

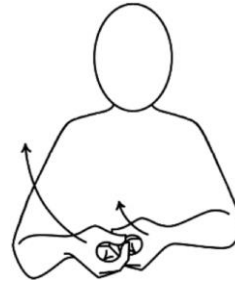
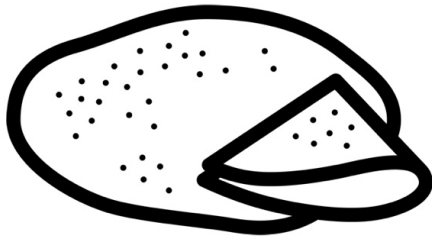
CROFT CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Welcome back to our new half term! The children have come back into school brilliantly and are settled and are working hard. I hope you have all had a restful and gentle holiday.

Value of our Spring half term

Our value is FORGIVENESS. We are looking at different stories from the Bible which are all about forgiveness. We shall be looking at how important it is in our own lives to forgive others.

Sign of the week: pancake



Croft Litter Wombles

Ebony Hill was keen to get involved in tidying up her local area and protecting the wildlife. She is a founder member of the newly established Croft Litter Wombles! Blaby council provided us with hi viz jackets, pickers and plenty of sacks. You may spot Ebony on the outskirts of Croft eagerly scouting for litter. She has made some interesting and sometimes disgusting finds like a mouse stuck in a bottle 😬 making her all the keener to help her local environment and wildlife. There is more help always needed to keep our villages clean so if you would also like to get involved please take a look at the South Leicestershire Litter Wombles Facebook page and others in your area. Blaby district council will provide litter picking equipment to residents and details of the collection of any bags you fill. To order yours and for more information contact waste.cleansing@blaby.gov.uk and they will organise this for you. It doesn't have to be a lot of time that you can give, any help at all would make a big difference. You'll be amazed what you can find in just an hour!



Road safety and car park safety.

We have now completed two risk assessments of our school road and car park during different times of the day. We will inform you of the changes we are going to make due to our findings in the next few weeks.

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World Book Day

For our World Book Day this year we are not dressing up as I know this causes many families some challenging issues. It will be normal school uniform. So, to be fully inclusive, we are doing things a little different this year! We are asking if every child can bring in a spare plain white t-shirt to school with them to school – please don't wear them. During the school day, we shall be decorating them with our favourite book characters. We are also having a competition! It is for the best POTATO book character. Your child will be invited to dress up a potato as their favourite book character. So - start getting creative! These potatoes will need to be in school on the 5th March. The best potato from each class will receive a book voucher. Also, your child is invited to bring in their favourite story to share with the class. At 3pm, families are welcome to come into their child's class to share some stories with your child.

These children are the STARS OF THE WEEK

Layla-Rose – for having a calm and mature attitude in class and for always being so smiley.
Eliza- for her incredible attitude to learning and for always showing compassion. Kai – for trying hard with his writing. Max – for taking ownership of his learning and making excellent progress.

Dates for your diary

26th February Beat the street starts

3rd March – **SCHOOL CLOSED ALL DAY**

4th March – revised date for memorial service for Mr Whittaker 2.45-3.15pm

5th March World Book Day

6th March Attenborough class assembly

6th March Hawkins and Jefferys trip to Space Centre

9th - 13th March Sports Relief week - more details to follow

13th March Jeffreys class assembly

20th March Lineker class assembly

27th March Whittle class assembly

1st April parents evening 3.30-7.30pm

2nd April parents evening 3.30- 5pm

3rd April Cook class assembly

Warmest regards. Mrs Rachel Roberts