

# CRICK PRIMARY SCHOOL

*Be Curious. Be Resilient. Be Ambitious.*



## A note from Mrs Staniforth

What a busy week we have had in school. Year 4 had their first residential trip to Everdon and had a wonderful time. We were all very proud of how well you represented the school. All the children looked great in their NSPCC number costumes today, and we would like to say a big thank you to parents and carers for helping their children take part. Next week, we are looking forward to, Key Stage 2 Open Morning, Children's mental health week, and Year 2 Class Assembly. I hope you all have an enjoyable weekend. We look forward to welcoming the children back on Monday, the final week before half term.

## Our Values and Rights focus this week:



## Celebration Assembly

We are really looking forward to celebrating everything our pupils have been achieving outside of school. **On Friday 13th February**, we will be holding our 'Certificate of Achievement' assembly. If your child has achieved something special, like a belt in a martial art, music awards, swimming certificate, Rainbows, Beavers or Brownies Badges, we would love to share this during our special assembly. Don't forget to bring the certificate, medal or trophy in by **Thursday 12th February 9am**. Photos and videos can also be emailed to me at [head@crick.northants.sch.uk](mailto:head@crick.northants.sch.uk) to share during this special assembly. All photos and videos need to be emailed by **9am on Thursday 12th February**. All pupils who share a certificate will also feature in that week's newsletter. We can't wait to see what you have all achieved.



## Year 2 Class Assembly

A reminder that our Year 2 Class assembly will be taking place on **Friday 13th February at 3pm**. We look forward to welcoming parents, carers, grandparents, family and friends to watch this special assembly.



## Newsletter No 17

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2026

## Whole School Attendance

**95.6%**  
School expected attendance **97%**

## Year Group Attendance Winners



Reception with 98.6%



## Key Diary Dates

*\*New dates added/changed dates*

### February

- 9<sup>th</sup>–13<sup>th</sup> February – Children's Mental Health Week
- 10<sup>th</sup> February – Online Safety Day
- 11<sup>th</sup> February – Key Stage 2 open morning 9.10am-10.00am
- 13<sup>th</sup> February – FoCS Valentines Mufti day
- 13<sup>th</sup> February – Year 2 class assembly 3pm
- 27<sup>th</sup> February – Headteacher Pupil Voice lunch
- 27<sup>th</sup> February – African dance & drumming workshops

### March

- 2<sup>nd</sup> March Chinese Dragon Workshop
- 4<sup>th</sup> March – Year 6 SATs information evening 5pm
- 5<sup>th</sup> March – World Book Day
- 6<sup>th</sup> March – School Council Easter egg mufti day
- 9<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> March – Science week
- 11<sup>th</sup> March – SEND Coffee afternoon 2.30pm-3.30pm
- 13<sup>th</sup> March – School Council chocolate mufti-day
- 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> March – School Council Tombolo after school
- 17<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> March – Parents' evening
- 18<sup>th</sup> March – Rocksteady concert
- 23<sup>rd</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> March – Book Fair
- 23<sup>rd</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup> March – Easter activity week
- 24<sup>th</sup> March – Year 3 and 4 production 2pm and 6pm
- 25<sup>th</sup> March – Reception & Key Stage 2 open morning 9:10-10am
- 27<sup>th</sup> March - Year 1 Class Assembly 3pm
- 27<sup>th</sup> March - Headteacher Pupil Voice lunch
- 27<sup>th</sup> March – Headteacher Pupil Voice lunch
- 27<sup>th</sup> March – Easter bonnet parade (will be made in school)



