

Year 6 Visit to Manchester Museum

Year 6 had a fantastic trip to Manchester Museum, enjoying a day full of discovery and hands-on learning.



Highlights included the Ancient Egypt gallery, where pupils saw real mummies, and the dinosaur exhibits, which sparked lots of excitement.

Children also explored the Natural World, learned about different cultures, and visited the Vivarium to see live animals up close.



The trip was a great success, with pupils showing enthusiasm and curiosity throughout. A big thank you to all the staff who made the day possible!

Choral Speaking

At the end of June, pupils from Reception to Year 6 took part in our annual Choral Speaking Competition. Our guest judges were extremely impressed by the high standard of performances across the school.

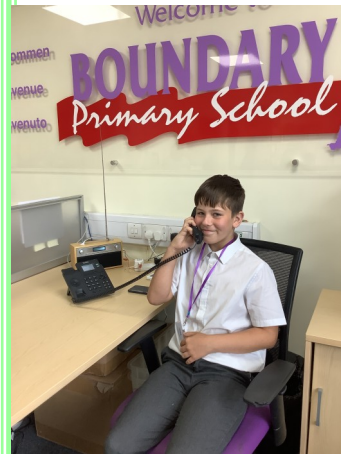
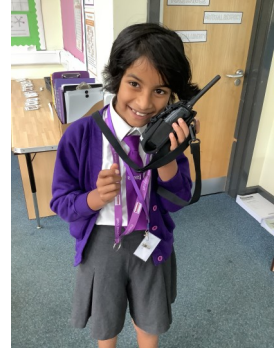
Congratulations to our winners **Year 2** and **Year 6**.

We are incredibly proud of all the pupils who took part and represented their classes so well.



Year 5 - Takeover Day

Year 5 enjoyed an exciting and memorable Takeover Day this term, where pupils stepped into a variety of adult roles and took charge of the school for the day.



Children took on responsibilities including Class Teachers, Teaching Assistants and even the role of Head of School. They approached these roles with confidence, maturity and enthusiasm,

rising to the challenge of leading lessons, supporting younger pupils and helping to make important decisions.

This event forms part of our ongoing commitment to raising aspirations and developing essential life skills.

Year 5 should be extremely proud of their efforts—their confidence and positive attitude showed that the future is certainly bright.



Year 5 Residential—Winmarleigh Hall

Some of our Year 5 children enjoyed an amazing few days at Winmarleigh Hall PGL, taking part in a range of exciting outdoor adventures.

From raft building and abseiling to high ropes, archery, challenge course activities and campfire evenings, there was something for everyone to enjoy.

The residential provided a fantastic opportunity for the children to develop their confidence, strengthen friendships and get to know their Year 6 teachers ahead of September.

They showed great determination, teamwork and enthusiasm throughout their stay, making us incredibly proud.

A wonderful time was had by all, although there were certainly plenty of tired faces when they returned to school!

For more highlights and photos from the trip, please visit the Year 5 Blog page on the school website. [Boundary Primary School: Year 5](#)



Summer Fair

A huge thank you to everyone who attended our Summer Fair. It was lovely to see so many families and members of our community coming together and enjoying the event.

We'd also like to say a special thank you to our amazing PTFA volunteers, everyone who helped behind the scenes, and all those who generously donated prizes and contributions to support the event.

We truly appreciate all of your support and hope you had a wonderful time!



Fishers Mobile Farm

July brought very special visitors to school – Fisher's Mobile Farm!

It was quite a surprise to see such a wonderful variety of animals on our Key Stage Two playground. The children were thrilled to meet sheep, goats, pigs, rabbits, cows, donkeys and, of course, the cutest dog ever!



Throughout the visit, the children had the opportunity to stroke and brush the animals while

learning new and interesting vocabulary about them. It was a fantastic hands-on experience that everyone thoroughly enjoyed.

As always, the children were impeccably behaved.

It was heartwarming to see their kindness, care and respect towards all the animals, making the day an enjoyable experience for both the children and our furry visitors.

