



SPRING TERM

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School Newsletter

SCHOOL CALENDAR

JANUARY	
Mon 24	Multicultural Week
Tues 25	Year 1 Hearing Screening
Wed 26	Class 1 Welcome Wednesday
Thurs 27	KS2 Netball @ Ashperton
FEBRUARY	
Wed 2	Class 2 Collective Worship
Wed 2	Yr 6 Quick Sticks Hockey @ MSJ
Thurs 3	KS2 Girls Football @ JMHS
Tues 8	KS2 Boys Football @ JMHS
Thurs 10	Yrs 5/6 Football @ Bosbury
Sat 12	Working Party
Tues 15	Parents Evening
Wed 16	Parents Evening
Fri 18	3pm Half-Term
Mon 28	Back to School

Message from Mrs Jones

Dear Parents,

A challenging week this week with Covid taking hold in a few classes. It seems to be passing between siblings more this time. We are trying to keep things as normal as possible for the children whilst ensuring hand washing, cleaning and ventilation continues. We will continue to monitor the situation.

Next week is Multicultural Week. We will be learning dances from around the world with Karina and each class will be looking at the work of an artist from Japan, France, America, Australia and Brazil.

Clubs are up and running this week. We have a great selection on offer this term - thanks to staff and parents for making these possible.

We are hoping to get a working party together to do some painting and sorting in school to begin with. As the weather improves then we will move to gardening and outdoor work. If you can help in any way please see Tapestry or speak to me or Miss Guy.

Have a good weekend everyone.

God Bless

Mrs Jones

VALUE OF THE MONTH

HOPE

"For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, says the LORD, thoughts of peace and not of evil, to give you a future and a hope."

Jeremiah 29:11

COVID Update

As you are all aware COVID is still very much with us. With this in mind please remain vigilant and if your child has any of the following symptoms please keep them at home and arrange a PCR test for them:

- ◆ A new continuous cough
- ◆ A high temperature
- ◆ A loss of or change in taste and/or smell

To help us all stay safe, please could all adults in the home carry out Lateral Flow Tests twice weekly.

If your child has been a close contact with a positive case, please ensure they carry out an LFD test daily. If it is negative then they can come to school. If they are unwell in any way, ie. runny nose, cold symptoms etc please arrange a PCR test for them.

You can order Lateral Flow Tests via this link - <https://www.gov.uk/order-coronavirus-rapid-lateral-flow-tests>

Thanks for your support.



Please make sure you clearly label your child's belongings with their name so that they can be returned to them if they are mislaid.



We are now collecting empty printer ink cartridges to raise funds for our school. The collection box is the reception area - please bring any in that you have at home and pop them in the box. Thank you!

Recycle Your Ink Cartridges
and help us raise money!

Recycle  Charity



Attendance

Well done to Class 5 who have had 99.05% attendance this week! They get to look after Alfie the Attendance Bear next week. Please can we remind parents that **arrivals after 8.45am are counted as late and arrivals after 8.55am once registers close count as a missed morning session and are included in attendance figures.**

Class 1 – 95.15% Whole school – 91.47%

Class 2 – 96.31%

Class 3 – 92.81%

Class 4 – 76.61%

Class 5 – 99.05%



Teeny Tots Toddler Group



We are a friendly, local toddler group that meets in Storridge Village Hall. We welcome little ones from 0-5, accompanied and supervised by their parents/carers, to stay and play. We meet on Thursdays from 10:30-12 during term time, for a charge of £2 per family, which includes a craft activity, songs, snacks and drinks.



Friends of Cradley School

NEWS

With Covid still in school we aren't planning any events at present but look forward to having some fun activities for the children in the near future.

Thank you to everyone for bringing in clothes for the Rags 2 Riches collection this week - we raised £55 for the school!

We still have 11 bottles of apple juice for sale in reception - £2.50 per bottle.

Warm regards,

Kitty, Emma and Annie and all members of FoCS

Please take part in Easyfundraising - <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/friendsofcradleyschool>

And School Lottery <https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/cradley-ce-primary-school>



Clubs

A reminder of the clubs timetable for this term.



