly end of term), we would like to invite the children to come in on Friday 18th July wearing their own clothes.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Express Uniform (one of our uniform suppliers) held a 'pop-up' shop this week at our Induction Events, however due to some technical difficulties were not able to take as many payments as they wished. So, they are extending a 10% discount on all orders placed through their website before 31st July. When you place the order, please add a note that you were at the Induction Event and the discount will be refunded to you. For more information on School Uniform visit the 'School Uniform' page on our website.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Mon 14th July – Open Doors (for Altius & Citius children and their parents/carers), 3.30 – 4.15pm

Tues 15th July - Open Doors (for Fortius & Magnus children and their parents/carers), 3.30 - 4.15pm

Weds 16th July - Stay & Play for new Pre-School pupils

Thurs 17th July - PLMM Class Celebration, 9.30am

Fri 18th July – PTA Summer Fair, 3.30pm – 5.30pm, School Hall

Tues 22nd July – Last day of our first year! School closes for Summer!

Mon 1st Sept – Inset Day, School closed to all children

Tues 2nd Sept – School Open, first day of Autumn 1

Pre-School and Reception settling in sessions begin

Year 1 children in as usual

Please click 'Term Dates' for the term dates for 2025-2026 academic year



PTA SUMMER FAIR REMINDER

SUMMER FAIR, Friday 18th July 3.30 – 5.30pm, School Hall

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To book your tickets for this event, **please click here**.

