

COTTERIDGE PRIMARY SCHOOL



NEWSLETTER

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Friday 4th May 2018

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TTENDANCE

Whole school target is 97%

	EYFS	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6
Attendance %	94%	94%	98%	96%	95%	96%	97%

Whole School Attendance this week

96%

Attendance superstars
for this week

2W 99% / 6G 99%

For a four day week, there has been so much happening in school. In Nursery the children have been watching their caterpillars develop, with several of them now in the chrysalis stage. The children have also been studying Kandinsky and trying out his style of painting. We have lots of visitors in school to talk to the children over the year, and this week it was the turn for Reception who had the police in to talk about their work. Year 3 started swimming on Monday and will continue next week. In Year 2, the children have been learning all about Neil Armstrong as part of their Time Travellers topic.

Today is the highlight of the week though, 'World Book Day'. Thank you to everyone who got involved in this fun filled day of literature, the children have come into school today full of enthusiasm for the book inspired activities. The children have enjoyed their class swaps and enjoyed being read to by one of our members of staff. The bedtime routine will hopefully be easy for parents and carers tonight!

Have a wonderful sunny bank holiday. Mrs Tucker

Upcoming Diary Dates:

MAY

- Wed 9** 1P Class Assembly 9.10am
- Thu 10** PTA AGM
- Mon 14** Y6 SATs Week
- Wed 16** Y5 Malvern Residential—3 days
- Tue 22** Class Photos
- Wed 23** RB Class Assembly 9.10am
- Thu 24** Y6 Drayton Manor Trip
- Fri 25** PTA Non Uniform Day (Tombola and soft toy donation)

June

- Mon 4** Y6 Stratford Upon Avon
- Wed 6** Y1 Black Country Museum
- Tue 12** Y2 Weston Super Mare
- Wed 13** RP Class Assembly
- Tue 19** Reception Severn Valley

See the website for future dates

Term Dates 2017/18:

Summer Term

Mon 16th Apr - Fri 25th May

Half Term: Mon 28th May - Fri 1st Jun

Mon 4th Jun - Fri 20th Jul

Teacher Training Days

Monday 23rd July 2018

Tuesday 24th July 2018



Question of the week
How do you know your perceptions are real?

Advanced Notice for Academic Year 2018/19 Training Days:

- Monday 3rd September 2018
- Thursday 29th & Friday 30th November 2018
- Monday 25th February 2019
- Monday 22nd July 2019

Right of the Week: Article 42 Chosen by Year 4 UNICEF ambassadors Callie 4J and Ava 4B. Governments should make the convention known to children and adults.



World Book Day

Finally the winter weather has gone and we were able to celebrate World Book Day. The children and staff looked fantastic in their PJ's and Onesies - a very comfy school day. Older children read to younger children throughout the school. Teaching staff did class swaps and read to different year groups. All the children enjoyed many reading activities throughout the day.



PTA Update

Thursday 10th May - PTA AGM

Friday 25th May

- **Non-uniform day.** Please could we have donations of tombola items and soft toys in readiness for our Summer Fair on this non-uniform day.
- **Cake Sale** 3.15pm. Cake donations welcome.

Tip Top Friday

Weather permitting Tip Top Fridays are returning, watch out on FB or for a text.

Please like/follow us on Facebook to see our latest news.

Netball News

Up coming matches:

21st May - Jervoise Away

8th June - Kings Norton TBC

15th June - West Heath TBC

Match result:

Fantastic start to the High 5 season.

Cotteridge won 25-0 against St. Marys.



School Meals

Please ensure you log into SchoolMoney and book your child's meals at least a week in **advance** in order for your child to have a school dinner. Bookings must be done for all year groups. Children within KS2 (Years 3-6) will need to pay for their school meals online as we do not take cash or cheques in the school office. All payments must be made through School-Money. If you think you are entitled to Free School Meals, then please contact the office to check.

Please ensure you keep your account in credit.



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