

Welcome to **Spring Term** 2026

Welcome back to the Spring Term!

I hope you all had a relaxing Christmas break with your friends and family. We have a wonderfully exciting term ahead, packed with new learning and fun activities. We will be using our Crucial Knowledge across subjects.

In Maths, we'll be diving into multiplication, division, money and time. In English, we'll be building our skills by writing both non-fiction texts and imaginative stories. Our Geography lessons will take us on a journey across different countries in Europe, while in Art we'll explore tone and shade through painting. This term in Music, the children will begin learning how to play the recorder, and in Science we'll discover what plants need to grow. In History, we'll be travelling back in time to learn all about the Stone Age.

Email j.johnson@crackleybank.staffs.sch.uk if you have any questions or queries.

Important Dates for Your Diary

Monday 9th February - Geography Day

Tuesday 17th March - Library Trip

Thursday 19th March - Stone-age Workshop

Friday 20th March - History Day

PE Dates

Please ensure your child wears the school PE kit and suitable trainers. Any earrings must be removed at home and long hair tied back.

Reading

It is important to read with your child daily. Please remember that reading books must be in school every day.

Lunches

Delicious lunches are available from school every day at a cost of £2.99

More information is available at

<https://www.crackleybank.staffs.sch.uk/index.php/parent-information/lunch-menu>

Water

Drinks are welcome in school (water, not juice). These bottles should be named and taken home daily to be cleaned.

Snacks

Healthy snacks can be brought into school for a snack during break time .

Learn more about Crucial Knowledge here:

<https://www.crackleybank.staffs.sch.uk/index.php/year-3/year3-crucial-knowledge>