

# CROSSACRES NEWSLETTER

2<sup>nd</sup> July 2021

## REPORTS

Reports will be handed out on **Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July**, the reports will detail your child's progress and achievements this year. Included with your child's report will be information regarding your child's class and teacher for the next academic year.



## PARENT/TEACHER PHONE CALLS

Teachers will be organising ten minute phone calls with parents/carers to discuss their child's report. These will take place on **Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> July, Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> July and Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July**. Your child's class teacher will contact you directly to arrange a time.

## YEAR 6 LEAVING CELEBRATIONS

On **Monday 19<sup>th</sup> July** we will be holding a Celebration Day for Year 6. We will be having a picnic on the field, doing party games, giving out awards and each child will receive a leaving present. Year 6 should come in their own clothes on this day.



## SIMSPAY NAME CHANGE

The system you use to make payments to school is changing names. From **Monday 26<sup>th</sup> July** SIMS Pay will be known as Pay360 Education Payments.

- The way you make payments will remain the same, you will just notice a different logo on the login page and in the portal.
- The link to log in will be updated to [pay360educationpayments.com](https://pay360educationpayments.com)
- When you make a payment, you will notice the details on your card statement will show as 'Pay360\*school name' rather than 'Capita\*school\_name')
- We recommend that you add the new email address [noreply@pay360educationpayments.com](mailto:noreply@pay360educationpayments.com) to your email contacts to ensure the emails are not marked as spam

## FREE SCHOOL MEAL VOUCHERS

It is likely that a free school meal voucher scheme will operate over the summer holidays if your child is eligible for benefit related reasons. As the £90 vouchers will be distributed by email please ensure that we hold your current email address.

## MILK

We are now taking payment for milk for the Autumn Term (8<sup>th</sup> September 2021 – 16<sup>th</sup> December 2021). If you wish your child to have milk next term it is very important we receive a payment of £12 by **Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July**. You can pay by card at the school office or online using SimsPay. Children in Reception class do not need to pay for milk until the term they turn 5 years old.