Year 6 Leavers

It has been a busy final week in primary school for our Year 6 pupils. They enjoyed a picnic in Stanley Park, danced at their Leavers Disco and gave a fabulous performance in their leavers assembly for parents and carers.

You have been a truly fantastic cohort and we would all like to wish you the very best as you move onto Secondary School. Keep trying your best, we are so proud of you all.



OAK CLASS 2025 - 2026



ELDER CLASS 2025 - 2026

For photos of Year 6's final week, check out the Year 6 Blog Page [Boundary Primary School: Year 6](#)

Heritage Week

During Heritage Week, pupils across the school explored a range of topics linked to Blackpool's rich history and heritage.

Learning included how Blackpool developed into a popular seaside resort, the impact of World War II on the town, the history of the Blackpool Tower Circus, and the achievements of notable local figures such as Paralympian Shelly Woods and community leader Basil Newby.



To enhance their learning, pupils also enjoyed educational visits to Hangar 42 and Show Town, helping to bring Blackpool's history to life.

The week provided valuable opportunities for pupils to deepen their understanding of the local area and develop a sense of pride in their community.

Inclusion Quality Mark

We are proud to have received national recognition for our strong culture of inclusion, where every member of the school community feels valued and supported.

Our recent IQM assessment and subsequent report highlighted the school's inclusive ethos, an ambitious and accessible curriculum, and the strength of relationships with parents and carers. It also praised the highly adaptive teaching and the wide range of opportunities available through clubs, trips, sport and creative activities.

The assessor described Boundary as a model of strong inclusive practice and recommended that the school consider applying for Centre of Excellence status.

This achievement reflects the dedication of pupils, staff and families, and is a proud moment for the whole school community. To read our full report, click here [Report on IQM Inclusive School Award](#)



Reception visit the beach

Reception pupils enjoyed an exciting trip to St Anne's-on-Sea, travelling through Blackpool town centre and along the promenade before arriving at the beach. With beautiful sunshine and a gentle breeze, everyone was well prepared for the warm weather and enjoyed a picnic lunch together.

The children worked in teams to build sandcastles, decorate them with shells and pebbles, and create roads around their castles.



Mrs. McAllister's team proudly won the sandcastle competition with the largest castle on the beach.

After lunch, pupils had great fun playing What Time Is It, Mr. Wolf? before heading back to the bus. Although tired, everyone returned to school smiling after a wonderful day at the seaside.

Health Week

Pupils participated enthusiastically in Health Week, taking part in a range of activities including inflatable football, quidditch, gymnastics, and learning about World Cup players.

Healthy lifestyles were promoted through fruit tasting and a smoothie bike, alongside competitive activities such as cup stacking and bottle flipping. A visit from the Coastguard provided valuable water safety education.



Overall, the week was highly successful, with pupils demonstrating strong engagement and enthusiasm throughout.



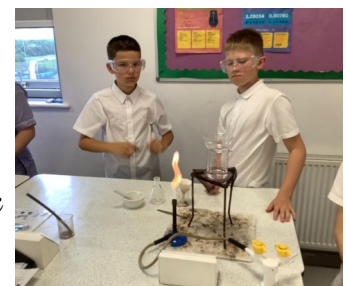
Year 6—Science at Aspire

Year 6 pupils recently took part in an engaging visit to the Aspire science laboratories, where they explored how to separate mixtures through practical experiments.



They created a salt solution, filtered it to remove solids, and then used heat to observe evaporation, leaving the salt behind. This helped pupils clearly understand how materials can be separated and recovered.

Throughout the session, pupils showed excellent teamwork, responsibility and curiosity, making the most of this valuable hands-on learning experience.



Sports Round-up—Youth Games

In June, we enjoyed an exciting and successful Youth Games Week, taking part in seven different events across the week. Activities included football, musical theatre, golf, and running events held in Stanley Park, showcasing the school's strong commitment to sport and physical activity.

