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## PRIZEGIVING 2025 BOOK PRIZES

	LOVE	LEARN	GROW	WORSHIP
Reception	Lana	Gus	Quentin	Cecelia
Year 1	Monty	Billy	Bobby Cecily	Ella
Year 2	Sophie	Marianna	Oscar Annabel	Eliza
Year 3	Amelie	Imogen	Ellen	Mason
Year 4	Isla	Jemima	Sophie	Eva
Year 5	Rowland	Liam	Ottilie	Marni
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## **KINDNESS PLATE**

In memory of Katharine Monk former head of Nursery, this plate is awarded at the end of Foundation Lana (R) Stage to a pupil who has been a member of the school since Nursery





	Lexie	This child is a gentle, kind, and loving presence in Year 6. She has been a fantastic Buddy and Playground Pal, always looking out for the younger children with care and warmth. Her thoughtful nature and quiet strength have made a real difference in our school community. This <b>LOVE</b> book prize goes to Lexie with heartfelt thanks for all the love she shares.
	Harriet	This child always has a beaming smile for everyone, and she has such a positive attitude. She is a kind, helpful girl, a caring friend and Buddy to the younger children. This <b>LOVE</b> book prize goes to Harriet.
	Arthur	This child is not only a kind and caring member of our school community – often the first to notice and comfort younger children who are feeling sad or left out – but he's also incredibly hardworking. His efforts have earned him a well-deserved place at Cranbrook School. This <b>LOVE &amp; LEARN</b> book prize goes to Arthur, with pride and admiration for all he's achieved.
	Ariana	This award goes to a pupil who has shown incredible determination and creativity. She has worked extremely hard to earn her well- deserved place at grammar school, and her passion for all things creative shines through in everything she does. Whether it's in the classroom or through her artistic talents, on the piano or on the sports field, she gives her best and always does it with a cheerful smile and a kind heart. We're so proud of all she's achieved—this LOVE & LEARN book prize award is for Ariana.
LON & MISHING M	Harry	This child is a clearly capable learner who has made outstanding progress over the past two years. Through consistent hard work and determination, he has earned a thoroughly well-deserved place at Cranbrook School. This <b>LEARN</b> book prize is awarded to Harry in recognition of his fantastic effort and achievement.
A Dady	Genevieve	<i>This child</i> has shown incredible dedication across the curriculum, always giving her very best in everything she does. Her hard work and positive attitude have led to great progress this year. This <b>GROW</b> book award is presented to Genevieve in recognition of her determination, effort, and growth. Well done!
	Веа	We are incredibly proud of the progress this child has made academically this year. She approaches every challenge with determination and always puts in the effort to be the very best version of herself. This <b>GROW</b> Award is a celebration of her hard work, and commitment to learning. Well done, Bea!
	Octavia	This child has worked hard to grow in so many ways this year: personally, on the stage, on the sports field and in the classroom. We are so proud of the determination she shows and for the effort that she puts in to achieve. This <b>GROW</b> award is presented to Octavia. Well done to Octavia!
	Felicity	This child is not only a very hardworking and determined member of Year 6, but she is also a highly academically able pupil who consistently achieves at a high level across the curriculum. She has, deservedly, won an academic scholarship to Mayfield School. Beyond her academic strengths, she is also incredibly kind, loving, and full of faith. She shares her spirituality with grace and sincerity—leading class worship, volunteering to help with whole-school liturgies, and offering thoughtful, reflective contributions during RE lessons. Her prayers are always heartfelt and beautifully expressed, touching those around her. In recognition of her dedication to learning and her deep, generous faith, the <b>Learn and Worship</b> Book Prize is awarded to Felicity.

2 C C-TOW	Lara	This child is a hardworking and dedicated learner who always strives to do her very best in every area of the curriculum. Her commitment and positive attitude have led to excellent progress again this year. This <b>GROW</b> book prize is awarded to Lara in recognition of her continued effort and determination. Well done!
WOTSHIR JOON JOON JOON JOON	Elsie	This final book award is presented to a pupil who also embodies the values of <b>LEARN and WORSHIP</b> . She consistently strives to be the best version of herself across all areas of the curriculum. She actively seeks advice, listens carefully, and applies feedback with determination—leading to remarkable progress. Her English work, in particular, is a real strength. Her faith continues to grow, and she speaks about it with joy and confidence. She regularly volunteers to lead class liturgies and prayerful moments, always offering prayers that are thoughtful, generous, and deeply reflective. <b>It is with great pleasure that we present this award to</b> <b>Elsie.</b>



