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Amazon Wishlist

We have updated the items on our Amazon Wishlist which can be found under the

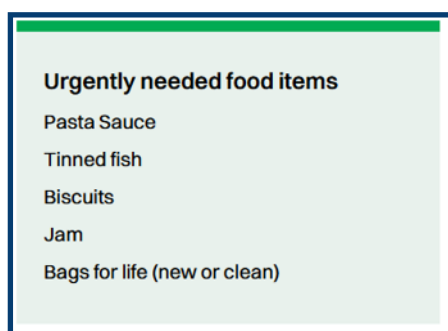
Parents tab on the website. We greatly appreciate your support with buying the items for classes or the school in general. As more than one class are asking for the same item please can we ask you to add a gift note stating your child's class and name.



Harvest Collection

Once again we are asking for donations to support our local

foodbank. This is a very worthy charity which supports many families in the community. We would appreciate as many donations of tinned and packet food as possible. Please drop off donations at the front gate on **Tuesday 20th October**. Some representatives from the School Council will then deliver the donations in the minibus. Below is a list of the most needed items but any donations will be appreciated.



Acceptable Use Policy



Earlier this week you were emailed a copy of our Acceptable Use Policy and asked to complete a Google Form indicating your understanding.

We would encourage as many of you as possible to complete this as it will support our ongoing work to ensure that children act responsibly online.

We would like to clarify that point 9 refers to taking images or making recordings on school grounds without being given permission. Photos and videos taken during performances and assemblies are still permitted as long as they are for personal use only.

Volunteer Readers



We are looking to increase the number of parents volunteering to come into school and listen to children

read. If you would be interested in volunteering on a regular basis please speak to your child's class teacher. You will need a DBS so if you don't currently have one with the school please contact the office regarding an application.

Cherry Class Assembly

Cherry Class gave a fantastic performance in their class assembly, based on The Twits by Roald Dahl. Linking their learning to Geography, the children took the Twits on holiday, exploring different countries in Europe, discovering geographical features and sharing their knowledge of what they have learnt this term based on the topic 'Is all of Europe the same?' Their assembly brought together storytelling, creativity and geographical learning in a fun and engaging way. Well done!

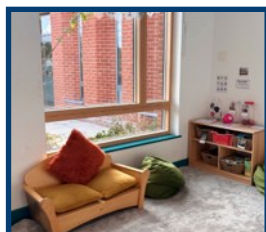
Magnolia Class Assembly

Year 3 Magnolia did an amazing job presenting their class assembly! The children shared their knowledge of prehistoric life, exploring the Stone, Bronze and Iron Age. They also showcased their learning about rocks and fossils, taking inspiration from their trip to the Natural History Museum. With lots of confidence and enthusiasm, the children did a brilliant job of bringing history to life. Well done, Magnolia Class!

LiiA pan-London Inclusion Base



We are pleased to announce that we have been shortlisted to present our work on **'Effective Practice in Inclusion Base Design.'** At Cromer Road, we take pride in our Inclusion spaces. We are one of 23 schools selected across London and endorsed by Barnet Local Authority. We extend our gratitude to our families, staff, governors, CRSA, and our exceptional pupils. The recognition of our commitment to Inclusion affirms our efforts. We will continue to share our innovative practices in designing SEND spaces tailored to our pupils' needs and look forward to hosting other schools to exchange best practices



Lost Property



Thank you to all our families who have labelled their child's clothing. This has really helped keep the lost property box under control this half term. Weather permitting, a table and rail will be set up outside the New Build for parents to check for missing items

after school. Both labelled and unlabelled items will be available to help parents find what they need more easily.

Football Success! 🏆

Congratulations to Chloe, who has been selected to represent the Barnet District Football Team! Chloe was nominated by Mr Baker, and we are delighted to celebrate this fantastic achievement. Well done, Chloe!

Cross Country Event



On Thursday 15th October, a group of our Year 4, 5 and 6 pupils represented the school at a competitive Cross

Country event at Cophthall Playing Fields.

Year 6: Ian, George, Chloe and Alice

Year 5: Arianna, Naivya, Noah and Michel

Year 4: Pania, Nye, Amber and Isaac

The children competed in some very competitive races over a distance of just over a mile, with every pupil working extremely hard and giving their very best from start to finish. All of the children represented the school brilliantly, showing determination, resilience and a fantastic attitude throughout the event. Most pleasing of all was the way the children supported and encouraged one another. Whether they were racing or cheering from the sidelines, they created a really positive atmosphere and showed excellent teamwork and school spirit.

A huge well done to everyone who took part – you should all be very proud of your efforts! Mr Baker

Wishing you all a restful weekend.

