

# Crockerton Church of England Primary School Weekly News



This term our Values focus on Respect <https://crockerton.wilts.sch.uk/>

A huge welcome to Lily and Evie who have both started in school over the last 2 weeks. We hope you and your families have been warmly welcomed.

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**This week's attendance:** Potters: 90% Thatchers: 94% Weavers: 95% Foresters: 99%  
Well done FORESTERS beyond our target this week!

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In our **Worships** this week, we have been looking at Rules – what if we had no rules? What new rule would you choose to have in school? What is the Golden Rule? We have also revisited the Story of the foolish and wise builders, thinking about how listen to advice given to us. As ever the children always share so many thoughtful ideas. Curate Craig currently visits us on a Monday.

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Friends met this week to finalise details for the **Race Night (6<sup>th</sup> March) and the Disco (20<sup>th</sup> March)**. Please support the school, to build funds but also to have fun as well! I look forward to seeing you all at both!

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**Swimming** restarts for the same children who swam before Christmas. The last 2 Tuesdays of Term 4, will be a swap for KS2 swimmers. A reminder will be sent for those who did not pay in full. This, of course is a voluntary contribution but please contribute if possible.

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Our **School Improvement** Advisor visited school this week. She is new to our school and spent the whole day with us, watching lessons, looking at books, talking to leaders and speaking to a range of children, who were very thoughtful and reflective in their answers. Quite rightly, she was full of praise for what she saw.

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**All Together**, Family Hub [website](#) has so much to offer families in so many areas. Please take a look at what it has to offer. Family hubs can give support and guidance to all Wiltshire families and young people.

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Some Year 1 children went to Codford Village Hall with other Compass School this week and did a whole range of **fundamental skills**, including balancing, jumping and using the indo board. Thank you to Mrs Connolly for attending the event with the children and for parents for collecting from the pub to bring back to school. Our facebook page has a couple of photos, as does Thatchers' dojo page.

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**Safeguarding with the NSPCC:** Before the end of term, we will be taking part in the **Speak Out, Stay Safe** initiative. Also take a look at their **Online Safety** - From understanding apps to setting parental controls, [this NSPCC webpage](#) has got information and resources to help you understand online safety and talk about it with children. Please take a look.

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Mrs Kirkwood is our new **SENDCo** and has been busy getting to know some children and understand our (and Wiltshire's) SEND resources and procedures. She currently works on a Thursday afternoon.

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The **Dance Festival** is fast approaching. The Dance Lady is popping into school to help the children perfect their dance and extra practises happen in school too.

Be joyful. Grow to maturity. Encourage each other. Live in peace and harmony.  
2 Corinthians 13:11