

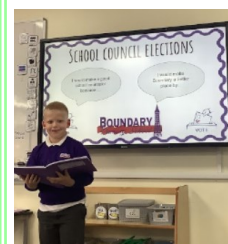
Year 6 Magistrates Visit

Year 6 were visited by local magistrates who told them all about their jobs and how they play integral roles in the court system. They then took part in a mock trial, which centered around a case of online bullying. The children really got a feel for what goes on in a courtroom and some of Year 6 are even considering future careers as magistrates!



Democracy Week

Democracy Week started with a visit from local MP, Chris Webb who shared his experiences of being Blackpool's Labour MP. We are proud to say that Chris was very impressed with our school.



Children then put their names forward to be a member of the school council, they wrote their manifestos and presented them.

Voting day took place on 26th September and all children in school cast a vote.



Well done to all those children who put themselves forward and presented a manifesto and congratulations to our new school councillors!

Year 3 Royal Ballet

Year Three have been very lucky to have Miss Gough and Mr. Morris, who are teachers from the Royal Ballet School, working with them this half term.

Each week the children have been developing key ballet skills including reverence and a port de bra. They put these skills together to form a 'Stone Age' motif.



As part of the programme, Year 3 also enjoyed a visit to The Globe Theatre to watch junior associates and members of the Royal Ballet school perform!

Year Three were really inspired by these children and loved seeing how much they could spin and how high they could jump!



EYFS Owl Visit

Our EYFS children were very excited to have a special visit from the owls Pike, Bugs and Midge.

They watched them fly around the dance studio, listened to their wings as they flapped and watched how they enjoyed eating their snacks.

They learnt that owls have incredible hearing and can spin their head around in order to hunt for mice and other small animals.



Year 2 Forest School

Year 2 have enjoyed three fun filled Forest School sessions. During the first week they searched for Birch trees and then went on to have a minibeast hunt.



The second week was focused on a frogs and pond dipping. They found: water beetles, worms and even a dragonfly nymph that was wrapped up, keeping warm in the pond weed.

In the final week, Year 2 made journey sticks and fishing rods and tried to catch fish in the muddy puddles.



Spelling Bee

On 8th Oct we held our first Spelling Bee of the year. Each house was represented by spellers from Year 2 - Year 6 and the children were tested on spellings they have been learning in Autumn 1.

We are very proud of all the children for being their house

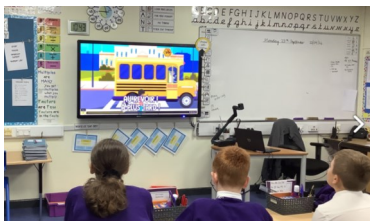
representative and spelling some very tricky words in front of the whole school.



The over all winners were Bathurst, who managed to spell 14/15 spellings across all 5 years groups. Well done to ALL children from each house who took part.

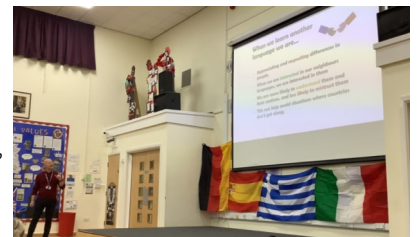
European Day of Languages

On 23rd September we celebrated the European Day of Languages. We started by holding a special assembly. We talked about why it is important to know about other languages and cultures and how this might help us when we grow up.



We discussed the characteristics that you need to learn a language including enthusiasm, curiosity, perseverance and self motivation.

We ended with a languages quiz and learned a greeting song in French.



Macmillan Coffee Morning

On Friday 27th September we took part in the Macmillan Coffee Morning. A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who supported this event and the school staff who organised the event.

We raised a total of **£196.28** for this amazing charity!



Harvest Assembly

This half term we celebrated Harvest Festival. Year 6 led the celebration assembly together with our special guest, Reverend Peter. We talked about being thankful for the food we eat, our good health and the life we live.

Thank you to everyone for the kind donations, which have been warmly received by Vincent House.



