

## Cop Lane C.E. Primary School

A welcoming Christian community, committed to one another, giving our very best at all times.

'I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.' Philippians 4:13

Our Christian Value is: hope



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#### Headteacher's Message

The sun has been shining this week. The children have enjoyed playing on the field as we make the most of this dry and settled weather.

On Wednesday, some of our children took part in a singing event at Priory. Well done to all those who took part. They were excellent ambassadors for the school.

On the 16th May, we will be supporting Christian Aid. As it is the whole school cricket festival, we will be having a 'wear a sports kit day' for a suggested donation of a £1. Please ensure that any sports kits worn/ shoes are suitable for PE and cricket. A payment link will be set up shortly. We will let you know when the link is live.

We are all very excited as we have the Playground Proms concert this afternoon. I'm sure this will be enjoyed by all.

Best wishes,

Mr Ian P. Ashmore



#### **PTFA News**

Information on events this term coming soon.



#### **Dates for your Diary**



05.05.25—May Bank Holiday

12.05.25-15.05.25-Y6 SATs week

16.05.25—whole school cricket festival

16.05.25—sports kit nonuniform day for Christian Aid

21.05.25—Sports day infants (AM) and juniors (PM)

23.05.25—Reserve sports day— infants (AM) and juniors (PM)

#### Reflection Time

"We don't own the Planet Earth; we belong to it. And we must share it with our wildlife."

Steve Irwin

This week in worship, we talked about hope for the world. We have a beautiful world filled with lots of fantastic animals, plants and landscapes. However, we discussed whether we always treat it respectfully. We talked about being 'stewards' of the planet and making small changes that, if everyone did them, could have a larger impact. For example, walking on small journeys instead of driving or choosing to recycle more. If we all did our part, we can help each other, as well as our global neighbours.





This week in our Picture News, we looked at the news that many workers in Birmingham have been on strike (choosing not to work) since January because they believe they are not being treated or paid fairly. The workers on strike are the people whose job it is to collect rubbish and empty the bins from outside homes and streets. As an all-out strike has now been going on since 11th March, huge piles of rubbish are building up around the city. The children considered the question: "Whose job is it to keep our local places clean and tidy?"

Our 'Picture News at Home' can be found on the last page of this newsletter.



































VE Day: Victory in Europe Day, marking the end of the 2nd World War in Europe.

Assorted sandwiches

Vegetarian sausage roll

Margherita pizza bites

Vegetable sticks and dips

Ready salted crisps

Fresh fruit wedges

Ice-cream

If your Junior child usually brings their own packed lunch and would like to have the VE Day Special Lunch, please pay £2.90 via the Eduspot link. Deadline for payment Tues 6/5/25.

N.B. If your child usually has a school lunch, they will automatically have the Special Lunch.

If your Infant child has a packed lunch and would like the VE Day Special Lunch, just contact the office and they can be added on. No payment is required for children in Rec, Y1, Y2 as all infants qualify for universal free school lunches.





































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Our class attendance figures this week are:

EYFS	95.7%
ETT 3	73.770
YR 1	99%
YR 2	98%
YR 3	99.2%
YR 4	97.2%
YR 5	97%
YR 6	97.4%



Well done to Y3 this week!!!































# TAKEHOME 28th April - 4th Hoy



## In the news this week

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#### Things to talk about at home ...

- Talk to someone at home about what happens to your rubbish. Where do you take it? Do you know where it goes? What about your recycling?
- Tell someone at home about this week's story. What do you think it might be like for some people living in Birmingham at the moment?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

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