



## Crossley Fields School Weekly Newsletter

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### Please Note



### Summer Holiday

Please note school closes on Friday 21st July for the Summer break and re-opens at 8.55 am on Wednesday 6th September. We hope you have a lovely Summer.

### Inspection

Please find attached document regarding our recent Inspection.

### Mirfield Carnival – Mirfield Takes Flight – Sunday 16th July

Some of our children have been busy getting creative in Art Club in order to take part in the Mirfield Carnival. The parade sets off at 2.00 pm from Mirfield Library this Sunday (16th July). It would be great if you could support us by coming to watch!

### Sports Days

Please note, we have re-arranged the postponed Sports Days from this week to next. Parents are invited to attend these but must not take photographs or videos of children (on phones or other recording devices). If Sports Days are unable to go ahead this time due to the weather then unfortunately we will be unable to re-arrange them.

<b>Year 5:</b>	9:15 am Monday 17th July 2017 (as planned)
<b>Foundation Stage:</b>	9:15 am Tuesday 18th July 2017 (as planned)
<b>Year 2:</b>	1:15 pm Monday 17th July 2017
<b>Year 6:</b>	9:15 am Friday 21st July 2017

## **Parents Consultative Committee**

Please note the last Parents Consultative Committee meeting for this academic year takes place on Thursday 20th July from 9.15 – 11.00 am in the Key Stage 2 building.

## **Year 6 - A Night at the Oscars – Thursday 20th July**

A Night at the Oscars will take place for Year 6 children on Thursday 20th July between 6.00 pm and 7.30 pm on the field next to the Y4 classrooms. The evening will be in the style of an outdoor picnic this year. We encourage you to bring the following:

- A picnic rug / chairs
- Snacks (nut-free)
- Drinks (alcohol-free)

A letter has been sent home today giving more details.

### ***Coming up week commencing 17th July:***

#### ***Tuesday 18th July***

Year 6 Production of The Lion King – 6.15 – 7.45 pm (Refreshments served from 5.45 pm)

#### ***Wednesday 19th July***

Year 6 Production of The Lion King – 6.15 – 7.45 pm  
(Refreshments served from 5.45 pm)

#### ***Thursday 20th July***

Parents Consultative Committee – 9.15 – 11.00 am  
Year 6 Leavers Evening – 6.00 pm – 7.30 pm



## **Inspection**

Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of Education, Children's Services and Skills (HMCI) inspected Crossley Fields Junior and Infant School under section 8 of the Education Act 2005 (as amended) on 11 July 2017. This inspection was then converted to a Section 5 inspection.

Due to the timing of this inspection the report may not be available until September 2017. Please understand that we are not allowed to discuss the outcomes of the inspection.

I understand you may have concerns about why the school has been inspected. This was a very specific inspection around progress at the end of Key Stage 2 (Year 6) for 2015 and 2016. It was not due to any issues this academic year September 2016 to July 2017.

The issues were around some children not making expected progress or beyond from KS1 to KS2.

Since September 2016 we have been working very hard on improving progress for all children in all year groups. This has resulted in the end of KS2 (Year 6) results (attainment) of Writing/Maths/Reading increasing by 19% from last year.

	Reading	Writing	Maths	Combined R/W/M
Crossley Fields 2016	65%	72%	70%	50%
Crossley Fields 2017	74% ↑	78% ↑	77% ↑	69% ↑
National 2017	71%	76%	75%	61%

As this data demonstrates we have made significant steps in raising outcomes for children. The school is now **above national** data in all subjects and in combined (Reading, Writing, Maths).

Teachers meet with senior leaders every half term to discuss the progress of all children and the system of data collection has now been centralised and is electronic to ensure consistency and availability of data and greater accountability.

If you still have any questions once the report has been published then please feel free to email the office in the September term.