



Crookfur Primary School & Family Centre



Friday 27th August 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope that you are well and that all of the children have enjoyed their first full week of school. We have been very fortunate to enjoy the lovely weather and our Sports Committee are eager to issue some new playground toys that we have purchased with Beat the Street prize voucher.

Covid -19 Guidance

A reminder that following guidance must be observed in and around the school.

- ✓ For the time being, we request that face coverings are worn by adults in school grounds and by those waiting at the school gates
- ✓ At least 1m distancing should be observed between adults at all times
- ✓ To keep congestion to a minimum only **one** parent/carer should enter school grounds (P1 and P2 only) or wait at the gates (P3-P7).
- ✓ P1 parents/carers collect their children in the P1 playground. **No other adults should enter the playground before or after school.**
- ✓ Children are not permitted to play on school grounds at the end of the day. When you have collected your child(ren) please move away from the school grounds promptly.
- ✓ Children can be collected from the gate at the car park if you will be moving off to the Patterton side. Class teachers will pause to enable children to cross at the zebra to meet parents/carers.
- ✓ We operate a clockwise one way system at drop off and pick up. *The exception to this is P1 at the **end of the day** who can leave via the footpath towards Eastwood High School. If your child is in P1 and you are going to the Patterton side of the school, please continue along the front of the school past the main reception and down the one way system at our car park.*

Thank you for your cooperation 😊

Class Blogs

To share learning and school events, each class will update their own blog. Blogs can be accessed through the school website. Please take time to have a look!

<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/er/Crookfur/pupils/class-blogs/>

A Message from the Parent Council

I have attached a letter with this newsletter sent on behalf of the Parent Council. I trust that you will find this informative and encourage as many families as possible to engage with our Parent Council.

Woodland

We are working on our woodland timetables to ensure all classes have opportunities for outdoor learning in our wilder sites on the school grounds. This week some classes visited the areas to plan the resources and equipment that we may need to add to develop the areas.

We expect our woodland timetables to commence week beginning 6th September. This will allow for some clearing of the area of nettles etc and risk assessments to be carried out.

Further information will follow.

Non-Class Contact

This session, teachers' contractual non-class contact time will be weekly. During this time, classes will be taught by the teacher linked to their stage. I have noted the day and teachers below for your information.

Class	Day	Teacher
P1A	Monday pm	Miss Bishop
P1B	Tuesday pm	Miss Bishop
P1C	Thursday pm	Miss Faull
P2A	Wednesday pm, Thursday	Mrs McKim
P2B	Monday pm	Mrs McKim
P2C	Thursday pm	Mrs McKim
P3A	Wednesday am	Mr McMillan
P3B	Wednesday pm	Mr McMillan
P3C	Friday am	Mr McMillan
P4A	Thursday pm	Mr McMillan
P4B	Tuesday am	Mr McMillan
P4/5	Thursday am	Mr McMillan
P5A	Monday pm (Mr McMillan), Tuesday (Mrs Fry)	Mr McMillan & Mrs Fry
P5B	Tuesday pm	Mr McMillan
P6A	Wednesday pm	Mrs Hutchison
P6B	Wednesday am	Mrs Hutchison
P7A	Tuesday am	Mrs Hutchison
P7B	Tuesday pm	Mrs Hutchison

Forms

A reminder that your child has been issued with a consent form for flu immunisation. Please complete this and return it to school in the envelope provided.

Annual data check forms and local area consent forms will be issued soon. For continuing students who have already completed medical and dietary forms, we will carry this information forward. If your child's requirements have changed or need to be updated, please contact the school office (0141 570 7120; SchoolMail@crookfur.e-renfrew.sch.uk)

I hope that you have a lovely weekend.

Warmest wishes



Sheena McGuigan
Head Teacher

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 8th September – Parent Council Meeting and AGM, 7pm, Zoom (details to follow)

Friday 24th September – School closed September holiday weekend

Monday 27th September- School closed September holiday weekend

Monday 11th October – Friday 15th October – School closed October holiday

Monday 18th October – In Service Day for staff, school closed for children

Tuesday 19th October – School re-opens, 9am