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		Donated by the Tucker Family
NETBALL TROPHY	Ariana	The netball prize is given this year to someone who has consistently been a truly valuable member of the netball team. She has been exceptional with her passing, and she has superb hand- eye coordination. <b>The netball prize is awarded to Ariana.</b>
FOOTBALL TROPHY	Arthur	This boy has shown a fantastic attitude, great commitment and has really developed into a strong player over the course of the year. <b>This award goes to Arthur.</b>
HOCKEY TROPHY	Octavia	Sacred Heart hockey team is lucky to have such a hardworking player who is strong in and out of possession. She has a good eye for a pass as well as being a very tough tackler. <b>The hockey prize</b> <i>is awarded to Octavia.</i>
CRICKET (boy) TROPHY	Harry	This prize is awarded to a boy who is the most improved cricketer this year. He has really developed his bowling and batting and is an integral member of the school's team. <b>It is awarded to Harry.</b>
RUGBY TROPHY	Isaac	This boy has shown a high level of commitment and is developing a thorough understanding of the game – especially out of possession. <b>The rugby trophy is awarded to Isaac.</b>
SPORTSMANSHIP	Harriet	Donated by Anne Horsfall-Turner. Good sportsmanship is when people who are playing or watching a sport treat each other with respect. This girl embodies this definition. She fights hard for her team and she works incredibly hard but she cares so much for the feelings of others too. <b>The award goes to Harriet.</b>
P.E. CUP	Рорру	The girls' sports player of the year is awarded to someone who shows excellence in all sports including Netball, Hockey, Rugby, Football, Cricket and Swimming. Outside of school, her love is cricket, and she has practised hard throughout the year. She has been selected for the Sussex County Cricket squad this year – an amazing achievement. She is a fantastic team player who always gives everything to every match she plays in. She really is a fantastic role model. <b>The winner of the Girl's PE cup is awarded to Poppy.</b>
	Oliver	This award goes to somebody who has progressed and developed so much over the time that he has been with us. He is now a competitive footballer and improved hugely within our cricket programme. He always responds well to his coaches and he is eager to progress. He is an excellent role model and a fantastic team player. <b>This cup is awarded to Oliver.</b>
ART PLATE	Harriet Genevieve	This year, the Art Plate is awarded to two pupils who have shown not only a clear talent for art but also a real passion for creativity. Their work is always original, thoughtful, and beautifully crafted— each piece reflecting their unique artistic voice.
		We're delighted to recognise their talent and dedication with this award, which goes to Harriet and Genevieve.
SINGING CUP	Emily	Awarded to a child with a beautifully clear voice who performs with great confidence. <b>The Singing Cup goes to Emily.</b>
MUSICAL THEATRE PLATE	Рорру	This pupil has a love for Musical Theatre. A talented and confident performer, she regularly takes part in productions outside of school and has been contributing to our own shows since her very first days at Sacred Heart in Nursery. Her love for the stage shines through in every performance, and her dedication to the arts is something special.
		We're delighted to award the Musical Theatre Plate to Poppy.

