



**Friday 18th October
2024**

The **CRANLEIGH CHRONICLE**

CHRISTIAN DISTINCTIVENESS MESSAGES

Welcome to this academic year's first 'Christian Distinctiveness' newsletter. This is an opportunity for us to share some insights into the religious and spiritual elements of our school that underpin our mission (the reason we exist) and vision (what we hope to become).

With the Parable of the Good Shepherd (Luke:15) driving us, we seek to both lead and nurture our school community forwards as one.

Dear God,

Thank you for our school; our teachers, staff and pupils. May our school always be a place where we love to learn and learn to love. Bless our parents, friends and loved ones. Guide and protect us this weekend.

Amen

**Miss E Killick
Religious Education Lead**

Dates for your diary

3:30-6pm: Parents' Meetings

Tuesday 22nd October

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Wednesday 23rd October

Year 5 Sport Leader training

Wednesday 23rd October

End of term disco for all attending!

Thursday 24th October

Last day of term

Thursday 24th October

Half-term

28th October to 1st November

First day back

Monday 4th November

Cranleigh Remembrance Day Service

Sunday 10th November

All calendar dates can be found on
our [website!](#)



**Cranleigh C of E
Primary**



Faith

Some Updates

Godly Play

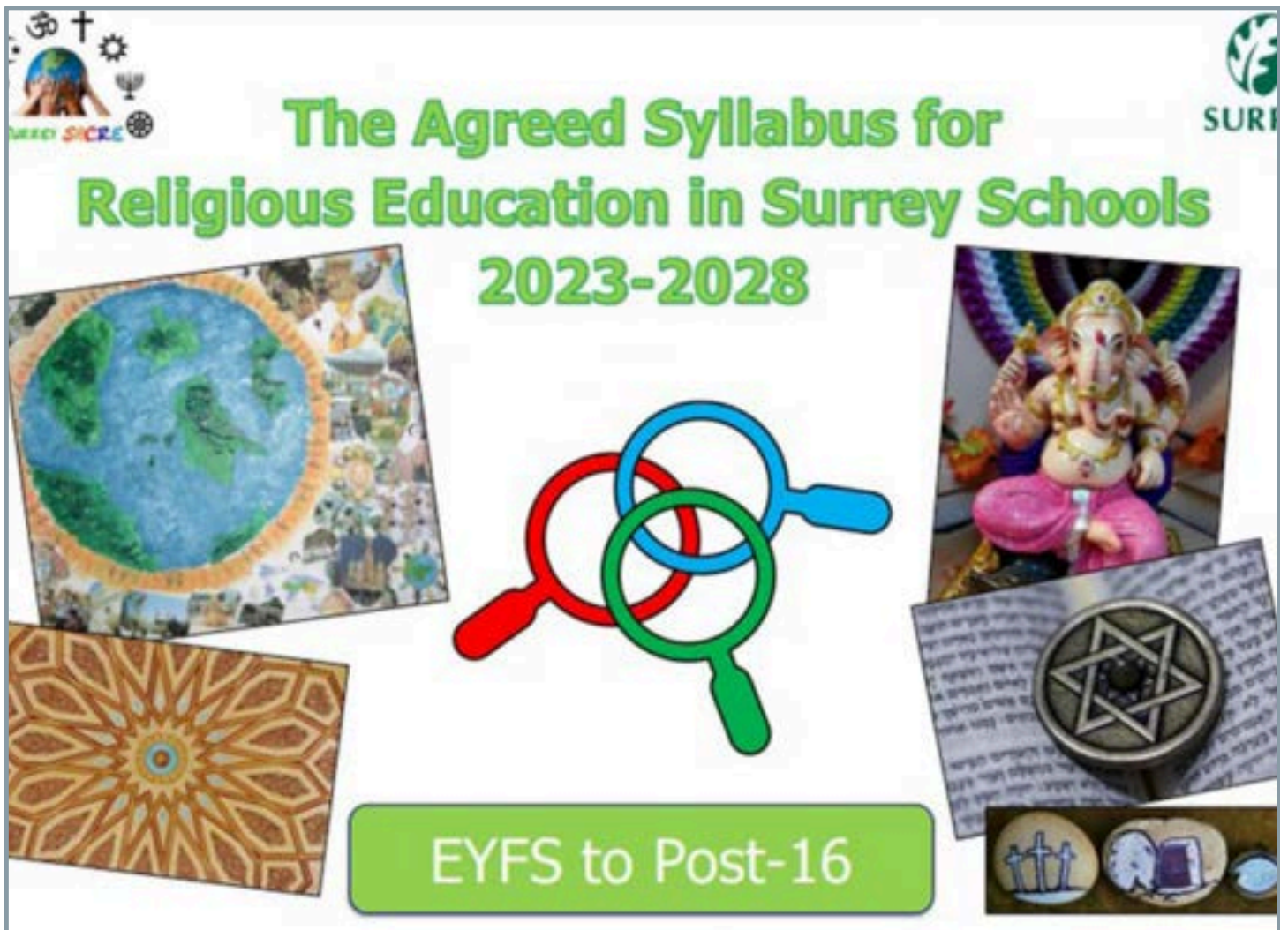
Miss Killick has attended training on Godly Play, and we are looking to introduce to our Reception class provision this term. Do check out the link to find out more information!