Mrs O'Donnell
Headteacher

Week beginning 5th Oct 26

Week beginning 12th Oct 26



Class	Name
R Sycamore	Sami
R Willow	Primrose
Y1 Birch	Ricardo
Y1 Rowan	Aravya
Y2 Cedar	Ryan
Y2 Mulberry	Latifa
Y3 Holly	Louis FJ
Y3 Magnolia	Daisy
Y4 Cherry	Liora
Y4 Chestnut	Clara
Y5 Beech	Isobel
Y5 Maple	Naivya
Y6 Elm	Patricija
Y6 Juniper	Rose

Class	Name
R Sycamore	Matteo
R Willow	Hamza
Y1 Birch	Mimi
Y1 Rowan	Elena
Y2 Cedar	Lola
Y2 Mulberry	Reggie
Y3 Holly	Emilia
Y3 Magnolia	Luca
Y4 Cherry	Erin
Y4 Chestnut	Nye
Y5 Beech	Sophie F
Y5 Maple	Demey
Y6 Elm	Arthur M
Y6 Juniper	Luca

ATTEND TODAY
ACHIEVE TOMORROW



Every day in school

Our Target is 97%

Attendance for w/c 5th Oct 2026

Y1 Rowan Class 99%

Y4 Cherry Class 99.3%

Y6 Elm class 99.3%

Attendance for w/c 12th Oct 2026

Y2 Cedar Class 99.7%

Y4 Cherry Class 99.3%

DIARY DATES 2026/27

October 2026

Mon 19th	Y5 Beech Class swimming all week
Mon 19th	Y6 Residential trip to Gillwell Park
Wed 21st	CRSA Halloween Disco 4-4.50pm Reception & Y1 5-5.50pm Y2 & Y3 6-6.50pm Y4, 5 & 6
Thurs 22nd	Harvest Assemblies with Father Tristan
Fri 23rd	9am Y5 Maple Class Assembly

Mon 26th—Fri 30th Half Term

November 2026

Mon 9th	9-9.45am Coffee Morning - Whole School Priorities, in the hall
Tues 10th	Y3 trip to St John the Baptist Church 9.45-11.45am
Thurs 12th	Y6 Trip to the British Museum
Fri 13th	Whole school non-uniform day- Bring a tombola gift for the Winter Fair 9am Y6 Juniper Class Assembly
Fri 13th	CRSA Quiz Night Adults only
Thurs 19th	Flu Vaccinations 2nd Session Rec-Y6
Fri 20th	9am Beech Class Assembly
Sat 21st	CRSA Winter Fair 1-4pm
Tues 24th	3.30pm onwards Parents' Evening- Online
Wed 25th	6pm CRSA Braid Maiden evening
Thurs 26th	3.30pm onwards Parents' Evening- Face to Face
Fri 27th	INSET DAY

December 2026

Dec 1st	Y5 Science Museum Trip
Thurs 3rd	6pm CRSA Xmas Wreath Workshop
Thurs 10th	Xmas Jumper day & Xmas Lunch
Fri 18th	Christmas Assemblies with Father Tristan Last day of term, school finishes at 1.30pm



January 2027

Mon 4th	School re-opens normal time
Tues 19th	Neal Zetter Workshop

Dates published 16/10/26

Key: New dates added since last newsletter



CROMER ROAD SCHOOL

Autumn Term 2026 Robotics + Coding

KS1 Thursdays 3.15pm to 4.15pm

Introductory price now £10 per session

Second half: 5 Nov to 17 Dec (7 weeks) £70

Children will learn how to build basic robots using Vex equipment

As they progress the builds will get harder and children will learn
how to programme them to do various tasks

**Please email in the first instance to
adminrobotics4kids@gmail.com**

**We will then send you the booking form and payment
details**

★ AUTUMN HALF TERM ★

CHESS CAMP

📅 26TH – 27TH OCTOBER 2026

LOCHINVER HOUSE SCHOOL
HEATH RD, POTTERS BAR, EN6 1LW

DEAR PARENTS AND GUARDIANS,

We are pleased to confirm a 2-day Half Term Chess Camp at Lochinver House School.

Our team of experienced coaches (including Masters) will teach children in groups based on ability.



Suitable for complete beginners to advanced players



ECF Rated Tournament Games



Fun prizes and a supportive, learning environment



DAILY STRUCTURE

9:00 AM	Arrival
9:05 – 12:40	Training + ECF Rated Tournament Games
12:40 – 1:00	Lunch
1:00 – 4:40	Training + ECF Rated Tournament Games
4:40 – 5:00	Fun Games & Prizes



📍 PRICING

Full 2 Days: £130

1 Day: £79

Half Day: £47



Contact Alecos
aethelontis@hotmail.com
07981504003

Disclaimer:

Snacks and drinks will be provided throughout the camp.
Children staying for a full day should bring their own packed lunch.
Places are first-come, first-served and once spaces are taken, entries cannot be brought to the camp.

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LOCHINVER HOUSE SCHOOL
26 – 27 OCTOBER 2026

Cromer Road pupils will receive a 10% discount on the advertised prices.



eBaTT TABLE TENNIS

**NEW TO eBaTT?
YOUR FIRST SESSION IS FREE**

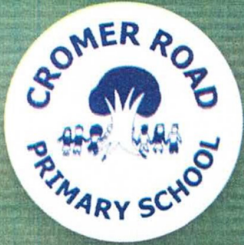
Scan the QR code, choose an eligible session
and enter the promo code at checkout:

EBATTTRIAL



Free trial for new customers only.
One free trial per person. Subject to availability.

3 Lyonsdown Road, New Barnet, EN5 1JB



CROMER ROAD

School Association



FESTIVE WREATH WORKSHOP

Thu 3rd Dec 7.30-9.30pm
Cromer Road School

Instead of buying a wreath this year why not have
fun making one with us over a glass of mulled wine
or prosecco

£38pp

Everybody Over 12yrs Welcome
Tickets at pta-events.co.uk/crsa

All material will be supplied and you will
be supported by our local florist Ursula from

The
Flower
Bank