



'We work as one to be the best that we can be'

Summer 2  
2024

### Year 5 Takeover Day

Throughout the day Year 5 did a wonderful job of learning what it takes to have a real job. The feedback received from the adults in school, helped by Year 5, said that this has probably been the best Take Over Day yet!



### Year 5 Careers Fair

The children in Year 5 had the opportunity to talk about a variety of careers such as The Sandcastle, Occupational Therapy at Blackpool Victoria Hospital, DWP Digital Jobs, Handels Bank and The Ministry of Defence.



The children thoroughly enjoyed their morning learning about these different occupa-

tions and it has given them an insight into a future that they would like to have for



themselves. Another huge thank you to everyone who was involved!



### Heritage Week

Boundary's Heritage Day 2023.

This year the whole school looked at Blackpool and its rich history and diversity. Some classes explored the mighty Blackpool FC while Year 6 looked at the history of LGBTQ+ in the town and how Basil Newby has played such an influential role in the growth of the town.



Each year we learn so much about the town we call home!

### Boundary Choral Speaking Competition

Each year, children from across school took part in the Boundary Choral Speaking Competition. This whole-school event is designed to promote oracy, team work, confidence, resilience and a love of literature.

Well done to this years winners...Year 3.

Well done to ALL children who took part.



### Blackpool Choral Speaking Competition

Alongside our own Choral Speaking Competition, we host the Blackpool Choral Speaking Competition—this sees schools from across the area invited to perform in front of a larger audience.

Well done to this years winners...St. Nicholas C of E Primary School!

Well done to ALL children from each school who took part.



## Geography Day

This year, our focus was 'Our Local Area'.

In year 5 they looked at maps and information online to find out about the £20,000,000 redevelopment of Grange Park. We also did a Kahoot! quiz, with help from some parents, about the Grange Park redevelopment.



In Year 4 they found a route to the beach using maps in the morning and after lunch they

walked the route. Along the way, using clipboards, they wrote down examples of human features and physical features we saw. They decided that there were much more human features than physical!

Please see our class blogs for more photos!



## Health week

All the children enjoyed taking part in a range of activities such as wheelchair rugby with Wigan Warriors, yoga activities and visits from the school nurses, who taught

different year groups about what a balanced diet is and how to make healthy choices.

This healthy and active learning continues throughout the year, in a variety of lessons.



Please see our class blogs on our website for more pictures!



## Year 5 Residential

What a brilliant few days we have all had together at PGL. From the moment we arrived to the moment we left, we were busy taking part in exciting activities. Throughout the stay we took part in canoeing, climbing wall, survivor, raft building (and getting wet!!), archery and SO much more...



There was plenty of food to keep our strength up and lots of games with our leader Lewis in between activities. We all had a brilliant time and made memories for life.



## Transition Day

The whole school transition day is a day where new pupils meet their new teacher ahead of the academic year, providing an opportunity for children to get to know their new class teacher. It eases anxiety, allows pupils to ask questions about their new year group and meet their new teacher, and participate in team-building activities.

## Music Day

This year's theme for Music Day was identity. We had a fantastic day learning about syncopated rhythms, creating our own rhythms to a and then created syncopated rhythms with body percussion and a range of different instruments.

See our class blogs for pictures and videos!





## Together Time



This half-term we invited parents and carers from across school to work alongside their child for a morning. The school was a-buzz with laughter and learning.

Thank you to those parents and carers who could share in the day, look out for details of other Together Time sessions during the school year.



## Sports Round-up

Boundary Primary School recently hosted our annual Sports and health week, an event that highlighted the students' enthusiasm and dedication to sports and physical activities. Our students participated in diverse range of sporting events that showcased their talents and team spirit. Sports included things such as a Rugby Festival, where the children demonstrated strength, agility and teamwork.



Next up was the Football festival where KS2 children participated against other local primary schools at Stanley Park in a round robin style format. The festival was not about winning, but about enjoying the game, learning from each other and showcasing team work and resilience.

Our athletes also shone brightly at the Athletics Festival, where they participated in a range of track and field events. From sprints to long-distance races, as well as long jump. Adding a unique twist to our sports week was the Glow Festival. This event combined dancing with a fun, neon-lit environment, encouraging students to participate in various glow-in-the-dark dances and games. It was a fantastic way to celebrate fitness in a playful and engaging manner.



The highlight of the term was undoubtedly our annual Sports Day, where the entire school came together to participate in a variety of activities throughout the week. The week was filled with events that tested

the students' speed, strength, and coordination, including running, jumping, throwing, catching, and even archery. The cheers from parents, teachers, and fellow students created a great atmosphere, motivating the participants to give their best.



Throughout Sports Week, the students of Boundary Primary School demonstrated the values of determination, teamwork, and fair play. Each event provided an opportunity for them to push their limits, support their peers, and most importantly have fun!

## Attendance

Our overall attendance for the year was **91.1%**- Although this has improved greatly since last year, we must aim to be above 96% so here's hoping this figure continues to improve!

Miss Kemp, our Attendance Officer, continues to monitor pupils attendance and we work alongside the Pupil Welfare Service to continually improve attendance.

Please remember that if your child is ill or has an appointment, you must provide the school with evidence, otherwise absences will remain unauthorised.

Please ensure that your children are in school every day and dropped off and collected on time.

If you are having issues getting your children in or on time, please get in touch, we are always here to help!



## Key Dates for Spring 1

3/9/24 — School Opens

16/09/24 — Democracy Week

23/09/24 — European Day of Languages

26/09/24 — School Council Election Day

27/09/24 — MacMillan Coffee Morning

18/10/24 — School Closes for half term

28/10/24 — School Opens



## 100% Attendance

24 pupils achieved 100% attendance for this academic year!

What an achievement!

These pupils were recognised and celebrated within our end of year assembly. Well done!



## Family Workshops at Boundary

The next family workshop is on 'Sharing Stories with your child' here at School.

Wednesday 18th September 2024

Everyone is welcome!



## Uniform Reminder

Please remember that all children must be in full school uniform – this includes a tie.



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