Working with the Diocese of Guildford

We work very closely with the Diocese, attending regular training and welcoming key colleagues into school at least each term. Their support is invaluable in ensuring the continued development of our Christian distinctiveness.

Working closely with St. Nicolas Church

Every Tuesday, we welcome our Church community into school to deliver our 'Open the Book' assembly. They share Bible stories in a fun, interactive and memorable way.



Our R.E. Curriculum

The Surrey Agreed Syllabus for Religious Education was approved and adopted by Surrey County Council in May 2023, for use in Surrey's schools from 1st September 2023. This is the syllabus we teach at Cranleigh.

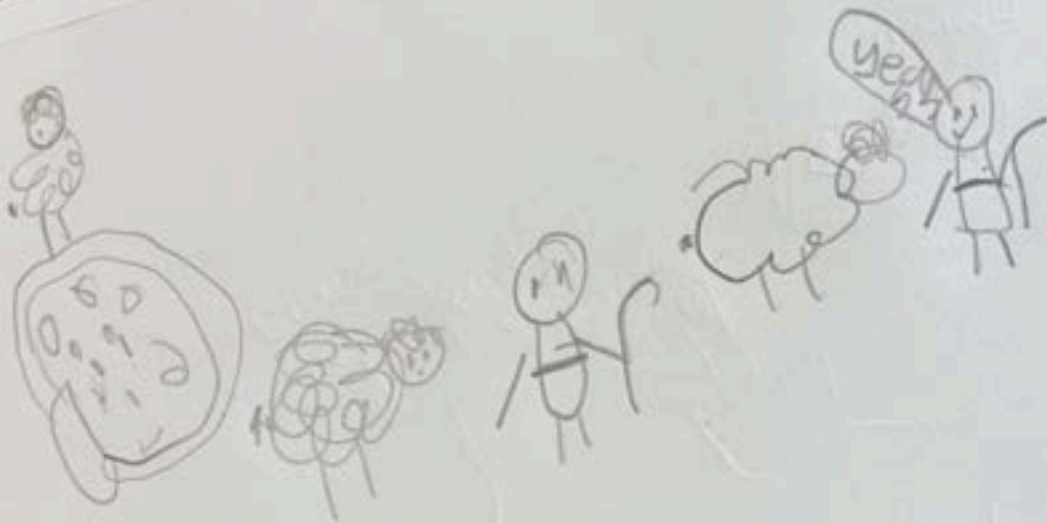
The syllabus has been constructed to help schools to sequence their RE curriculum in a way that is coherent, utilises multi-disciplinary skills and builds pupils' schemata, from Reception through to high school.

In addition, the syllabus helps pupils to understand their own and others' worldviews, religious and non-religious, and appreciate the influences of these on everyday life.

The syllabus supports the recommendations of [Ofsted's RE Research Review](#).

The Surrey Agreed Syllabus can be accessed [HERE](#).

Thursday 17th October
Q: How might God be like a shepherd to his people?



God is our Shepherd and
he guides us where ever
we go. When we go the wrong
direction he goes going to
us and he always be with
us!

**Making links to the
foundation of our vision; the
Parable of the Good
Shepherd**

Prayer Spaces

A PLACE TO REFLECT



Prayer spaces in schools enable children of all faiths, and none, to explore life questions, spirituality and faith in a safe, creative and interactive way.

Ours also provide links to our half-termly values through stories and questions.

Here are some of our spaces!



Year 5's
'Kindness
Jar'!





