



1/5/2026



FRIDAY LETTER



Our House Basketball matches were played last Friday

Summer has arrived!

The days are getting longer and the weather is getting warmer but the sign we look for that summer has arrived at Crookhill is when we finally get to open up our school playing field! We've enjoyed long lunch breaks, forest fun and PE lessons in the sunshine over the last week. We hope the fine weather continues into the bank holiday weekend and beyond!

Please can we remind you to apply sun cream to children before school and send this in for children to reapply when necessary.



Basketball at Crookhill

Last Friday, we held our Basketball house matches. The weather was kind so we could take to the outdoor court to contest the title of Crookhill Basketball champions. The teams all played well with KS2 children playing matches and KS1 taking part in a series of skills based activities. The final results were as follows:

- Hedgefield - 80 points**
- Crookhill - 75 points**
- Runhead - 70 points**
- Stargate - 65 points**



Working together, we succeed

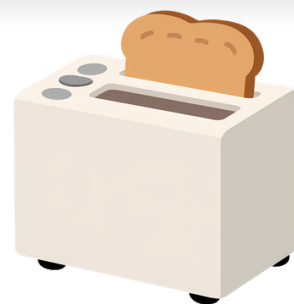
CURRICULUM UPDATE

Our summer term curriculum overviews are now available on the website - see individual class pages. The overview will give details of what the class will be covering in each subject area this term, as well as any important information about homework or dates for your diary. You can also find a full list of diary dates on the newsletters section of the website.



PE Kit Reminder

We've noticed that quite a few children are not wearing the correct PE kit on their PE days. Please ensure children are wearing the correct colour PE top (preferably the Crookhill logo version) and that shorts or leggings are plain black. All jewellery should be removed before school. Thank you



Year 6 SATs - Breakfast Club

A reminder that our Year 6 SATs will take place **week beginning 11th May**. The children can arrive early to school (from 8.20am) and will receive a free breakfast. We find this gives a nice, relaxing start to the the day!

Coming up at Crookhill...

- W/C 4.5.26 - Bank Holiday Monday 4th May – School closed
- 7.5.26 - Year 5/6 Football – 4 pm
- W/C 11.5.26 - Afterschool Clubs start
- 11.5.26 – 14.5.26 - Year 6 SATS
- 19.5.26 - Year 5/6 Puberty Talk
- 20.5.26 - Year 6 at Gibside – Wellbeing Day – details to follow
- 20.5.26 - Year 1 open afternoon at 2.15pm
- 21.5.26 - Golf Festival in school
- 22.5.26 - Stargate memorial presentation - morning (details to follow)
- Friday 22nd May – Break up for half term.

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