



Crawford Village
Primary School & Nursery

THE CRAWFORD CHRONICLE

Friday 15th September 2023

Class Attendances

8 th September 2023			15 th September 2023		
C1	C2	C3	C1	C2	C3
90.7%	93.1%	100%	92.5%	95.2%	98.8%

School
Target
96%

A note from Class 1...

Welcome back Class 1!

We have loved welcoming back our Nursery and Reception children. Some new faces, some old faces, but all happy faces.

As a class, we are busy making new friends and getting to know each other even better. We have already enjoyed our very successful first Stay and Play of the year and are looking forward to getting to know our families too over the year.

The children have been busy exploring our new areas and have really taken to our calm and relaxing way of learning. Over the next few weeks we will continue to settle the children in and introduce our sessions in phonics and maths.

Please keep checking Seesaw regularly for photographs, messages and key information about Class 1, as we have lots of exciting new topic days coming up!

#watch-this-space!



Coming up @ Crawford...

Diary Dates

Mon	Lunchtime - School Council / Choir
Tues	Lunchtime - Well-Being Club After School - Eco Club
Wed	Lunchtime - Spanish / Chicken Club Before School - Netball / After School - Craft Club
Thurs	Lunchtime - Brass / Chess After School - Football
Fri	Lunchtime - Coding Club After School - After School Sports
Mon	Lunchtime - School Council / Choir
Tues	Lunchtime - Well-Being Club After School - Eco Club
Wed	Lunchtime - Spanish / Chicken Club Before School - Netball / After School - Craft Club
Thurs	Lunchtime - Brass / Chess After School - Football
Fri	Whole school assembly Lunchtime - Coding Club

Next week:

19th September
YOGI Group in School
C2 Swimming starts

21st September
Phonics Workshops

22nd September
Posh Nosh

Later in the half-term:

11th October
9.15am Harvest Festival

12th October
EYFS Hispanic Day

16th October
3.30-6.30 Parents' Evening

17th October
3.30-6.30 Parents' Evening

19th October
Halloween Dress-up Day
Halloween Disco

20th October
Break up for half-term



To all our
Crawford School
Family

From all
Crawford School
Staff

Date	Theme
04/09/2023	Free Choice
11/09/2023	Jewellery Making
18/09/2023	Dinosaurs
25/09/2023	Ocean
02/10/2023	Harvest
09/10/2023	Autumn
16/10/2023	Fire Safety/Bonfire Night/Halloween
30/10/2023	Fire Safety/Bonfire Night/Halloween
06/11/2023	Diwali
13/11/2023	Music
20/11/2023	Transport
27/11/2023	Bugs
04/12/2023	Christmas
11/12/2023	Christmas
18/12/2023	Christmas
01/01/2024	Winter
08/01/2024	Junk modelling
15/01/2024	Board Games
22/01/2024	Burn's Night
29/01/2024	Baking
05/02/2024	Chinese New Year (Dragon 10.2.24)
19/02/2024	Black History Month
26/02/2024	Cookery
04/03/2024	Mother's Day /World book Day
11/03/2024	St Patrick's Day
18/03/2024	Easter
25/03/2024	Easter
15/04/2024	Spring
22/04/2024	IPads/iMovie
29/04/2024	Pirates
06/05/2024	Farm
13/05/2024	Emotions
20/05/2024	Beach
10/06/2024	Father's Day
17/06/2024	Circus
24/06/2024	Summer
01/07/2024	Den Building
08/07/2024	Outdoor Games
15/07/2024	Free Choice



Award Winners



Star of the Week

C1 All C1
C2 Charlie
C3 Oliver H

C1 Evelyn
C2 Jenson
C3 Finley W



Pride Award

C2 Alaina
C3 Bella

C2 Lilian
C3 Jack



Super Writers

C2 Harriet
C3 Alex

C2 Hattie
C3 Florence
Y3/4 Olviia L

Housepoints

OWLS



1st



2nd



4th



3rd

Find us on social media...



Crawford Village Primary School



@crawford_school

Don't forget to log on to your child's Seesaw account. You will find work that they do in school, photographs and videos that are not uploaded to social media and you can upload photos from home. Please ask if you are having any problems logging on and we will help if we can.

Do not forget to check out our school website! You will find details of upcoming events, term dates, important key documents and policies plus lots of information and photographs showcasing what we have been doing in school.



Meet the Governors



Dr Chris Lomas
Chair of Governors

Responsibilities:

**Safeguarding,
Data Protection Officer,
Health & Safety, Appraisal
Committee**

Hi, I'm Chris, and I'm incredibly proud to be the Chair of the Governing Board here at Crawford Village Primary School. I've been a Governor here for 9 years and while the staff and pupils have changed during that time, it has always had the most incredible, welcoming atmosphere and there's always a buzz of excitement about the place.

Outside of being a Governor I work at Edge Hill University as Head of Web and Digital Services, I'm a bit of a computer geek I guess! But I also love the outdoors and many of you will know I'm also the lead volunteer at Crawford Village Scout Group where I love helping young people to get the great start in life and the incredible experiences that my Scout leaders gave to me. I'm also a member of Bolton Mountain Rescue Team, a really worthwhile charity I'm passionate about, because it provides that safety net to allow and encourage people to enjoy wild and remote places, knowing people will come and help them if they need it.

And of course, my family are everything to me. I'm married to Heather and I have a son Ben, as well as a daughter Catherine and step-daughter Amy, both of whom have attended and loved every minute of their time at Crawford! Whenever we get the chance we love to travel, usually by motorhome to explore far-flung islands for some peace and quiet. 😊

Meet the Staff



Miss Davies
Class 1 Teacher

Responsibilities:

**Deputy DSL, EYFS Lead, Art
Subject Leader, Design
Technology Subject Leader**

Hi name is Miss Davies and I work in Class 1. This is my 7th year at Crawford and I am loving every minute.

When I am not at school, I am out and about on adventures with my two wonderful boys Charles and Arthur. Oh and our pooch Dorothy. We love walking, camping, paddle boarding and discovering new places. Our favourite place is Scotland and we visit a number of times throughout the year with my parents and my nephews.

I also love to cook and love to eat even more so. 😊 We often have our very own 'Bake Off' and 'Master Chef' competitions where we use the seasonal ingredients that have grown on our family allotment.

I also love the Arts and visiting galleries and exhibitions as well as watching theatre productions.

My wishes this year are to have bundles of fun in Class and to make more memories with my boys.

How can we help you travel greener? Walking and cycling survey

Everyone is invited to take part in a survey to help shape future plans for cycling and walking in Lancashire.

Lancashire County Council, in partnership with Blackpool Council, want to join up the gaps in our existing network of footpaths and cycle routes and provide safer, direct and more convenient routes.



Following feedback from our initial public engagement last year, the councils have produced a draft network map of cycling and walking networks routes in Lancashire. They need people from all areas of the county to provide feedback on anything you think could be improved, including what would help encourage you to walk and cycle to school. [The survey will be available on their website until 24 October.](https://lancashire.citizenspace.com/lcwip-engagement-stage-2/)

Additional design and feasibility work will be needed to take any of the proposed schemes forward.

You can find out more and take part in the survey at <https://lancashire.citizenspace.com/lcwip-engagement-stage-2/>

