



COTTERIDGE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

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Whole school target is 97%

	EYFS	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6
Attendance %	97%	94%	98%	96%	97%	98%	100%

Whole School Attendance this week	97%	Attendance superstars for this week	2S & 2W 98% / 6G & 6PE 100%
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What an eventful week it has been at Cotteridge. Year 6 SATS have now come to an end and the children have demonstrated fantastic effort and perseverance this week, giving their absolute best. We are very proud of them and hope they have a restful weekend. Well done to them.

Some of Year 5 have thoroughly enjoyed a residential trip to Malvern this week, staying from Wednesday until Friday. Team building activities have included climbing, abseiling and kayaking, all while appreciating the wonderful weather and lovely views. Meanwhile, other members of Year 5 have had an exciting time back at school learning new circus skills such as plate spinning and balloon modelling, which they showcased to the Infants on Friday!

On Thursday, the children in Early Years and Key Stage 1 attended the wedding of Prince Harry and Meghan Markle, as part of their work on the 'Royal Wedding' and celebrating British Values. The children dressed up as characters from the wedding party, photographers and wedding guests and enjoyed cake, speeches and confetti. It really was a magical day.

Looking ahead, please note that Class Photo day has changed from Tuesday 22nd May to Monday 18th June.

Have a lovely weekend everybody and enjoy the Royal Wedding on Saturday. *Mrs Darby*

Upcoming Diary Dates:

MAY

Wed 23	RB Class Assembly 9.10am
Thu 24	Y6 Drayton Manor Trip
Fri 25	PTA Non Uniform Day (Tombola and soft toy donation)
	Cake Sale - cake donations welcome

June

Mon 4	Y6 Stratford Upon Avon
Wed 6	Y1 Black Country Museum
Tue 12	Y2 Weston Super Mare
Wed 13	RP Class Assembly
Mon 18	Class Photo
Tue 19	Reception Severn Valley
Wed 20	Nursery Attwell Farm visit
Wed 27	Y5 Houses of Parliament

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
 Training days for 2018/19 on the website



Question of the week
 If you had a wish what would it be?

Netball

Up coming matches:

21st May - Jervoise Away
 23rd May - Bournville Away
 8th June - Kings Norton TBC
 15th June - West Heath Away
 3rd July - Raddlebarn TBC
 13th July - Birmingham School Games

Right of the Week:

Article 25. Chosen by Year 6 UNICEF ambassadors Trinity 6PE and Amy 6G. If a child lives away from home (in care, hospital or in prison, for example), they have a right to a regular check of their treatment and the way they are cared for.



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Year 5 Activities

Let me entertain you! From hoola hooping to plate spinning, balloon modelling to juggling ball making, the circus definitely came to town in Year 5 this week. The children have worked so hard learning new skills this week and showcased their new talents in an amazing performance for Key Stage 1 on Friday. Who knew we had some many talented circus performers in Year 5!



Year 5 Malvern Trip

A fantastic time was had on the residential trip in Malvern. Wednesday afternoon Mrs Smith, Mrs Taylor and Mr Smith took the children on a trek to enjoy the views from the top of the Malvern Hills. Miss Lacey enjoyed watching Kara and Joel kayaking with newly learnt skills on Thursday afternoon, whilst many of the other children were taking part in other fantastic outdoor learning activities. A brilliant time was had by all.



The Wedding Celebration

Early Years and Key Stage 1 hosted their very own version of the 'Royal Wedding' on Thursday. Prince Harry (Ethan in 2S) and Meghan (Ellia in 2W) wed in true British style, with cake, speeches and confetti! The guests enjoyed the Wedding Reception in the afternoon with dancing and party food. A fantastic day was had by all.



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