

COTTERIDGE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER



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Friday 28th June 2019

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TTENDANCE

Whole school target is 97%

	EYFS	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6
Attendance %	95%	96%	91%	99%	99%	95%	99%

Whole School Attendance w/c
28th June

96%

Attendance superstars
for this week

1P 96% / 3E & 4T 100%

Finally the sun has come out in Cotteridge and the children have enjoyed the last couple of days in the sunshine at school this week, luckily, just in time for our eagerly awaited Summer Fayre later today! As the weather warms up, please ensure that your child comes to school wearing sunscreen and a sun hat.

This week has yet again been an eventful one for trips. On Monday, Year 5 spent a fantastic day in London exploring the House of Commons, even bumping into a few celebrities along the way! On Tuesday, the Reception children enjoyed a visit to Severn Valley Railway as part of their topic 'Going Places'. Despite the rainy conditions, the children had fun exploring the museum and riding on an old steam train. The writing the children produced as a result of their trip was fantastic; Eric in RP wrote a detailed account of the day, describing all of the things he saw in lots of detail. Well done Eric!

On Wednesday, 1J performed their class assembly to parents and carers. They spoke and sang with such confidence and clarity. We are all so proud of them. Well done to all of the children and adults involved in the performance for all of your hard work.

At this time of year the children are beginning to think about their transition into the next academic year. This is particularly true for some of Year 6, who have spent some time this week meeting and greeting staff from their various new secondary schools. It is the exciting start of the next chapter in their school career and they all represented our school brilliantly.

Have a lovely weekend everybody and enjoy this wonderful weather. We hope to see you all this afternoon at our Summer Fayre.

Mrs Darby

Diary Dates: July

- Fri 5 Sports Day KS1 AM/KS2 PM
- Mon 8 Reception to Y1 Transition meeting 9am
- Wed 10 Reports Home to Parents
- Fri 12 Sports Day Back Up Day
- Mon 15 Parents 'Drop In' - 3.30 to 4.15pm
- Tue 18 Netball Presentation 4pm
- Wed 17 Y6 Leavers' Show 2pm and 6.30pm
- Thu 18 Y3/4 Disco 2pm
Y5/6 Disco 4.30pm
- Fri 19 Y6 Graduation Ceremony 2pm

Summer Term 2019

Monday 3rd June - Friday 19th July

Teacher Training Days

Monday 22nd July 2019

Question of the week



Are you always responsible for your own actions?

Right of the Week:

Article 39 Chosen by Year 4 UNICEF ambassadors Tabitha 4T and Susan 4J. Children neglected, abused, exploited, tortured or who are victims of war must receive special help to help them recover their health, dignity and self-respect.



New Classes

Letters will be going home on Friday 5th July to inform parents about new classes. Pupils will have time in their new classes on Wednesday 10th July 2019.

Achieving Excellence

Inspiring Dreams

Year 5 House of Commons Visit

On Monday, Year 5 had a fantastic day in London as part of their topic on Ancient Greece and Democracy. Following a walk down the Mall to watch the Changing of the Guard, we enjoyed a stroll through St James's Park and along Whitehall, past 10 Downing Street. Once inside Parliament, we were given a tour of Westminster Hall where we observed the speaker, John Bercow, as he made his way through the central lobby to open the afternoon sitting in the House of Commons. Adding to the excitement of the day, we were able to attend a sitting in the House of Lords, witnessing the discussion from the balcony above. The day was a wonderful and memorable experience for all.



Reception Severn Valley Trip

Reception had a fantastic time at the Severn Valley Railway, where they got to ride on a steam engine and visit the education centre.

Their behaviour was exemplary and was a true reflection of our children at Cotteridge.



1J Class Assembly

On Wednesday 1J performed their class assembly about the differences between life for children in Victorian times and now. They were all spectacular and the assembly was a great success.



Safeguarding Update

Cotteridge Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of Children.

Hot Weather Precautions

It's getting warmer, so could you please make sure that children are protected from the sun by wearing a hat/cap and applying sun lotion before they come to school. When sending sun lotion into school, please ensure that it is labelled with your child's name and class. Please ensure that your child brings a water bottle to school.



Mrs Burnett

Netball

Netball player of the week: Halimah 6PE

Results:

Fantastic win against Kings Norton 17-2.

Man of the Match:

Neve 6G.

Upcoming matches:

- 1st July away to Jervoise
- 12th July High 5 Tournament Birmingham School's Games