## Year 4 Everdon Residential

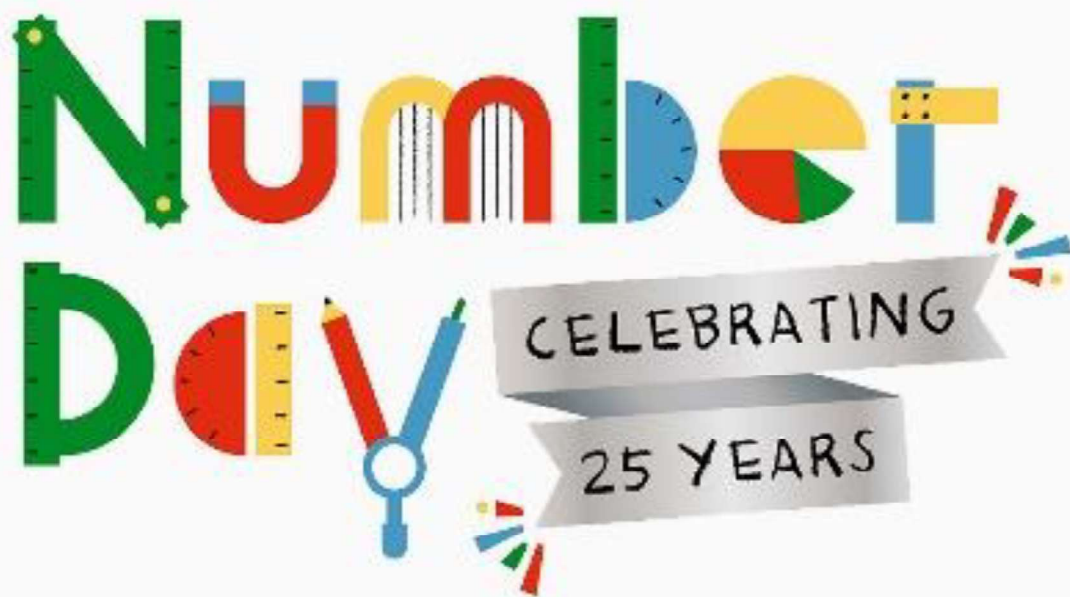
Year 4 had a wonderful time on their Everdon residential this week. They had fun taking part in lots of fun activities, including big den building, drain pipe challenge, fire lighting and a night walk. Year 4 and I would like to say a very big thank you to Mrs Morris and Miss Webster for giving up their time and taking the pupils on this wonderful residential - Thank you! Don't forget to look at our school website for pictures from their wonderful residential. [Year Four | Crick Primary School](#)





## NSPCC Number Day

We all had a fabulous day, today, celebrating NSPCC Number Day. There were lots of fun and exciting activities taking place. It was lovely to see the pupils so excited and engaged in maths activities. Thank you for all your donations and for helping the pupils to look so wonderful in their number outfits. A big thank you, also, to all of the staff for all their hard work in making this possible. Don't forget you can still donate through our Just Giving page To help raise money for the NSPCC, we are asking for a suggested donation of £1 payable via our Justgiving Page: [https://www.justgiving.com/page/crick-primary-school-13?utm\\_medium=FR&utm\\_source=CL](https://www.justgiving.com/page/crick-primary-school-13?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=CL)



## Mrs McCullough

We are sad to share that Mrs McCullough, Year 3 Teaching Assistant, will be leaving us at the end of this term. Mrs McCullough has worked with us as a Teaching Assistant and a 1:1 SEND TA since November 2022 and has been a valued and much-appreciated member of our school community.

She has decided to leave education to explore pastures new, and while we fully support her in this next chapter, she will be greatly missed by staff and pupils alike. We are extremely grateful for her dedication, hard work, and the care she has shown to the children over the years.

Please join us in thanking Mrs McCullough for her commitment and wishing her every success and happiness for the future.



## Key Stage 2 Open Morning

Don't forget, Year 3-6 will be holding their Open Morning on **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February 9:10-10:00am**. Why not come along and see what we get up to in Key Stage 2.

