CROSSLEE COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Friday 6th November 2026

NEWSLETTER

Welcome to our November newsletter! We're thrilled to share the latest updates, celebrate achievements, and keep you connected with everything happening at Crosslee.

It has been another busy and productive week in school! I have loved getting out into classrooms and seeing our new spelling lessons in action - the children are showing fantastic focus and enthusiasm for their words.

Looking ahead to next week, we have a couple of important dates for your diary:

- **Thursday:** We will be collecting **Christmas Fair donations**. Thank you in advance for your generosity and support in making our fair a wonderful event!
- **Friday: School Photo Day**. Please ensure children arrive in full school uniform, ready to smile for the camera!

Thank you as always for your continued support, and I hope you all have a wonderful weekend.

Warm regards,

Mrs Smith

Diary Dates

Thursday 12th November - Own clothes for chocolate donations

Friday 13th November - Individual photographs

Attendance

Our whole school target is

97%

This week our attendance was

96.1%

Certificate Winners

Nursery: Ayden
Reception Mars: Merveille & Carter
Reception Jupiter: Zeyd & Taim
Year 1 Saturn: Bibi & Riley
Year 1 Venus: Shawn & Reynard
Year 2 Whirlpool: Reggie, Mohammed & Isaac
Year 2 Milkyway: Louis & Alexandra
Year 3 Supernova: Anas & Abubakar
Year 3 Galaxy Elnatan & Mahi
Year 4 Ranger: Omieye & Jasmine
Year 5 Newton: Alson & Mohammad
Year 5 Hubble: Dorian & Jasmine
Year 6 Phoenix: Imogen & Tofunmi
Year 6 Hercules: Eshani & Serahi

Attendance Challenge Week

249 children had 100% attendance this week

1 class was our class challenger winner with 100% Well Done to Year 1 Venus

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INFORMATION

Word of the Week

Community

A group of people who work or live together and share a set of common values.

British Value



By following the school rules and values, we can make our school community a safe and happy place to learn.

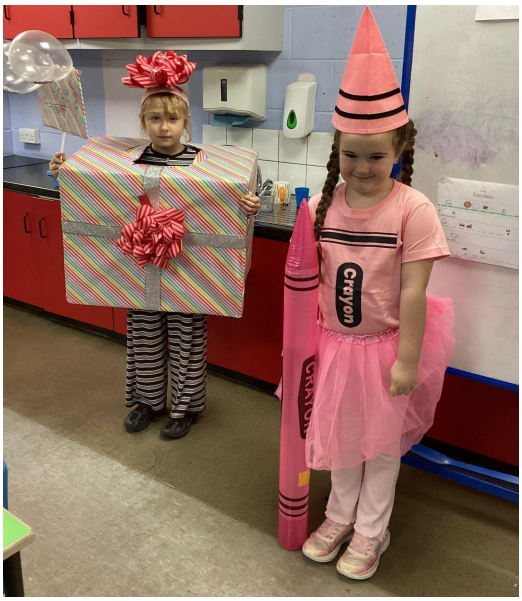
Polite Reminders

- School meals needs to be paid for in advance via ParentPay, please ensure this is done by the Sunday prior to the week ahead.
- Please do not park in front of driveways outside of school. We have had a few neighbours complaining.
- If you arrive before 08:45 am and are not booked in breakfast club, please go to the playground to wait for your child's class to open the door.
- If you wish for your child to attend breakfast and/or after school club, this needs to be booked via Progressive Sports.
- If your child is going to be late, please bring them through the office and sign them in with a reason why they are late. We have to record this on our attendance system.
- No vaping is permitted on the school site.

FOCUS OF THE WEEK: Spelling Day











It was fantastic to see the school come alive today for the launch of our new spelling scheme! The children looked incredible dressed up as their chosen words- the creativity and effort were truly amazing, and it brought so much excitement to our learning.

