



Newsletter

29th September 2023



Spruce Up School Event

On Wednesday 4th October from 3:30pm to 5:00pm, we hope to host a 'Spruce Up School Event', weather permitting. We aim to complete Phase 2 of our Wellbeing Garden works, planting crops for the Autumn and Winter season, along with sprucing up planted areas in Early Years outdoor spaces. The evening will close with some delicious refreshments, made by our school cook.

If you could please spare some time on the evening of Wednesday 4th October, it would be very much appreciated. Any green fingered family members or neighbours from our community are very welcome to help too.

If you are able to volunteer, please email enquiries@coupegreen.lancs.sch.uk.
Thank you!

Open Day

If you know someone with a child due to start Reception in September 2024, please let them know about our two open day sessions on Wednesday 11th October from 9:30am – 11:00am and from 5:00pm – 6:30pm.

We politely request that people book their place at an open day session by emailing enquiries@coupegreen.lancs.sch.uk.

For the evening session, we ask that visitors arrive from 5:00pm to enjoy refreshments in the school hall. Mrs Littlewood will give a talk at 5:30pm, following which tours will commence at 5:40pm and the open evening will end at 6:30pm. Thank you.

Healthy Snacks

We have sadly noticed that children are currently bringing unhealthy large chocolate bars and bags of crisps in school. Please can we remind all parents and pupils to only bring healthy snacks, such as fruit, cereal bars and vegetable sticks for break time.
Thank you.

Meet The Teacher Presentations

Our Meet The Teacher Presentations are now available to view on our updated school website. Please find these under the 'Pupils' tab or follow this link:

<https://coupegreen.co.uk/pupils/meet-the-teacher-presentations>

Friends Of Coupe Green News

Tesco Tokens

Tomorrow (Saturday, 30th September) is the last day for collecting the blue tokens for Coupe Green, so if you're popping into Tesco, please remember to add your tokens to our collection. Thank you to all those who have already helped us with this fundraiser.

Buddy Bench

Our grant application for the 'ASDA Under 18 Better Starts Grant' was successful and we have been awarded with £472 for a new buddy bench. We'll let you know once it arrives in school.

Pre-loved Uniform and Cake Sale

Next Friday, 6th October, we will be holding a cake and pre-loved uniform sale at 3:15pm. Cash and card will both be accepted. Thank you.

FOCG Meeting

Our next planning meeting will be held on 16th October at The Oak. The time is yet to be confirmed, but it will be after school. If you might like to be involved in helping out at our Spooky and Sparkly Disco or some of our Christmas events, please come along for an informal chat.

FOCG Diary Dates

6th October - Uniform and Cake Sale
16th October - FOCG meeting at The Oak
1st Nov - Pumpkin Decorating Competition, Spooky & Sparkly Non-Uniform Day and Disco
22nd Nov - Sponsored Santa Dash and Family Fun Run.
2nd Dec - Christmas Fair (1:00pm – 4:00pm)

Central Venue League Football

Good luck to our football team, who are taking part in the Central Venue Football Competition, which begins on Thursday 5th October from 3:45pm until 5:00pm at Withy Grove Park. Matches will take place every Thursday for three weeks with the last matches being held on Thursday 19th October. Parents and spectators are allowed to watch from behind the fences.

We are sure our team will represent the school well and both enjoy and learn from the experience.

Classroom News

In PE, in Acorn Class, the children have continued to work on their two footed jumps by keeping a beanbag in between their knees. The children have created some wonderful Autumn hedgehogs in provision, using playdough and sticks from our Autumn walk. We have been blown away with the children's interest in colour mixing after our umbrella experiment last week!

In Oak Class, we have looked at our book 'Tidy'. We have been learning about nouns and adjectives and using them to write a character description. In geography, we have been looking at our local area on an aerial view map of Coupe Green. We are discovering what is in our local area, as we get ready to go on our local walk in the coming weeks.

Elm Class have loved learning about famous explorers this week! We have enjoyed learning all about Christopher Columbus and why he is significant. We have loved learning about his ships and what he brought back with him!

We love French, because we get to learn a different language and listen to French songs, which we will remember because it's a different language! When we watched The Blue Umbrella and played times tables games, it was really good. We like Times Tables Rockstars and swimming because we do fun, cool stuff and we love our reading lessons and pen licences!

by Aoife and Haneefah (Ash Class)



I liked doing our English when we were watching a video called Feast. We have been making plans for when we are writing our own story later in the term.

I also liked maths yesterday when we were doing presentations in our maths books.

I liked these lessons so far, because we got to write lots of things, including paragraphs to help us with our story.

by George (Maple Class)

I have enjoyed learning about The Tudors, in history, and we have learned a rhyme and a song too. It was interesting learning about his six wives. It was also fun drawing The Tudor Rose in art. Whilst learning about them, we now know what kinds of things The Tudors wore from the paintings of them.

by Charlotte (Elder Class)

Applying for School Places – Sept 2024

School admissions for places in September 2024 are now open. It's quick, easy and secure to apply online at www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools or call 01772 532109. You must apply, even if you already have siblings in the school.

The closing dates for applications are:

31st October 2023 for secondary applicants
15th January 2024 for primary applicants

Diary Dates	
Tuesday 3rd Oct	1:00pm Year 2 and Year 6 Fire Safety Talks
Wednesday 4th Oct	10:30am Reception Class Photo being taken by Lancashire Evening Post
Wednesday 4th Oct	3:15 Multi Skills Club (3 of 5) 3:30 Spruce Up School
Thursday 5th Oct	3:30pm Central Venue League Football at Withy Grove Park (1 of 3)
Friday 6th Oct	3:00pm Friends Of Coupe Green Pre-Loved Uniform and Cake sale
Wednesday 11th Oct	Open Day Sessions for Prospective Parents
Tuesday 17th Oct	2:45pm Harvest Assembly with Rev Naylor
Friday 20th October	3:15pm School Closes for Half Term
Monday 31st October	8:40am School Opens for Autumn 2