### Welcome to Year 3



### Welcome to Year 4



### Welcome to Year 5



### Welcome to Year 6



## School Council News

The School Council have been working hard this term on a range of exciting initiatives. Members have been busy carrying out pupil questionnaires to find out how children feel about school and to help ensure everyone's voice is heard. They have also been involved in choosing music for the *Star of the Week* assembly, helping to make celebrations even more special. In addition, the School Council are about to launch a new foodbank competition, and they can't wait to share the details of this with you soon. In the meeting this week, they also looked at suggestions from the suggestion box, which ensures all pupils views across the school are listened to. To find out more about what the School Council has been up to, please visit the school website. [School Council](#) | [Crick Primary School](#)



School Council





# Valentines Mufti & Colouring Comp

Bring **£1** to wear mufti on February 13th and  
to enter the colouring competition.

Sheets to be returned by Friday **27th Feb**

One winner per year will be announced week  
commencing 9<sup>th</sup> March and receive a **£5**  
Amazon voucher.



# FoCS

Friends of Crick School  
(Fundraising for our school)

# NSPCC ROCKS

**FRIDAY 6 FEBRUARY**  
**7:30AM TO 7:30PM**



**PLAY IN ANY  
GAME TYPE!**

**1HR TIME LIMIT  
PER PERSON!**



**WINNING CLASS WILL HAVE THE  
HIGHEST NUMBER OF CORRECT  
ANSWERS PER STUDENT!**



**TIMES TABLES  
ROCK STARS**

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## OPAL Bingo

We would like the following items to help us improve lunch times; can you help us? They don't need to be new, just in good working condition.

Get ready to play... OPAL BINGO					
Pool noodles 	Pots and pans 	Old electronics and laptops 	Action figures 	Plastic trucks 	
Milk Crates 	Wooden Decking 	Dinosaurs 	Kids umbrellas 	Fabric/curtains/duvet 	
Lego 	Hobby Horses 	Microwave 	Handbags 	camera 	
Tow till 	Toasters 	Small suitcases 	Kettles 	Strollers 	
Space Hoppers 	Mini watering cans 	Outdoor games and ride on toy 	Brooms 	Shaving foam 	

## Safeguarding at Crick



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## Need to report a safeguarding or wellbeing concern?

If you see, hear, or have a bad feeling about a situation, child or family it is important to tell us about it. You can report your concern to the school via the My Concern Community Reporting Tool. Simply scan the QR code below, or click on the following link and fill in the online form. Please provide as much detail as possible to enable us to manage the concern within our safeguarding procedures.

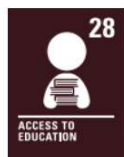
Your safeguarding Leads at Crick Primary are:



<https://form.thesafeguardingcompany.com/9b74e0e8-a28f-48c6-8944-c3c4b063480e>

## Numbots and Times Tables Rock Stars

Congratulations to our Numbots and Times Tables Rock Stars winners, this week and last week. Keep up the hard work!



## Caught Doing the Right Thing

Congratulations to the following pupils, who won a prize in our lunchtime behaviour award competition 'Caught Doing the Right Thing' this week.





## Values children

Well done to the following children, who demonstrated our school values last week and this week:



## Star of the Week

Well done to the following children, who were awarded Star of the week, this week and last week!



<b>Reception</b>	Delilah – For working so hard in all lessons and contributing during class discussions.
<b>Year One</b>	Maria – For working really hard learning her numbers and practicing counting.
<b>Year Two</b>	Isambard – Fantastic artwork influenced by abstract art.
<b>Year Three</b>	Macie- For editing and improving her work to create a super story.
<b>Year Four</b>	At Everdon
<b>Year Five</b>	Harper- For really challenging herself in maths this week.
<b>Year Six</b>	William- For amazing input and effort in all his lessons.

## House Points Weekly Winners



2<sup>nd</sup>

4<sup>th</sup>

3<sup>rd</sup>

1<sup>st</sup>

## House Points Running Total



2689

2360

2363

2981

## Visit our Website and X (Twitter) Page

We are always updating the school website to ensure we provide parents/carers with useful and up to date information. Click on the links to find more about:

[Newsletters](#)

[Letters sent home](#)

[House Captains and House Points](#)

[Class webpages](#)

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## Values and Rights Respecting School