Club	Day/Time	Years	Member of Staff
Cross Country	Monday Lunchtime	Yrs 4-6	Ms George
Book Club	Monday 3-4pm	Yrs 4-6	Miss Guy
Little Fishes: Bible Based Stories and Craft	Monday 3-4pm	Reception	Mrs Jones
KS1 Football	Monday 3-4pm	Yrs 1-2	Ms Gleaves
KS2 Boys Football	Tuesday 3-4pm	Yrs 3-6 (max 30)	Kyle (Coach) & Miss Evans
Gardening	Tuesday 3-4pm (SECOND HALF-TERM ONLY)	Yrs 3-6	Ms George
Languages	Tuesday 3-4pm	Yrs 1-2	Miss Grizzell
Digital Leaders	Wednesday Lunchtime	Yrs 1-2	Miss Guy
Netball	Wednesday 3-4pm	Yrs 3-6	Miss Creek
Board Games	Wednesday 3-4pm	Yrs 4-6 (max 12)	Mr Hurley
Choir	Thursday Lunchtime	Yrs 3-6	Miss Tuckwood
KS2 Girls Football	Thursday 3-4pm	Yrs 3-6	Miss Creek





STARS OF THE WEEK



NURSERY	Donna and Crystal for being such superstars in nursery this week!
CLASS 1	Isaac for being a brilliant independent learner. James for always being positive with his learning.
CLASS 2	Sofia for always taking a pride in the presentation of her work. Cherish for positive thinking and being a good friend.
CLASS 3	Olivia for persevering with her swimming. Jack Y for taking pride in his setting description.
CLASS 4	Thomas for persevering with his handwriting. Delilah for self-correcting and having a positive attitude in everything she does.
CLASS 5	Adam for excellent shading in still life drawing. Will for good use of language when writing - drawing on his reading for ideas.
HEADTEACHER'S AWARD	Arthur for showing great courage in sharing his work. Ruby C for being a good friend to new children in her class.





NURSERY NEWS



On Monday we went to the hall for PE! The children loved the warm-up songs with Sticky Kids, 'Stand Up, Sit Down' being their favourite! After we were all warmed up, we split into three teams and each team had to find objects that were spread around the hall in their team colour! The blue team were very speedy this week! Afterwards Donna made all of us some delicious toast with raisins. Monday afternoon was sunny so we made the most of it and headed outside on the field. The mud slide was very popular and all of the children had lots of fun.

On Tuesday the children enjoyed baking fairy cakes with Crystal. They took turns adding in the ingredients and I think decorating them with icing and sprinkles was their favourite part!

On Wednesday the children painted pictures with Crystal and enjoyed crumpets with jam or honey on with Donna for snack time. During the afternoon the sun was shining again so we headed out on our playground where the children played on the ride-ons and in the playhouse.

On Thursday the children enjoyed fruit skewers for snack time. In the afternoon we went for a lovely walk around the village and saw lots of animals including horses, goats and alpacas. We finished our walk at Cradley Park where the children enjoyed the slide and swings.

On Friday we played party games in nursery to end our nursery week.

Class 3

Class 3 are creating their own Roman shields inspired by the ones the Roman army would have used. We have designed our shields with eagle wings and lightning bolts as they are symbols of strength and power. When they are dry, we will recreate the tortoise formation the Roman army used as a defence tactic.