National Literacy Trust—Buzzing about Books

Maple Class, have been taking part in the National Literacy Trust project, Buzzing about Books.

As part of the project, they have had fun exploring a variety of books generously donated by the trust and they have chosen their favourite read so far. They will get chance to read this book every day in class for 10 minutes, before writing a book review to share with a friend.



Sports Round-up

KS2 Girls Football Armfield

The 1st October saw some of our KS2 Girls play in a football match against Armfield Academy. Although the girls didn't get the win, they played unbelievably well and didn't stop until the final whistle! Well done girls, we are all proud of your efforts.



Fit2Glow

On 8th October, Year 2s took part in Blackpool FC Community Trust Fit2Glow Festival at Palatine Sports Centre. They played 6 matches - Winning 2 and Drawing 4 and they didn't even concede a goal!! All of the children were exceptional and they represented Boundary brilliantly!

KS2 Panathlon Multiskills

On 11th October, 8 of our KS2 children represented Boundary in a Panathlon Multi-skills event. Working together as a team they needed to score points on 7 different Multi-Skill type games. Competing against 8 other schools in Blackpool, Boundary finished 2nd with only 3 points behind 1st Place. All of the children received silver medals for finishing second and the school received a trophy and a framed certificate. The children were outstanding!



Year 2 Zoo Orienteering

As part of the 60 minute active challenge, we took 8 Year 2's for a morning of orienteering around the zoo. The children had an excellent time seeing all of the different animals and answering fact based questions about each animal as well.

Key Dates for Autumn 2

October 2024

Monday 28/10/24 — School Opens

November 2024

06/11/24—SEND Drop-in

08/11/24—Odd Socks Day

11/11/24—Remembrance

15/11/24—Children in Need

22/11/24—Flu Vaccinations

25/11/24—Together Time

December 2024

04/12/24—Christmas Fair

09/12/24—Christmas Lunch/Christmas Jumper Day

11/12/24—Christmas Disco

17/12/24—EYFS Christmas Production

17/12/24—Nursery Christmas Sing-a-long

18/12/24—EYFS/KS1 Christmas Parties

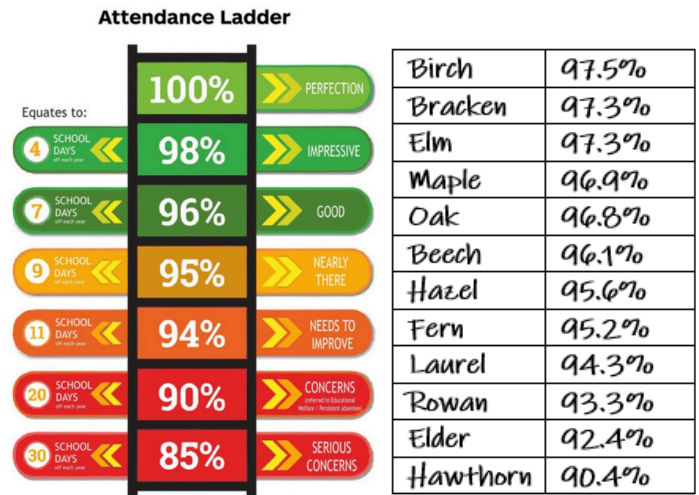
19/12/24—KS2 Christmas Parties

Friday 20/12/24—School Closes

January 2025

Tuesday 07/01/25—School Opens

Attendance



Our whole school attendance this half term is
94.39%

Our target attendance is 96%

Holidays during term time will not be authorised and if taken, penalty notices will be issued.

ATTENDANCE MATTERS
every school day counts.

100% Attendance - Autumn 1

167 pupils achieved 100% attendance for this half term!

What a great start to the school year.

These pupils received a badge and were celebrated within our whole school assembly.

Well done!



Tower of Support

The next community learning project is on 6th November here at School.

The focus is Managing Money and Financial Pressures.

Everyone is welcome!



Uniform Reminder

Please remember that all children must be in full school uniform – this includes a tie, and school shoes which should be fully black. 'Always Badges' must be worn! Thank you!



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