



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

Last Friday afternoon our playground prom concert was excellent. The children were captivated as they learnt all about the different instruments. A big thank you to Mrs Bourne for organising the event.

This morning, we welcomed our local MP Paul Foster. Paul toured the school and met with the school council. The children had some super questions that they wanted to ask. They also asked about how they would go about seeing if they can have a zebra crossing outside school.

Have a good weekend.

Best wishes,

Mr Ian P. Ashmore



Dates for your Diary



12.05.25—15.05.25—Y6
SATs week

16.05.25—whole school
cricket festival

16.05.25—sports kit non-
uniform 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)

PTFA News

Information on events this term coming soon.



Reflection Time

"Go and gather together all the Jews of Susa and fast for me. Do not eat or drink for three days, night or day. My maids and I will do the same. And then, though it is against the law, I will go in to see the king. If I must die, I must die.."

Esther 4:16

This week in worship, we have thought about hope in the Old Testament. We heard the story of Esther. She didn't always have an easy life, but she always had hope. She wanted what was best for the people around her and she made good, brave decisions. When Esther was in difficulty, she talked to her cousin, Mordecai. As a result, Haman was defeated.



This week in our Picture News, we looked at the news that the government has recently announced that a theme park will be built in the UK, due to open in 2031. The brand-new Universal theme park will be the first in Europe, located in Bedfordshire, England. Universal Pictures is a US entertainment company, well known for creating films such as Sing, Despicable Me, Shrek and The Grinch. It currently has five theme parks across the world, with plans to build more. The children considered the question: "What makes somewhere special to visit?"

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

Governor Update

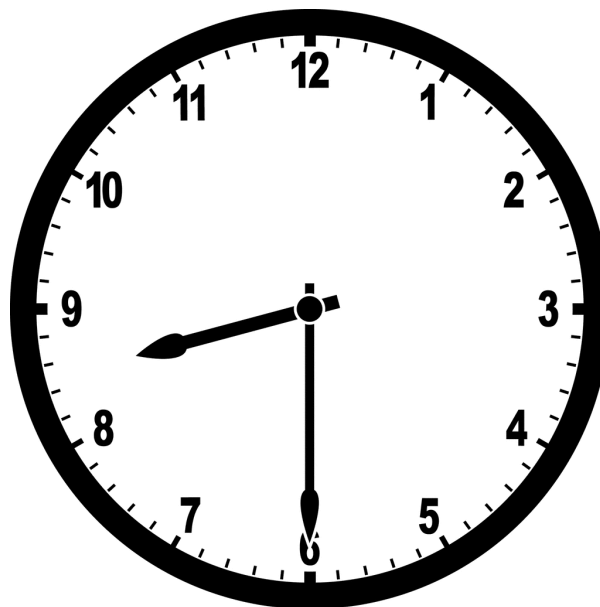
A meeting of the Quality of Education Committee was held on 8th May 2025 in school. The impact of the meeting was:

- Governors reviewed the SLAs the school receives to ensure it gets value for money.
- Governors received attendance data and compared it to the previous academic year. This shows overall absence is down compared to the previous year. The school is in the top 10% of schools nationally for attendance.
- Governors reviewed the school improvement plan and progress made.

Governors lived out the Christian vision by looking at progress in all areas of school to ensure that the children are supported and a lifelong love of learning is instilled.

Y6 Reminder—SATs week

Y6 children are sitting their SATs next week. A letter is pinned to the top of the Y6 SeeSaw page with information on it. Children should be in school for 8:30am Monday-Thursday.





Our class attendance figures this week are:

EYFS	96.6%
YR 1	100%
YR 2	100%
YR 3	99.2%
YR 4	96.8%
YR 5	99.2%
YR 6	98.3%



Well done to YR 1 and YR 2 this week!!!



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What makes somewhere special to visit?



In the news this week

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Things to talk about at home ...

- > Share your response to the news about a new theme park in the UK with someone at home. Is it somewhere you would like to visit?
- > Have you been to any other theme parks? Have others at home? If not, would you like to?
- > Can you think of a place that is special to you? What makes it special?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

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