

Colnbrook CofE Primary School | 19th June 2026

NEWSLETTER

A Message from this week's Editor: Mrs Muir

Our Cultural Diversity Day was a wonderful celebration of the rich cultures that make up our school community. Children proudly dressed in the colours of their country's flag or wore traditional cultural clothing, creating a vibrant and colourful atmosphere. The celebrations began with a special assembly led by the School Council, focusing on the importance of diversity, inclusion and respect. Children took part in a cultural parade, sharing greetings in their home languages and celebrating the many cultures represented within our school. Families also enjoyed a food tasting session, where there was a real sense of community as everyone shared and experienced foods from around the world.
A huge thank you to all the children, families and staff who contributed to making Cultural Diversity Day such a memorable and special occasion.

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Collective Worship

This week we have focused on staying safe when we are out and about. In particular water safety and stranger danger. We discussed the many dangers of water, especially when on a beach or near fast flowing rivers. We then discussed the potential dangers strangers pose and who our safe strangers are, such as police, paramedics, doctors, nurses etc.



Star of the week

Nursery - Azlan
Reception - Tony
Year 1 - Amaris
Year 2 - Hargun
Year 3- Ayaan
Year 4 - Dhiya
Year 5 - Arianna
Year 6 - Lilly

Top Attendance this week

1st - Year 4 - 99.17%
2nd - Year 2 - 98.61%
3rd - Nursery AM - 98.18%

DIVERSITY DAY
THURSDAY 18TH JUNE

In collective worship, we were treated to an array of fantastic performances from children, including traditional dances, ukulele performances and songs sung in different languages. The collective worship concluded with a whole-school rendition of 'Wavin' the Flag', bringing everyone together in a joyful celebration of unity and belonging.

























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In classes, the children embarked on an exciting journey around the world, exploring different countries, cultures and traditions.
They enjoyed getting creative through dance and art, tested their knowledge in quizzes, and discovered lots of fascinating facts about life in other parts of the world. One of the highlights was learning about foods from different countries and finding out what people enjoy eating across the globe! It was a fun-filled day of learning, curiosity and cultural discovery.













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At the end of the day, parents and children enjoyed tasting dishes from around the world.

We would like to thank all the parents who took part and brought such a variety of delicious items for our school community to taste!





















IMPORTANT DATES

IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

- Breakfast club, school lunch bookings need to be made through Teacher2Parents app & please check payments for upcoming trips in Summer term.

Week 4

25th June - 9:15-10:15am - Early Years Sports Day
More details to follow

26th June - 09:00-11:00am - KS1 & KS2 Sports Day
More details to follow

Week 5 & 6

1st July -Year 1 Express Event

2nd July - PTA Summer Fair 2:30-4pm

6th July - 2:30-3:15pm - Year 4 Express Event - Hall

7th July - Transition Day

7th July - 2:45-3:15pm - Year 3 Express Event - Hall

Week 6 continued

8th July - 2:45-3:15pm - Year 5 Express Event - Hall

9th July - 2:45-3:15pm - Early Years Express Event in class

10th July - 2-3pm - Year 6 End of Term Production for Year 6 Parents only

Week 7

13th July - 2:30-3:15pm - Year 2 Express Event - Hall

14th July - Year 6 Prom - Hall

16th July - Last day of term for Nursery

16th July - 2:15-3pm - Leavers' Church Service - St Thomas Church

17th July - Last day of term for Reception to Year 6 - pick up at 1:15pm



PUPIL VOICE

"We enjoyed the food share with our friends and family. We both got fortune cookies which told us we will have good luck! We learnt that pizza is from Italy!"

Ezra & Henry - Year 1

"I'm a visitor, I knock on the door!"

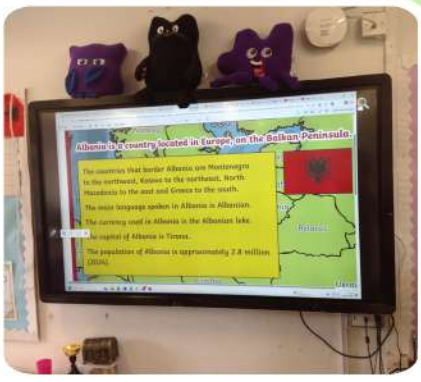
Ruby - Discovery

"The Gurdwara was a new and fun experience. I learnt many new things, such as how the Sikhs feed the homeless as they are always open for free food. They believe in seva which is serving or helping others. In general I loved it, the culture is very welcoming."

Muna - Year 5

"It was my birthday on Diversity day. I loved today! The food in the hall at the end of the day was really tasty! I learnt about Albania this afternoon. "

Reshae - Year 3









IN OTHER NEWS



Congratulations to Reuben

Reuben in Year 3 received his First Holy Communion last Sunday. He wanted to share his news with you all, we would like to congratulate Reuben on this special occasion.



Year 5 - Gurdwara trip

On Monday Year 5 had a great trip to the Guru Maneyo Granth Gurwara in Slough this week. They had a tour of the gurdwara and two workshops. During the workshops, they found out what commitments Sikhs have and explored the 5Ks in detail. At the end, they were able to taste vegetarian food in the langar hall. They thoroughly enjoyed the whole experience and were very respectful.





🚤 Trust Swimming Workshop 🚤

On Tuesday, Christine, Aaryan, Louie and Dhiya represented our school at a swimming workshop alongside children from other primary schools within our Trust. The children took part in a range of activities in the water, challenged themselves with swimming skills and of course enjoyed having a splash in the pool! A big thank you to Woodlands Park for hosting such an enjoyable and valuable experience.



🧸 Nursery Teddy Bears' Picnic 🧺

Today, our Nursery children enjoyed a wonderful Teddy Bears' Picnic! They spent time sharing stories, cuddling their favourite teddy bears and enjoying a selection of tasty picnic treats together.

There were lots of smiles, laughter and special moments as the children joined in with the fun and made memories with their furry friends.

It's safe to say they had a beary good time! 🐻



IN OTHER NEWS



Star treat

This afternoon children who were awards Star of the Week last week and today enjoyed an ice lolly with Miss Torpey. We will continue with ice lolly treat until the Summer holidays.



Farewell to Miss Torpey

We will be saying a very sad 'goodbye' to Miss Torpey on 30th June as she embarks on a new adventure. Miss Torpey has worked tirelessly in the office keeping everything running smoothly and she will be missed. If you would like to pop in and say goodbye, please feel free to do so.

Ms Marchewka will be taking over from Miss Torpey as PA to the Headteacher and will joining the team in the office from Wednesday.

Message from School office

Please refer to email sent regarding Free School Meals and what information is required to be provided. Deadline for this information is 1st July 2026 to ensure new applications are processed ahead of September. If you have any questions please contact the School office.

☀️ **Hot Weather Reminder!** ☀️

With temperatures set to soar next week, we're looking forward to lots of sunshine and outdoor learning! To help everyone stay happy, healthy and safe in the heat, please remember to:

🧴 Apply sun cream before school each morning

💧 Send your child with a named refillable water bottle

🧢 Provide a named sun hat or cap for outdoor activities

We'll be encouraging children to drink plenty of water, seek shade when needed and enjoy the sunny weather safely. For next week to support our children during the increased temperatures children can wear reduced summer uniform which means no tie, jumper or blazers need to be worn. Alternatively children are allowed to wear PE kits everyday.

Detailed email has been sent to parents this afternoon please refer to this.

Thank you for helping us keep everyone cool, comfortable and protected during the warm spell!

Let's make the most of the sunshine safely! ☀️