The children have really enjoyed using the new spelling website in school today and are eager to keep going. Please encourage your child to log on at home to practice their spellings and build on the great progress they've already made this week.

Thank you so much for your continued support in making our launch day such a success!

Mr Pugh

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

NOVEMBER 2026

Friday 6th November	Dress as a word - spelling scheme launch
Thursday 12th November	Own clothes day - chocolate donation Stay & Play - 9am KS2 bulb planting
Friday 13th November	Individual Photographs
Monday 16th November	Odd sock day
Tuesday 17th November	Peoplescape Theatre - N, R & Y1
Wednesday 18th November	Flu Vaccinations
Thursday 19th November	Children in need - Own clothes Sensory room visit to Etihad - SS Planets
Friday 20th November	Inset day

MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW FOR ANY EVENTS ON DOJO

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

DECEMBER 2026

Tuesday 1st December	Stay & Play KS2 Bulb Planting - Eco focused 9-10am
Wednesday 2nd December	Reception stay & play
Thursday 3rd December	Nursery stay & play 2:45pm
Friday 4th December	Own clothes day - EYFS & KS1 sweets donations, KS2 £1 toy donations
Wednesday 9th December	Jodrell Bank Y5 Trip
Thursday 10th December	Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Dinner
Friday 11th December	Y4 - Y6 Christmas Carols & Steel pans
Monday 14th December	Own clothes - Cake donations Christmas Fair 3:30 - 4:30
Tuesday 15th December	EYs singalong 9:30am Y5 Care Home Singalong
Wednesday 16th December	Y1 - Y3 Nativity
Friday 18th December	Christmas parties Last day of term

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JOIN OUR PTA!

DO YOU WANT TO HELP
with fundraising & organising events
TO BENEFIT THE PUPILS, SCHOOL & COMMUNITY?

We are looking for
5-6 PARENTS TO JOIN US!



Christmas Fair



Colour Run



school disco

MESSAGE MRS GILLIBURN ON DOJO
to attend our first meeting and find out more details.

JOIN US ON
Friday 6th November @ 2:30pm

Reach for the Stars

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A member of the Shaw Education Trust
CLIC Co-operative Trust

Nursery & Reception Open Morning

If your child is due to start Nursery or Reception in 2027, we would love to show you around our school!

Wednesday 18th November | 9:15 - 10:15







We look forward to welcoming you

EACH CHILD TAKES AWAY A GOODY BAG

Welcome to Crosslee Community Primary School — a place where children feel inspired, supported and excited to learn.

Anne-Marie Smith
Headteacher

> "Pupils enjoy coming to school and they develop a firm sense of belonging. Staff know pupils well and staff identify children's needs quickly and put support in place."
>
> **OFSTED 2026**

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What is

SAFEGUARDING?

Safeguarding means protecting children's safety and wellbeing. It's about making sure they grow up safe, cared for, and respected.

Types of harm:

- **Physical harm:** hitting, shaking, or rough handling
- **Emotional harm:** shouting, constant criticism, ignoring, or making a child feel unloved
- **Neglect:** not providing enough food, clean clothes, warmth, supervision, or medical care
- **Sexual harm:** inappropriate touching, exposure to sexual content, or exploitation
- **Domestic abuse:** seeing or hearing violence at home, even if the child isn't directly hurt.
- **Online harm:** bullying, grooming, or exposure to harmful content on social media or games

Children have the right to feel safe, cared for, and respected. Speak up if something doesn't feel right.

Safeguarding Contacts:

NSPCC: 0808 800 5000

Manchester Safeguarding Hub: 0161 234 5001

Crosslee Primary School: Ask for Mr Pugh, **Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL)** – 0161 795 8493

Share a Concern Anonymously

If something is worrying you or a friend, you can let us know here.

It's confidential. We're here to help.

Share

Scan the QR code and tell us what's worrying you.

Confidential

Your message is anonymous and secure.

Support

Every concern is reviewed by the safeguarding team so the right support can be provided.

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