

Newsletter: 25/5/2018

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## Behaviour

Children who demonstrate an acceptable standard are awarded weekly reward points. To be awarded a point the children would have to be in the right place, at the right time and doing the right thing.

This week 216 children have had good behaviour all week.

Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
26/26	27/28	23/27	29/30	26/28	23/26	29/33	33/33

### Attendance and Lates

95.5% and 17 lates

Our attendance target for the year is 97%.

Year to date: 95.1%

Reception  
2 lates

Year 1  
5 lates

Year 2  
3 lates

Year 3  
3 lates

Year 4  
3 lates

Year 5  
0 lates

Year 6  
1 late

### Student of the week

**Nursery: Austin Cooper-Jones**

**Reception: Micki-Lee Glass**

**Year 1: Ethan Stanger**

**Year 2: Harry Simonton**

**Year 3: Ruby Croft**

**Year 4: Aleeya Binks**

**Year 5: Charlotte Stevenson**

**Year 6: Luka Posa**

Well  
done!

### Up and Coming Key Dates

4th June	School reopens
11 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 London trip
12 <sup>th</sup> June	Y3/4 Coal mining trip
14 <sup>th</sup> June	BBQ school lunch
18 <sup>th</sup> June	Reception trip to Butterfly house
19 <sup>th</sup> June	Hollowford residential.
27 <sup>th</sup> June	Water park residential
28 <sup>th</sup> June	New to nursery meeting 1:30pm
2 <sup>nd</sup> July	KS2 transition with parents 2pm
3 <sup>rd</sup> July	New to reception meeting 10am
4 <sup>th</sup> July	KS1 transition with parents 2pm
5 <sup>th</sup> July	Summer fayre 1:30pm
6 <sup>th</sup> July	Teacher training day
10 <sup>th</sup> July	Beauty and the beast 2pm
11 <sup>th</sup> July	Beauty and the beast 10am
11 <sup>th</sup> July	Nursery sports day 10am
17 <sup>th</sup> July	Sports day (non-comp AM; Comp PM)
19 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 leavers assembly
20 <sup>th</sup> July	Break up for summer

As part of our preparations for GDPR, it is important that we explain how we collect, process, store and destroy personal data we hold. Therefore, we have uploaded our parent and pupil privacy notices on to our website. These can be found at

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### Parrotfish Class

We went to Murton Park as part of our Viking topic. We were able to experience Viking life, making bread, farming and guarding the settlement. Back at school, we have been able to write incredible recounts of the trip and use the information we learnt to write newspaper articles about the Viking invasion.

### Turtle

We have worked hard with their writing. They have been coming out with lots of fabulous ideas and really extending themselves with what they have chosen to write. It has been great to see them come back with such a positive attitude even after SATs!

### Starfish

We have been doing lots of research about Pirates in preparation for our new topic after half term. We have found out some interesting facts about the lives of famous Pirates including the well-known pirate 'Blackbeard'. We are excited to start our new topic and build our own pirate ships after half term!

### Jellyfish

We have taken advantage of the warm weather and used our outdoor area to help us with our learning this week. We have used our water play to invent and create a bubble machine and to investigate floating and sinking. We have used the trim trail in the field to practice our physical skills.

### Stingray

We've had a really busy half term emerging ourselves in the Amazon Rainforest and all the different species of animals which live there. From tribal housing, Amazon river facts and terrific tadpoles the children have enjoyed it all. This week we've finished the topic with tribal dancing and homemade rain sticks! Next half term 'Pirates and Mermaids'...Oh My!

### Angelfish

We have taken part in some brilliant drama work all about Mining. There was some fabulous acting and future stars of the stage I think! In Maths, the children have continued to find fractions of an amount. We have also begun to learn about the Industrial revolution and completed a timeline of major events. We would like to wish you all a lovely half term break.

### Lobster

We have been comparing and contrasting the book Harry Potter and the Philosophers Stone with the film. We had some great in depth discussion about how the book was different to the film and how some of the cinematic features added to the intensity of the words. In art, we have been looking at using multiple art techniques to create a silhouette image.

### Seahorse

This week, we turned into scientists and investigated distance and gravity. We made stomp rockets and paper spinners and tested them in our groups. In maths, we have explored 'long' and 'short' by using cubes, counters and paper clips to measure different things.

### Safeguarding

At Crookesbroom Primary Academy, the welfare of all our pupils is of great importance to us and we hope that parents are confident about their children's health and safety whilst in our academy. We will always try to share any concerns we have with parents. However, there are times when we are legally obliged to share our concerns with other agencies, without first speaking to parents, or without the consent of parents. The safety and protection of our pupils is our most important concern and we wish to reassure you that any sharing of information is done with the children's best interest at heart. If you have any concerns about the welfare or safety of any child in our school you should contact Mrs Hillyer, our Designated Safeguarding Lead. In addition, Mr Longley, our Deputy Safeguarding Lead, can be contacted through the school office. The academy has a duty to inform parents that there is a prohibition on reporting or publishing details (including on social media) that could identify anyone who is subject to an allegation.