All pupils who represented the school demonstrated an outstanding attitude throughout the week. Their resilience, sportsmanship and dedication were evident in every event and were a true credit to both themselves and the school.

A special mention must be given to the Year 4, 5 and 6 girls' football team. Not only did they represent the school brilliantly in their competition, but they were also awarded the 'Fair Play' award. Their positive attitude, teamwork and respect for others, shown through gestures such as shaking hands with opposing teams and encouraging one another, made them truly deserving winners. Well done to all pupils who took part for their excellent effort and commitment.



Key Dates for Autumn 1 2026

September 2026

Tues 01/09—School Opens for Autumn 1

02/09—Meet the Teacher drop-in

25/09—Macmillan Coffee Morning

28/09—Reception and Year 1 Parents Phonics Meeting

October 2026

01/10—Parent Forum

09/10—Individual and Sibling Photos

Thurs 22/10—School Closes for Half Term

November 2026

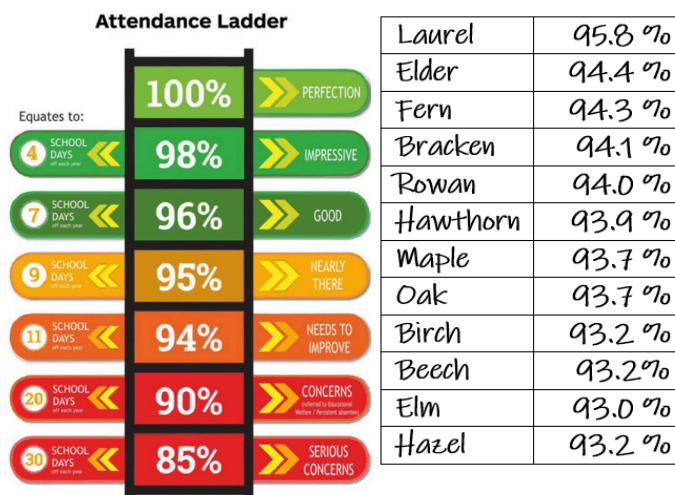
Monday 09/11—School Opens for Autumn 2

Please see the end of this newsletter for our full 2026/27 school holiday patterns.

They can also be found on our website by clicking this link:

[Boundary Primary School: Holiday Patterns](#)

Attendance



Our whole school attendance for this academic year is

93.6%

This is an improvement on last year—well done everyone!

ATTENDANCE MATTERS
every school day counts.

Tower of Support

Nature Detectives—Year 2
Parents/Carers

A 4 week course, starting on
Thursday 17th September
1-3pm at Boundary.

Please contact Miss Ardern or Mrs. Bradley on 01253 287250 to find out more or see the flyer at the end of this newsletter.



100% Attendance - Summer 2

148 pupils achieved 100% attendance for this half term!
What a great achievement!

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!



SCHOOL OPENINGS AND CLOSURES FOR 2026/2027

Term 1 2026	
Open	Tuesday 1 st September 2026
Close	Thursday 22 nd October 2026
Term 2 2026	
Open	Monday 9 th November 2026
Close	Friday 18 th December 2026
Term 3 2027	
Open	Monday 4 th January 2027
Close	Friday 12 th February 2027
Term 4 2027	
Open	Monday 22 nd February 2027
Close	Thursday 25 th March 2027
Term 5 2027	
Open	Monday 5 th April 2027
Close	Friday 30 th April 2027
Open	Tuesday 4 th May 2027
Close	Thursday 20 th May 2027
Term 6 2027	
Open	Monday 7 th June 2027
Close	Friday 23 rd July 2027



Blackpool Learning Rooms
Adult Skills

Nature Detectives course for Year 2 families



**Take part in fun activities with your child
based on a nature theme**

- ✓ Find out what your child learns at school
- ✓ Support your child's learning by working together
- ✓ Make a scrapbook with your child

Children join in last part of every session

Free 4 week course

starts Thursday 17 September 1-3pm

at Boundary Primary