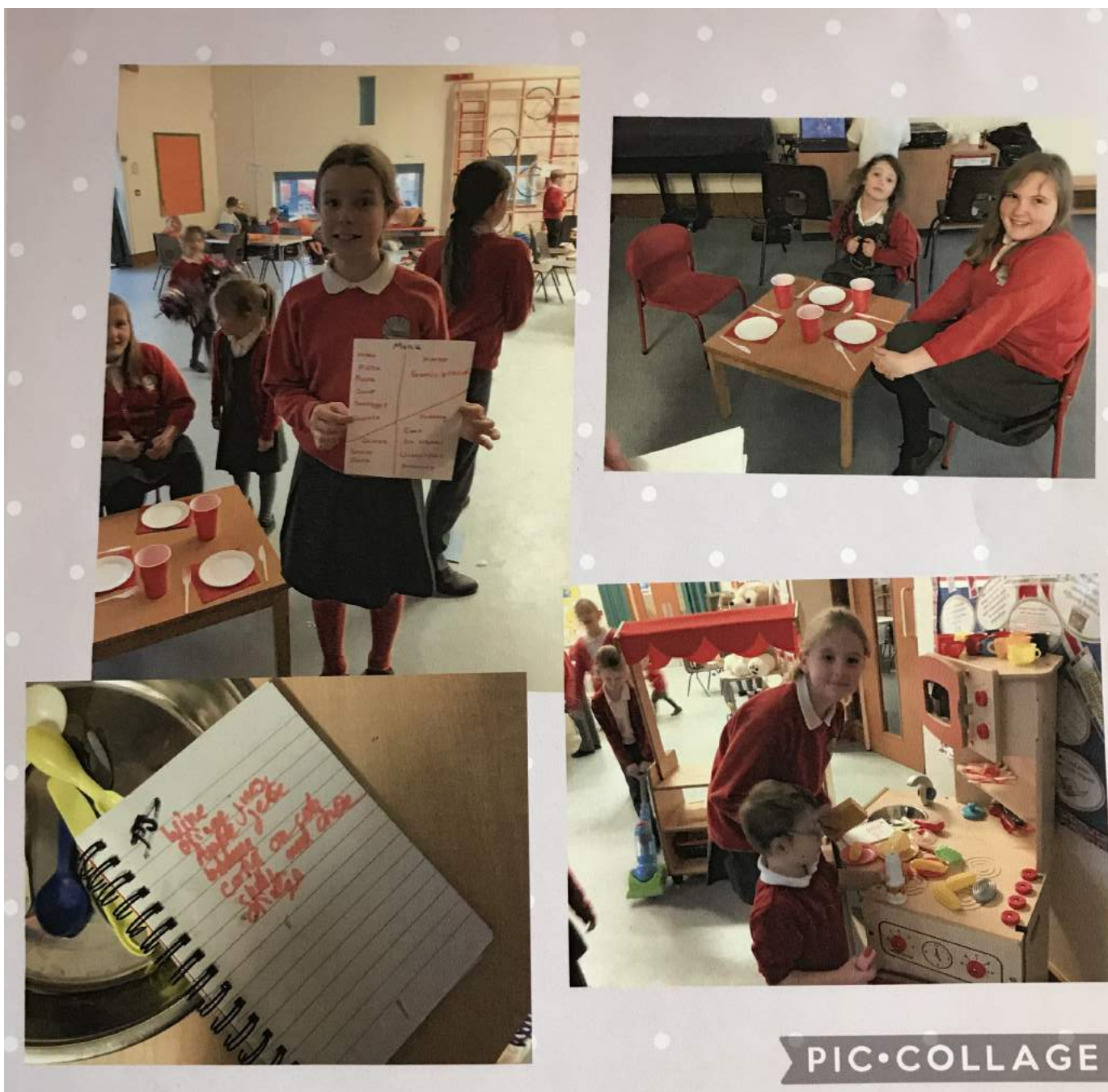


After-school Club

After-school club runs Monday-Friday, 3-6pm in the school hall. It costs £4 per hour and is staffed by Donna and Dale. You book online through School Money.

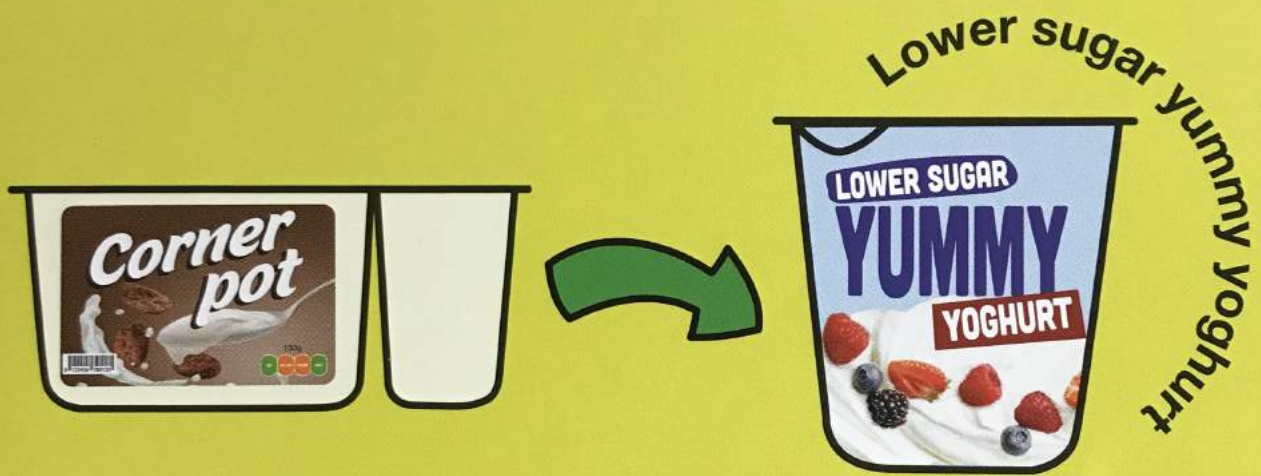
Special Events

31 January - Film Night



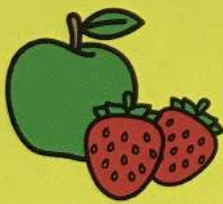
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