

# THE WEEKLY UPDATE

## WHO WE ARE

*We are a school rooted in its community where aspirational learning and opportunities transform the lives of our pupils.*

**Our Mission** is to transform lives and strengthen our communities to make the world a better place



Dear CEC families

We have completed another **#Crantastic** week and the last full week of January. Thank you for your continued support in ensuring your child(ren) are **ready** by attending the Campus on time, in the correct uniform and with the correct equipment.

It has been a busy week and pupils have continued to demonstrate how **engaged** they are, however, there are not too many key updates this week:

- **Year 9 pre-options survey** - We are aiming to widen our options choices for Year 9 pupils moving into Year 10 which will allow for greater **opportunities**. Find out more from Mrs Brown within and please complete the survey.
- **Gold award (800 house points) winners** - I was privileged to hand out Gold Award certificates and badges this week in Mr Murray's absence. I am super **proud** of all our award winners this week (photos on the next page).
- **Visit to Matford Brook Academy** - One of our Trusts key drivers is, **relentlessly positive collaboration**, and as part of this, I visited Matford Brook Academy on Tues. I was really impressed by the oracy of all the pupils I spoke to. They spoke confidently both within (stand to talk) and outside of lessons. As a Campus we are working with Voice21 to improve the oracy of our pupils, so watch this space. I was also really impressed by their family dining experience. This is another area we will explore at the Campus moving forward.
- **PTA Curry & Quiz Friday 2nd Feb** - Hosted by our PTA, the Curry and Quiz night will be returning on Friday 2nd February from 6pm. Tickets are only £10 per person and available from MCAS. For more information [click here](https://www.cranbrook.education/pta)
- **SAVE THE DATE : Thursday 8th Feb!** Would you like your money to go further or just want answers to questions surrounding money?" Then come along to our event at EX5-Alive on 8th Feb and speak to all the professionals... E.On, DWP, Southwest Water, LiveWest, E.D.D.C and so much more! For more information visit <https://www.ex5alive.com/cost-of-living>

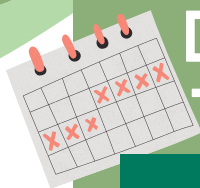
Reminders from last week:

**Parent governor recruitment** - Governors play a vital role in supporting the Campus and transforming the lives of our pupils. We have a parent governor vacancy and are inviting you to stand for election. Full details on how to apply within. If you would like an informal conversation to find out more before applying please email [Jemima](mailto:jemima.scott-hake@cranbrook.education) on [jemima.scott-hake@cranbrook.education](mailto:jemima.scott-hake@cranbrook.education)

Have a lovely weekend and stay safe.

Stephen Farmer  
**Head of Campus**





## DATES FOR THE DIARY



**PTA Curry & Quiz night**  
Friday 2nd February

**PTA Disco (KS3 & 4)**  
Thursday 8th February



**Half Term**  
Monday 12th-Friday 15th  
February

### TWILIGHT SESSIONS

We are extremely proud of our year 11 pupils, who attended their second period 6 session this Wednesday. Period 6 sessions are running every Wednesday from 15:00 - 16:00 and have been an important part of our year 11s being ready for their exams. Keep up the good work year 11!

### YEAR 9 OPTIONS

We are looking to widen our option choices for our current Year 9 pupils and we would like to get some ideas about what option subjects pupils want to take. We are looking to add one of the following (dependent on intended uptake): Triple Science, Photography OR, RS. Pupils will also have the option to take both Humanities subjects and an additional option if they wish.

The subjects are not all guaranteed to run and we will run the subject with the most intended uptake numbers, so please encourage your child/children to have a think about what they might like to do at college/Post-16 and what is likely to suit their chosen career pathways or interests - not what friends are going to do.

Just a reminder that all pupils will take English, Maths, Science, French and either History or Geography. They can then choose two options. On the form, the pupils all need to choose a Hums subject. As mentioned above, this is compulsory. They then need to rank the other subjects by using the up and down arrows on each question. Further details on the courses that we will then offer will be available on Options Evening.

<https://forms.office.com/e/Vu4m6QDKXj>

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## CAR PARKING

The car park is intended for use by our staff and visitors.

Parents / carers who are blue badge holder may also use the car park and should bring their blue badge to the main reception office so details of the holder and expiry date can be recorded. The blue badge holder should have responsibility for dropping off and collecting a student attending the campus. Please remember the speed limit is 5mph at all times. More information can be found on our website by [clicking here](https://www.cranbrook.education/carparking) <https://www.cranbrook.education/carparking>

## YEAR 9 RESIDENTIAL

Year 9 Parents will have received an email this week regarding the Year 9 Residential.

The residential will be from Tuesday 16th July to Thursday 18th July and will cost £185. This will include 2 days full of exciting sports including abseiling climbing low ropes and watersports. The cost also includes travel, food and 2 nights camping accommodation.

