



***The power of the circle:**

A circle allows all Crew members to be equally vulnerable, joyfully connected, and supportive of one another. In a circle everyone can see each other, there no start and no end, and any sense of hierarchy is diminished.



CREW Meeting Structure 2025
'If we get CREW right, we get everything right...'

Crew is a spirit, a way of being. It's a safe place where we become one, yet grow as individuals.


To be "Crew" means to help each other, to be accountable for your own actions and take responsibility for everyone's wellbeing around you.


Crew means everybody pulling together, thinking together and supporting each other to do things bigger and better than we thought possible.

Crew is a place where character development, collaboration and positive relationships are intentional, assuring success for all our school family. It's a structure that fosters a sense of belonging and a place where we can be our best selves while lifting others to achieve more than we think possible.

Crew enables us to nurture effective learners, ethical people and contribute to making the world a better place to be.

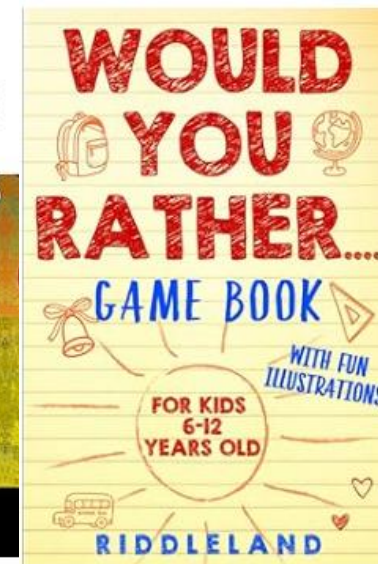
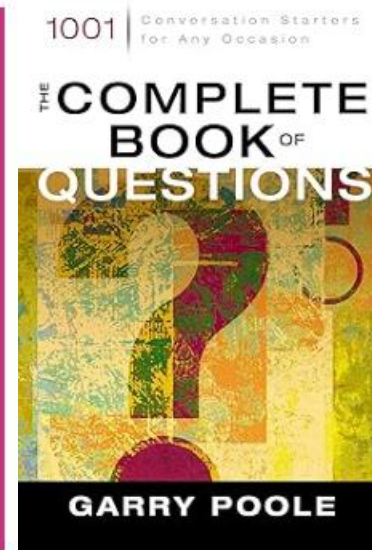
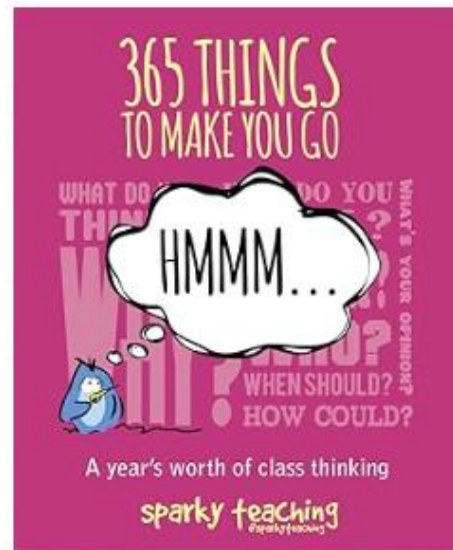
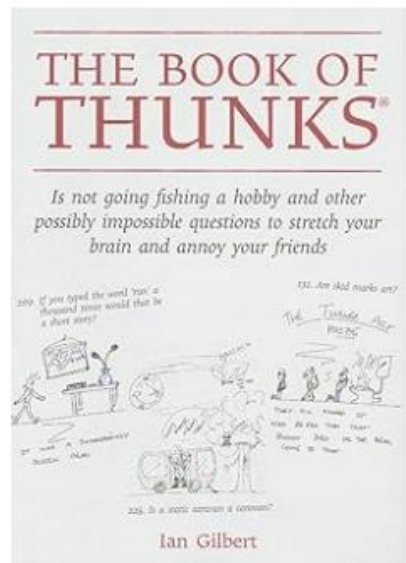
Our culture of Crew begins with adults who live out the school's vision and values, creating structures that intentionally sustain these attributes.

5 minutes	10 minutes			15 minutes CREW curriculum
<p>Circle up* & Check in Begin each Crew session by inviting the children to respond to a stimulus so that each voice around the circle is heard and valued.</p>	<p>Appreciations Children could recognise and share enjoyment of someone that has gone above and beyond and made their world a better place.</p>	<p>Apologies Children could reflect on their actions and the negative impact they might have had, choosing to say sorry.</p>	<p>Stands Children could take a firm position on an issue or express an opinion. These should be behaviour and solution focused.</p>	<p>M: Connecting T: Mirrors W: Windows Th: Devotions F: Celebrations</p> 

Monday CONNECTING	Tuesday MIRRORS	Wednesday DEVOTIONS	Thursday WINDOWS	Friday CELEBRATIONS
 <p>*An opportunity to re-connect with each other following the weekend and to set goals for the week ahead.</p>	<p>*An opportunity to reflect on themselves and their lives, appreciating what makes them unique.</p>	<p>*An opportunity to form foundational thoughts about God and their place in the world.</p>	<p>*An opportunity to see the world from another perspective and consider how learning more about others enables them to make the world a better place to be.</p>	<p>*An opportunity to acknowledge those children who go above and beyond AND to reflect on the goals that had been set on Monday.</p>

Ideas for Checking In:

Give a shoutout from someone in your crew! How are they keeping you motivated?
What is something relaxing you did yesterday? How do you care for yourself?
If you suddenly won a million dollars, what would you do with it?
If you could have any superpower you wanted, which one would you choose and why?
What is your ideal job? Or what do you want to be when you grow up?
What is a quirky, or unusual habit of yours?
What are you excited about for this upcoming year? Worried about?
Would you rather: - be a cool wizard with no powers OR an ugly goblin with awesome powers?
- be able to walk through any wall or be able to turn invisible on demand?



Ground Rules for making a stand:

- *A stand should have a positive intention and be for the 'greater good'
- *A stand should be directed collectively to a CREW and only discussed as part of CREW time
- *Avoid a 'pile on' when making a stand, wait until there is an opportunity to contribute solutions
- *Once a stand is made, time will be given for CREW members to reflect and think about possible solutions