



North Crescent Primary School

Guiding Explorers of the Future

Welcome back to all our pupils, families, and staff after the Easter break. I hope you had a restful and enjoyable holiday and were able to spend some quality time together. We look forward to a busy and exciting term ahead, filled with opportunities for learning, growth, and achievement. Thank you, as always, for your continued support of our school community.

Miss Elson

Diary Dates

Thursday 23rd April -
Year 3 Sharing assembly

Friday 24th April -
Whole class photos

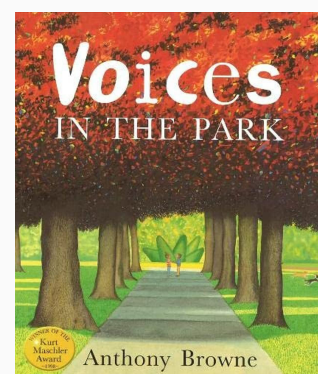
Thursday 30th April -
Year 4 sharing assembly

Thursday 7th May -
Year 2 Sharing Assembly

Thursday 21st May -
Year 1 Sharing assembly

Friday 22nd May -
NCP 50th birthday celebration

Book of the Week



This week we are celebrating *Voices in the Park* by Anthony Browne. This clever, colourful picture book explores perspectives and feelings as four characters describe the same afternoon in different ways. Year 2 have loved exploring the characters' different perspectives of the park and the beautiful illustrations, and we have also discussed the various types of setting shown.

Voices in the Park
by Anthony Browne

Huge congratulations to the following children who have been chosen as the Lead Learners for this week.

Explorers Larosa
Pathfinders 1 Phoenix
Adventurers 3 Hallie
Navigators 5 Ava

Pathfinders 2 Chizaram
Adventurers 4 Eden
Navigators 6 Jasmine

Each week we celebrate the class that have shown respect for their classroom. The children really love our gold, diamante dustpan and brush award! Why don't you ask them about it?

What a fantastic first week back after a lovely Easter break. The children have shared in class all the wonderful things they got up to, and whether they spent it with their loved ones, families, or friends.

It has also been a very exciting week here at North Crescent with the Easter disco!

The weather is expected to start getting warmer next week so please make sure that children come to school prepared.

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In the coming weeks, Parents across the UK will be finding out about primary school placements for their reception aged children.

If North Crescent is your school of choice and you

haven't yet applied, it's crucial to act fast to secure your child's place. Don't miss out on the opportunity for your child to join our inclusive, nurturing and engaging learning environment. Our dedicated staff in the office are ready to assist you with your application. Call or email us today with any questions about admissions, or to book an appointment and make sure your application is completed without delay.

School admissions



Starting primary school is a big milestone for both children and parents. If you have any questions—big or small—or need advice and support with your child's development, help is available.

The Department for Education has updated its Childcare Choices website to the “Best Start in Life” website, where you can find guidance, resources, and support to help your child thrive.

Take a look [Best start in life](#) and make the most of the support on offer as your child begins this exciting new journey.

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TIME OUT FOR PARENTS

4 Week Parenting Workshop for Dads

6.15pm for refreshments

6.30pm - 8pm

Thursdays 23rd, 30th April 7th, 14th May

**This course is for Dads, Step Dads, Grandads,
Uncles and Male Carers of children of all ages**

**Booking essential - please email to
book your place**

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