If you would like your Year 9 child to attend please log into your MCAS app and go to outstanding payments and pay the deposit on £37.50 no later than 29th January. The remaining balance will be due in instalments on the follow dates:

29th February £43.75

29th March £60.00

30th April £43.75

If your child is in receipt of pupil premium funding we can apply a 30% discount by removing the March instalment. If you require this, please email [reception@cranbrook.education](mailto:reception@cranbrook.education).

Any questions please do get in touch!

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**Thurs 8th Feb**  
**5pm - 7pm**  
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**EX57EE**

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**Come along for advice, support & to find out about:**

- Saving Money
- Financial Matters
- Utilities Advice
- Housing queries (Association and private)
- Mental Health support
- Home safety
- Benefit checks
- Climate Change

**For more information and organisations attending scan the QR or email**  
**[aynsley.jones@cranbrook.education](mailto:aynsley.jones@cranbrook.education)**

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**Organisations attending this Event**

Housing	Utilities & Benefits	Community
 Private Housing & Climate Change	 Utilities Advice and Queries	 Cranbrook Town Information
 Housing Association Queries	 Utility Debt Support & Benefit checking	 Community Signposting
 Home Safety	 Benefit checking & advice	 Community Builder & Connector
 Housing Association Queries	 Utilities Advice and Queries	 Youth & Adult Mental Health Support

# PERKY PEOPLE

## Proud Engaged Ready Kind Safe

We celebrate a selection of pupils who have gone above and beyond and have been recognised by their Tutor's for their positive contribution to our Campus Community.



### Year 7

Tinotenda Madhoda - settled in so well and READY for everything everyday.

Harry Smith - very ENGAGED and asking excellent open questions.

Shelby Cox - always READY, smiley and positive - never complains!

Shahmeer Zehri - always KIND, helpful, ENGAGED and meeting all expectations

Aliza Goodyear - for being KIND and PROUD of her work.

### Year 8

Maddie Moraes, Willow Morrison and Rory Wilkins for all getting the most housepoints in their tutor group for last week

### Year 9

Kyle Heath for having a great week back at school.

Ryan Needs and Oliver Winter for knowing our values and mission my heart.

Harmony Joy for being ready to work hard in art to complete her Day of the Dead skull design.

Ralph Martin for always being kind and considerate at school.

Summer Thompson for being safe and thoughtful whilst on campus

### Year 10

Thessa Kruger for settling in so well and taking pride in being part of our school. Nina

Sommermeier for being so engaged in all lessons at school

Oakley Lang for always being ready to learn and with all his Equipment

Elsie Bauer for being a kind and supportive friend

Max Thurtle for being respectful of the school environment

### Year 11

Louie Wells: For an positive return to school

Poppy Freeman: For being engaged in lessons and homework.

Hamish Stieller : Always ready for lessons and having equipment.

Dylan Gorton : For looking after a friend in need.

Jack Smith: Creating a calm safe environment for other pupils to learn in.

More fantastic examples of PERKY PEOPLE from this amazing PERKY year group!



# AWARDS AND REWARDS

Another huge congratulations to our pupils who obtained their House Point Awards in the past week.



## BRONZE

Alex Winslade	Joshua Moulder
Ruby Curran	Maria Paula Carvajal Prieto
Kiki Kurilec	Liam Needs
Jessica Lang	Maisie Moore
Robin Brain	Summer Thompson
Lily Attwood	Alfie Walker
Darren Ng	Daniela Michalska-
Ralph Martin	Dudkowiak
Lucas Challice	Joe Soper

+ 5 other students



## SILVER

Willow Morrison	William Paul
Ruby Soper	Tye Stewart
Mathias Leung	Ruby Hancock
Riley Connett	Cruz Bradford
Mitchell Bain	Layla Kastner
Gracie Kilby	Abigail Mok
Ellie Fallon	Evie Moxey
Line Najah	Ryan Needs
Amelia Vince	Jaiden Pengelly
Evie Bowker	Jack Begam
Eythan Harding	Samuel Smith
Darcey Alford	

