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Week 16 - Friday 24th January 2020

Value of the term:
Respect

"A child who is allowed to be disrespectful to his parents will not have true respect for anyone."

Billy Graham

Stay on Green
champions:
Year 2

Attendance

Whole school: 95.01%↑

Reception: 98.41%

Year 1: 96.30%

Year 2: 98.72%

Year 3: 97.94%



Independence

As a school, we not only aim for our children to be independent learners, but also independent citizens of the world. In order to further grow a sense of responsibility and sensibility, we have reinstated the routine procedure of parents leaving their children at the gate, just as it was last year. Class Teachers and Teaching Assistants will be in their classrooms, by the classroom doors awaiting the children's arrival, ensuring the safety of the children as they cross the playground and enter the school building **from 07:50 -08:00**.

If you arrive with your child after this time, you will need to sign them in via the school office.



We have a short, but nevertheless useful newsletter for you this week. Please take a look at the useful reminders and tips within. It is great to see that attendance in each class is in the **green** this week. A huge thank you to all parents who ensure their child is in school and on time each and every day.

E-safety Workshop



A Parent Workshop session was held on Tuesday morning this week about e-Safety. The number of attendees to the workshop has led us to conclude that most parents in the school are already confident about how to keep children safe online. For those who would have liked to attend, but were not able, we are sending you the PowerPoint slides used during this workshop as an attachment with this newsletter.

Lost property

We can almost open a small shop with the amount of items we have in the lost property area!

We cannot allow the pile to continue to grow so we are asking parents to retrieve any items that have been lost by their children. Any unnamed items remaining in the Lost Property, next Monday 27th January, will be discarded.



Key dates coming up:

- **Tuesday 4th February** Years 1, 2 and 3 will be experiencing the Space Explorers workshop—please ensure you make the necessary payments via Parentmail as soon as possible
- **Tuesday, 11 February** - Key Stage 1 SATs meeting will be held for Year 2 parents





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In response to parent interest, our lovely music teacher, Ms Budgen, has provided us with application forms for music lessons at Oasis Academy in Shirley Park, which will be held outside of school hours.

We invite all those who would be interested in providing their child with the opportunity to play a musical instrument to request an application form from the school office. If enough interest is generated we may be able to facilitate lessons here at school with a specialist teacher from Croydon Music & Arts Department.



Reading

Please encourage your children to read at home and if your child is not yet a member of your local public library, please join. Reading for pleasure is one of the best gifts you can offer to your children. They also need to see you reading so it makes it pleasurable for them to follow you, as their model. What is a BOOK?

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Of

*Free books here:



Tomorrow is Chinese New Year, so from all of us at Krishna Avanti Croydon, Gong hei fat choy!