This week at Cranleigh

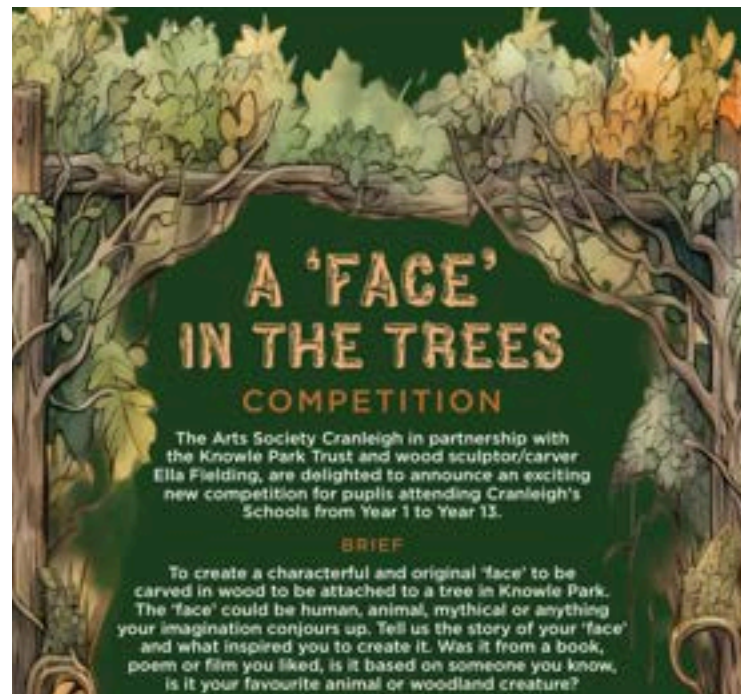
On Tuesday, our children were treated to a fantastic classic literature adaptation of *The Secret Garden*. And they LOVED every minute!! *"Can we watch this every day?!"* (Year 2 child).

Year 6 thoroughly enjoyed their theatre workshop afterwards learning about sound and lighting amongst other things.

Thank you to M&M Theatrical Productions!



Year 6's theatre workshop after the play



This week at Cranleigh

We invited The Arts Society Cranleigh into school on Monday to talk to our children about their '*A Face in the Trees*' competition, run in conjunction with the Knowle Park Trust. Thank you to them for taking the time to see us. They were VERY impressed!!





THIS WEEK AT CRANLEIGH

This term, our Year 6 children are learning about the circulatory system in Science. This week, those pupils who were happy to, dissected a sheep's heart! We definitely have some doctors/vets-in-waiting!!! Check out Year 6's curriculum [HERE](#).





Whilst out for a walk, I spot a heron!
Made me think of Year 5!
Can you see it?

Congratulations!

House Points

Pioneers

922

Explorers

936

Discoverers

901

Adventurers

914

CLASS	STAR OF THE WEEK	HEADTEACHER'S AWARD	House Point Winners
Robins	Alfie	Georgina	Mary-Kate, Posie, Leighton
Sparrows	Rehan	Angela	Roan, Isaac, Renee
Owls	Madison	Nicole	Nicole, Bethel, Alfie
Swans	Rose	Lukian	Lukian, Tom, Amelia-Marie
Kingfishers	Amelia	Evelyn	Tracy, Vinnie, Jessica
Herons	Carolina	Nelson	Chloe, Amy, Nelson
Cranes	Elsie	Dexter	Amelia, Alex, Hania

Weekly Attendance Winners

RECEPTION

YEAR 4

YEAR 5





Safeguarding Contacts

If you have any concerns regarding a child, please ask to speak to one of our safeguarding team below straight away:

K. Pelazza: Headteacher / Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL)

J. Mills: SENDCo / Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead (DDSL)

K. Meade: Assistant SENDCo / Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead (DDSL)

T. Church: Thrive Practitioner / Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead (DDSL)

The Good Shepherd Trust [contacts](#)



Community

Cranleigh's Remembrance Service

Our wreath has arrived. We are honoured to be taking part in this service again this year on Sunday 10th November. Please do join us.

Cranleigh Food Bank

Thank you to Stella at the Food Bank for her 'thank you' letter received on Wednesday. We were delighted to be able to help and feel very proud of our parents/carers!



Community
Notices

Christmas Cafe

Friday 29th November 2024
3pm-4:30pm
at St Nicolas Church Rooms, Church
Lane

Meet and Greet with Santa (free)

Raffle prize tombola

Lucky Dip

Refreshments

Free squash

Free Craft activities





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ANXIETY TOOLKIT FOR PARENTS AND CARERS WEBINAR

SATURDAY 25TH JANUARY 2025, 10AM- 12 MIDDAY

LEARN PRACTICAL TIPS AND STRATEGIES TO HELP PARENTS AND CARERS SUPPORT
THEIR CHILDREN THROUGH ANXIETY IN THIS ONLINE EVENT!

Are you feeling overwhelmed by your child's anxiety? Join us for this online event where Your Space Therapies will provide you with practical tools and strategies to help you support your child. Emma Connor, Child Psychotherapist will share valuable, easy to implement strategies to navigate through challenging situations and promote your child's well-being. Don't miss out on this opportunity to learn and connect with other parents and carers facing similar experiences. Register now and equip yourself with the **tools** to better understand and manage anxiety in your child.

Price: £27.80

For more information and booking please scan the QR code:



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Have a lovely weekend!