+9 other students

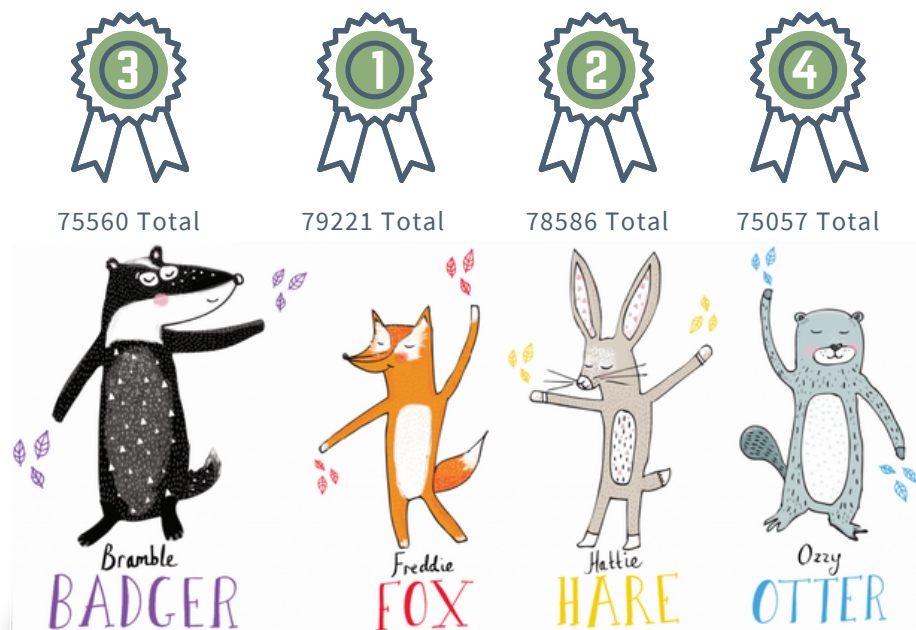


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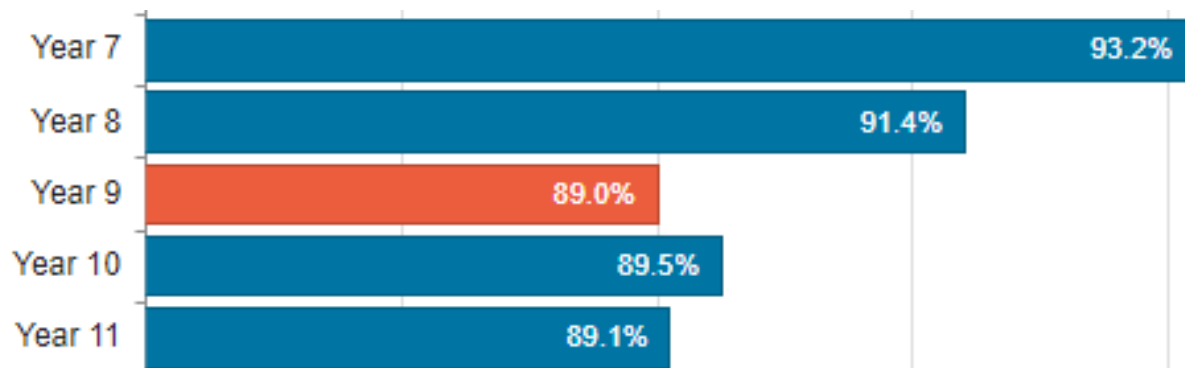
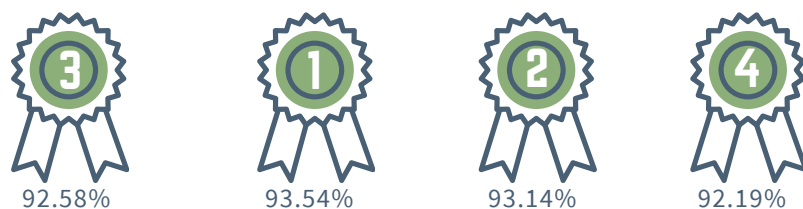
Mandjou Berete	Bertie Weeks
Ankela Braha	Jack Maddaford
Summer Forsyth	
Hawa Fofana	+ 1 other student



## HOUSE POINTS



## ATTENDANCE





# COMMUNITY NOTICE BOARD

If you attend a community group that you feel may benefit other parents, please email the details to [reception@cranbrook.education](mailto:reception@cranbrook.education)

## BUMPER HALF TERM

Join us this February half term to help us celebrate the Tivvy Bumper steam engine!

Saturday 10th to Saturday 17th  
February 2024 (closed Sunday 11th)

Follow the railway map around the museum,  
collecting letters to spell your destination  
Part of normal admission\*

Plus, train toys,  
board games,  
dressing up, colouring  
station & more!

\*Adults £8.50, accompanied kids go FREE!

CRAFT sessions on Tuesday 13th and  
Wednesday 14th February

From 10 - 12. Drop-in

£3 per child with paying adult (£2.50 per child with a museum member)



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MUSEUM**  
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Monday - Saturday, 10:00-4:00  
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Beck's Square, Tiverton EX16 6PJ  
01884 256295  
Registered charity 1181876



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COME & JOIN US!

## Whimble Cricket Club U9s

We are looking for keen cricketers to join our U9s team this spring/summer. If you're in Year 3 or 4, we'd love to hear from you!

Winter Nets:  
February/March

Summer Training:  
Begins end of April

Membership:  
£8 per month



Contact Sophie for further information: 07772 496175

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### Cranbrook Education Campus

Monday 12th February - Gymnastics  
Tuesday 13th February - Gymnastics  
Wednesday 14th February - Performing Arts  
Thursday 15th February - Multi Activity  
Friday 16th: Multi Activity

Multi Activity includes sports, dance, arts & craft, and play

0900-1530, Age 4-11, £24.99 per day

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See you soon!

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Our Holiday Camps keep children entertained, safe & on the move during the school holidays.

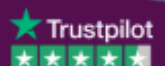
A bucket load of fun activities, every school holiday. With great value sports, performing arts, and games to enjoy each half term, we have plenty for your children to get stuck into in the school break.

Book now for a school holiday full of fun!



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