

Odd Socks Day—Anti-Bullying Week

In November, we took part in National Anti-Bullying Week. We started the week off with a whole school assembly with the focus on this year's theme 'The Power of Good'.

Back in class the children took part in a range of activities focused on bullying.

EYFS focused on recognising different kinds of behaviours and what to do if someone was being unkind.

In Key Stage 1, children were identifying different types of bullying and explored what a trusted adult is and in Key Stage 2 the children focused on cyber bullying - exploring how to act responsibly online.

To end the week, we invited everyone to wear odd socks to celebrate diversity.



Year 6—Knife Crime Workshop

Year 6 had a visit from the local police to talk about the dangers of knife crime. The PCSOs explained the risks and consequences of carrying a knife.

Some the risks discussed included; causing serious harm to yourself or others and the legal impact – even having a knife without using it can lead to arrest and a criminal record.

The police encouraged pupils to make positive choices, avoid peer pressure, and speak to trusted adults if they feel worried.

The session was interactive, with pupils asking questions and learning how to make safe decisions.

The key message was clear: knives don't protect you—they put you at greater risk.



Remembrance

To commemorate Remembrance Day, each pupil from Boundary made and planted a poppy in our school Remembrance Garden. Each poppy held the name of a soldier who had died in service during the First World War.



Just before 11am, the whole school gathered for a Remembrance Service, led by Year 6 and Reverend Peter.

This was an opportunity to remember these soldiers and others who had sacrificed their lives in past and present conflicts.



Pupils had further opportunities to reflect as they created art based around the theme of poppies, using different techniques, such as collage, print and sketching.

Children in Need

This year we raised a total of £218 for Children in Need.



We swapped one part of our uniform for spots or stripes and took part in a whole school dance in the hall.



Thank you for all your support.

Together Time

On Tuesday 25th November we held one of our popular 'Together Time' sessions.

This is an opportunity for parents and carers to come into school and spend some time in class with their children - learning together.



As always, the morning was very well attended. We would like to thank parents and carers for all their support, it is much appreciated - see you next time!



Get Ready with Teddy

Our preschool children are about to begin a very exciting journey - and they won't be doing it alone! Throughout the year, they'll be helping our Boundary Bear get ready for Reception.



Together, the children and their cuddly friend will be practising all the skills needed to become confident, independent and school-ready.



This term, the children have been helping teddy with his self-care skills and have shown him how to wash his hands and put his shoes and coat on independently.

Fire Safety Visits

Early in November, firefighters from Lancashire Fire and Rescue Service visited our Year 2 and Year 6 pupils to deliver their Child Safe programme.

The pupils in Year 2 focused on fire safety, including how to stay safe, what to do in an emergency, and when to call 999. They were also taught the importance of 'Stop, Drop and Roll'.



Year 6 focused on road safety, discussing how important it is that we keep ourselves safe by waiting at kerbs, wearing more visible colours and not using phones/headphones when walking.



They also gave some great career advice to our older pupils, which was invaluable for those that may be considering a future career as a fire fighter.

Year 1 - RE Visitor

Reverend Peter from St Mark's Church visited Year 1 to talk about the important message in the Christmas story. They told him everything that they had learnt about Christianity so far.



Reverend Peter then read the Nativity story to them and they all joined in with different parts. He taught them about the key messages in the story and the roles of different characters. They then had some time to ask questions about the Nativity story and the Christian faith.



Choir Events



Our wonderful choir enjoyed our annual community Walking Nativity event!. It was wonderful to come together with our friends from Christ the King and St. Mark's Church.

They also sang for the residents at Littlewood Manor Care Home who thoroughly enjoyed the festive fun.

Sports Round-up

Key Stage 1 Netball

On Friday 5th December, nine KS1 children travelled to Stanley park to play some netball. The children practiced passing, shooting and pivoting. All of the children were amazing and represented the school brilliantly. Well done everyone! A massive thank you to Blackpool Netball Club for hosting as well.



Year 3 and Year 4 Athletics

On Monday 1st December, ten children from Year 3 & Year 4 competed in their athletics qualifiers. All of the children were amazing in every event and managed to finish 3rd place which is great! This means they will now compete against other schools in Blackpool in January. Well done everyone!



Year 5 and Year 6 Athletics

On Monday 17th November, ten Year 5 & Year 6 children took part in the schools athletics qualifiers. All of the children did amazingly well and we qualified for the finals day! That means the children will now compete against the other winning schools from Blackpool in January. Well done everyone!

Panathlon Bowling Competition



On Friday 12th December, six KS2 children took part in a Panathlon Bowling Competition against other schools. The children were amazing and came away as WINNERS!!! The team averaged 86.83 which was the highest out of all of the schools. Also, one of our children managed to record the highest score out of any child at the event with an amazing 110!

Well done everyone, you were brilliant and we are so proud of you! They will now go on to represent Blackpool in the county finals some time in 2026.

Christmas at Boundary

As always, we have had a very busy run up to the Christmas break. We started it all off with our popular Christmas Fair, which was well attended. Thank you for your support!

We enjoyed a festive Christmas Lunch whilst wearing our Christmas jumpers and in the same week, we also watched a fabulous pantomime in the school hall.

All children had the opportunity to attend one of our Sparkle and Shine discos after school and we ended a very busy term with our class Christmas parties which included a visit from the Big Man himself!



Key Dates for Spring 1

January 2026

Monday 05/01/26—School Opens

12/01/26—Year 6 Parents SATs meeting

26/01/26—Year 1 Parents Phonics Workshop

29/01/26—Parent Forum

February 2026

02/02/26—Story Telling Week

09/02/26—Schools Alive

10/02/26—Safer Internet Day

Friday 19/02/25—School Closes

Monday 05/01/26—School Opens

Advance Notice of Parent Days in Spring 2

February 2026

Mon 23/02/26—Nursery

Tues 24/02/26—Reception

Weds 25/02/26—Year 1

Thurs 26/02/26—Year 2

March 2026

Mon 02/03/26—Year 3

Tues 03/03/26—Year 5

Weds 04/03/26—Year 4

Thurs 05/03/26—Year 6

Tower of Support

'Learn Together' is a free 4-week course for Reception families.

Starting on Thurs 15th Jan 1pm-3pm at Boundary

Please contact Miss Bradley on 01253 287250 to find out more or see the flyer attached.



Attendance

Attendance Ladder



Laurel	95.8 %
Rowan	94.9 %
Maple	94.3 %
Elm	93.6 %
Fern	93.4 %
Bracken	93.2 %
Hawthorn	92.9 %
Elder	92.7 %
Birch	92.5 %
Oak	91.7 %
Beech	91.9 %
Hazel	89.9 %

Our whole school attendance this half term is

92.2%

Our target attendance is 96%

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



100% Attendance - Autumn 2

119 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!



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!



Find us on

We share important dates and events on our Facebook page, please like and follow to keep up-to-date with your child's learning and school news!



Learn Together course for Reception families



Take part in fun activities with your child

- ✓ Find out what your child learns at school
- ✓ Support your child's learning by working together
 - ✓ Make resources to use at home

Children join in last part of every session

Free 4 week course
Thursday 15th January 1pm-3pm
Boundary Primary

Book your place by filling in the form at
<https://bit.ly/FLLT26>



Due to health and safety we are unable to accommodate younger siblings in the session