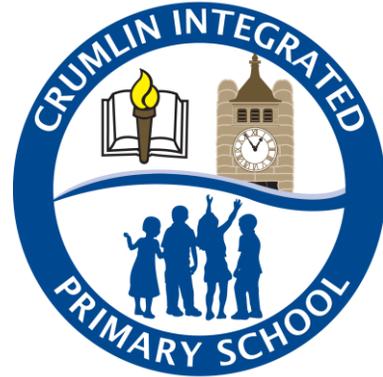


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On 1st September, 2010 Crumlin Primary School transformed to Crumlin Controlled Integrated Primary School.

1st September, 2010 also marked the 101st anniversary of the opening of the school in 1909 to serve the educational needs of the children of Crumlin village and surrounding area. The school was built in 1909 as Crumlin National School, through public subscription aided by a grant from the education commissioners. It was, in point of fact, set up as a non-denominational school, under the management of a lay committee to educate children of all religions. In transforming to Controlled Integrated Status, the Governors believe that the school has returned to its original purpose: integrated education for the pupils of Crumlin village and the greater Crumlin area.

During the year following transformation, a school mission statement, ***'Lighting Up the Minds of Today for a Brighter Tomorrow'*** was agreed and, in consultation with the school community, the school badge was redesigned, reflecting something of the village and the core values and ethos of the school.

Crumlin Integrated Primary is like home from home,
The circle represents the world that we own,
And in this world, we each have a place,
No matter what religion, skin colour or race.

The thin blue line that divides it in two,
Represents the river running through,
It flows through the Glen, not too far from here,
How lucky to have such beauty so near.

If you go up the town, the clock tower you'll see,
It tells of a new time for you and for me,
Whilst it chimes of times that are now in the past,
It's a symbol of Crumlin that ever will last.

Beside it you'll see a book and a flame,
This part of our badge remains just the same,
Symbolising learning that takes place each day,
Flame stands for hope which lights up our way.

And finally, the children, we are at the heart,
Our world is changing and we all play a part,
In respecting differences in our work and our play
We can help change the world in our own special way.