MUSIC CUP	Felicity	The recipient of the following award has shown tenacity and determination in her approach to her music studies. She has not shied away from working hard and tackling challenges on the piano, having recently achieved her Grade 5 in both piano and theory exams, achieving a high Distinction mark for her musical playing. She has been deservedly awarded a Music scholarship to Mayfield School <b>so it is with great pleasure that the MUSIC</b> <b>CUP is awarded to Felicity.</b>
DRAMA CUP	Elsie	This year's Drama Cup goes to someone who truly comes alive on stage. Her performance in My Fair Orphans was outstanding, and it's clear to all staff that she has a real gift for drama. She throws herself wholeheartedly into every opportunity—from her LAMDA lessons to school productions—and her passion for performing shines through in everything she does. Her dedication and talent have even earned her a Drama Scholarship to Dulwich College Cranbrook. <b>We're thrilled to award the Drama Cup to Elsie.</b>
CREATIVE WRITING CUP	Imogen	This year's Creative Writing Cup goes to a pupil with a vivid imagination, a love for storytelling, and a real gift for bringing words to life. Her writing is full of creativity, emotion, and originality—captivating readers and showing a true passion for the written word. We're excited to celebrate her talent and award the Creative Writing Cup to Imogen.
GEOGRAPHY CUP	Oliver	Since joining the school, this student has shown a genuine enthusiasm for Geography—and this year has been no exception. He approaches every topic with curiosity and energy, always eager to explore and understand the world around him. A thoroughly enthusiastic geographer, the cup is awarded to Oliver.
GK PLATE Awarded by the Griffiths Family	Felicity	This student, has a thirst for knowledge and an ever-enquiring mind. Her GL homework is thoroughly researched and the presentation of it has been outstanding every week. <b>The GK Plate</b> <i>is awarded to Felicity.</i>
HISTORY CUP Awarded by the Griffiths Family	Imogen	Awarded by the Griffiths Family. This student has a passion for History which she has demonstrated over her time at Sacred Heart. This year, she was particularly interested to learn about Crime and Punishment through the ages and trench warfare in World War One. <b>The History Cup is awarded to Imogen.</b>
COMPUTING CUP	Isaac	The Computing Cup is a brand-new award this year, created to celebrate a pupil with a real passion and talent for the subject. This student fully engages in every lesson and has a natural flair for computing, which has especially shone through in his impressive work with micro:bits and stop-motion animation. We're excited to award the very first Computing Cup to Isaac.
MODERN LANGUAGES CUP	Iris	Donated by Mrs Collins to the most promising Linguist. We did not hesitate for a moment when considering the recipient of this award. An enthusiastic linguist, she should go far in her language learning. <b>The cup is awarded to Iris.</b>
SCIENCE PRIZE	Lara	This pupil has a clear and genuine love for Science. She demonstrates an excellent understanding of scientific concepts and shows a real curiosity about the world around her. Always eager to explore and learn more, she actively engages in every science lesson with enthusiasm and insight. The Science Prize is awarded to Lara.
ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT	Emily	This award is presented to an exceptionally capable student who consistently excels across all areas of the curriculum. She approaches every challenge with determination and always gives her best effort. Having secured a place at Tonbridge Grammar School, she has continued to demonstrate remarkable dedication and academic progress throughout the year. It is with great pride that we present this prize to Emily.

THE SHINE PLATE	Bea and Lexie	The Shine Plate is a special new award created to celebrate pupils who have shown remarkable personal growth. This year, we are delighted to present it to two girls who have each made incredible progress, overcoming challenges with resilience and determination. Though they joined our school later than most, they are kind, caring, and gentle members of our community. Both have embraced their roles as Buddies and Lunchtime Pals with enthusiasm, always looking out for their friends and supporting younger children with warmth and compassion. We are proud to award the Shine Plate to Bea and Lexie.
CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING	Emily	Donated by Mrs Blake. The Catholic Social Teaching Prize is awarded to a pupil who truly embodies the principles of compassion, justice, and solidarity. This child recognises the inherent dignity of every person and has shown a commitment to supporting those in need—both within our community and beyond. Through voluntary acts of kindness and service, they have stood in solidarity with those less fortunate, living out the values at the heart of our faith. We're really pleased to give this year's Catholic Social Teaching Prize to Emily.
PERSEVERENCE CUP	Oliver	This year's recipient of the cup is someone who inspires us all with his positivity, perseverance, and determination. Despite the daily challenges he faces, he arrives at school each day with a smile on his face and a spring in his step. He gives his all in everything he does, never giving up—even when the obstacles seem overwhelming. He is a shining example to his peers and to the younger children, and the staff are incredibly proud of the tremendous progress he has made since joining our school. A huge well done to Oliver.
CONTRIBUTION TO SCHOOL LIFE PLATE	Рорру	Since Nursery, this pupil has shown unwavering commitment to every aspect of school life—whether in the classroom, on the sports field, or performing on stage. She is always ready to lend a hand, volunteering in every situation with kindness and energy. A valued and enthusiastic member of multiple pupil voice groups, she gives her time and effort for all the right reasons—motivated by care, community, and a genuine desire to make a difference. We are incredibly proud of her progress and achievements over the years, and in recognition of her outstanding contribution, the plate is awarded to Poppy.
		This plate is awarded to someone that the whole staff feels has embodied the aims of our mission statement, consistently living out the Gospel values.
SPIRIT OF SACRED HEART		This child is gentle, kind, and deeply passionate about fairness and equality. On Number Day, she stood out by grasping the concept of unequal wealth distribution far ahead of her peers, offering an exceptional and insightful solution. She carries a strong sense of duty, always putting others first—whether it's the youngest children in school or the adults around her.
*	Iris	She wears her heart on her sleeve because she truly cares. With a strong work ethic and a deep desire to do what's right, she sometimes worries she hasn't done enough—but she channels that into a developing growth mindset, always striving to be the best version of herself.
		We've all been lucky to experience her kindness in many ways, not least through her incredible baking—treating friends, teachers, and the wider school community simply to spread joy.
		We are delighted to award the Spirit of Sacred Heart Plate and Badge to Iris.



