

8th March 2019



Thank you everyone - your costumes were brilliant, you all looked fabulous!

Nursery notices...

Late charge

Please take note:

If you are late picking up you will be subject to an automatic charge of £10 per half hour (or part thereof)

PE on Thursday mornings

We have PE in the hall on a Thursday morning, often using the climbing and balancing apparatus. Please can you make sure your child wears suitable footwear (e.g. trainers) on that day - thank you x

Joke of the week:

Why didn't the burglar break into the library?



He was afraid of getting a long sentence...!



Dates to remember:

Crackley Hall School and Little Crackers Open Morning
This Saturday 10.30am

School closes for Easter holiday (term time children)

Wed 10th April - Mon 29th April

Half term (term time children)

Mon 27th May - Mon 3rd June

SPORTS DAY!!!

Thursday 13th June 9.30am

PRE-SCHOOL GRADUATION!!!

Tuesday 25th June (afternoon)

School closes for the Summer (term time children)
Wednesday 3rd July

Next week we will be:

Writing the letters in our name and the sound of the week: **r** for:



rabbits, roses, robots, rings, rugby, rice and rags!

Spotlight on... Phase 1 phonics

Would you believe... the important foundations of learning to read have nothing to do with letters! There are 6 strands (no particular order) that children need to have thoroughly explored first... Whilst many of our pre-schoolers are starting to dip their toes in the wider pool of reading, we mustn't forget the benefits of swimming in the sea of sounds first (!!!) Even as we move forward with different letters each week, we are still remembering these in everything we do...

Message from Mrs Bird!

If you would like to increase your sessions towards the end of the year, (especially those of you in the pre-school thinking of Reception class next year), please let her know ASAP as spaces are filling up!

Environmental sounds: what can you hear?

Instrumental sounds: can you play loud and quiet?

Body percussion: can you join in with actions?

Rhythm and Rhyme: can you match rhyming items?

Alliteration: can you find items with the same initial sound?

Voice sounds: can you copy sound talk p-i-n?

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