



NEWSLETTER

OAKWELL RISE
Primary Academy

Friday 15th March 2024

A MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

This week has been a mixture of our mini-scientists putting their talents in to practice and teachers busy assessing the children to see how much progress they have made so far this year and what their final targets will be for the summer term. What a great team making a difference for all our children.

Mrs Jenkins

A MESSAGE FROM OUR HEAD OF SCHOOL

Whizz, Pop, Bang... this week was such a success with a visit from Professor Bubbleworks to celebrate British Science Week. We started the day with a scientific assembly, with a live experiment before each year group has a workshop with the Professor. Our day finished with the science family learning session in classes with our parents/carers joining us as we completed a range of experiments from flying helicopters, kites and loads more... Fun was had by all! We have finished this week with the Year 6 Enterprise as the year 6s sell sweet bags to raise money for their prom and finally with our Comic Relief Colour Run. Miss Sharpe was covered from head to toe as she started the colour run before each class followed suit. There will be lots of photos added later today on Facebook - make sure to check them out!

Mrs Faxon



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ATTENDANCE

Our target is 97%

RECEPTION	93.9%
YEAR 1	91.1%
YEAR 2	91.1%
YEAR 3	97.8%
YEAR 4	98%
YEAR 5	96.2%
YEAR 6	98.9%

Only one more week to go until the Easter break, let's go for an all green week!

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE
THIS WEEK IS 95.3%

NUMBER OF LATES THIS WEEK	9
LOSS OF LEARNING (MINS)	168

LAST DAY OF TERM AND INSET DAY

The last day of term is Friday 22nd March.

We return back to school on Tuesday 9th April from 8am, due to having an INSET day for staff training on Monday 8th April. Have a wonderful Easter break.

UPCOMING FRIDAY FEASTS

APR 12 DEXTER'S DYNAEGG

APR 19 SPINNER CANDY

APR 26 IRON BRU MILLIONS

MAY 3 NUCLEAR STRIKE ATOMIC DIPPER

MAY 10 POPCIFIER

MAR 17 MINI JELLY BEAN MACHINE

Spring Disco

£ 2.50 per ticket (snack and drink)

19th March 2024

2 - 2.30pm: EYFS
2.30 - 4pm: Years 1-6

There will be NO after-school clubs on this day.

AFTERSCHOOL CLUBS

Please note the only clubs running next week are:

Monday: Karate/Kickboxing

Wednesday: Multi Sports

Thursday: Noodle Cheerleading & Dodgeball

COLLECTIONS ON SPRING DISCO DAY

If your Y1-Y6 child is not attending the Spring Disco, please collect your child at 3pm from the 5/6 door by the school reception. If your Y1-Y6 child is attending the disco, please collect from their normal doors at 4pm. Nursery and reception class are to be collected as normal.



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EASTER EGG COMPETITION

WEDNESDAY 20TH MARCH 2024

We want your designs! Enter our fabulous Easter Egg Competition, you can design an Easter Egg, drawing, bonnet or decoration for judging.

We will be accepting entries to the competition from Monday 18th March. Father Blair will choose a winner for each year group on Wednesday 20th March. Each chosen winner will win an Easter Egg but all participants will receive a small prize.



WILD DAYS



Here's a reminder of the Wild Day Timetable, trips are starting again from April. Please ensure your child wears old clothes & trainers/wellies such as joggers, t-shirt, jumpers and waterproof clothing, as they will be venturing outdoors in all weathers!

A £3.50 contribution payment must be paid via Arbor, under trips prior to your child's trip taking place.

WILD DAY TIMETABLE 23/24

FS2	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6
30.04.24 PM	30.04.24 AM	15.04.24 PM	23.04.24 PM	23.04.24 AM	15.04.24 AM	
02.07.24 PM	02.07.24 AM	16.07.24 PM	25.06.24 PM	25.06.24 AM	16.07.24 AM	11.06.24 ALL DAY

Learning. Discovering. Creating. Playing. Outside.



EYFS ANIMAL CLUB THURSDAY 10TH APRIL

Our Nursery and Reception children will be treated to a visit from the Animal Club to see and touch a range of petting animals.

The visit will be in our EYFS setting in school and children in groups of 10 will visit the animals at each point.

Please make your £6 payment via Arbor, under trips.



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30 HOUR NURSERY FUNDING

Oakwell Rise Primary Academy is delighted to offer 30 hour funding for children either starting in Nursery or continuing their Nursery education into this academic year, 2023/2024.

We are able to offer the following:

- 30 hr funded places
- 15 hr funded places

The Nursery day will run as follows:

- AM session - 08:30 - 11:30
- PM session - 12:00 - 15:00

For the full time Nursery children, they will be an additional 30 minutes of lunchtime where children will need to be provided with a packed lunch from home. The lunch period will be inclusive within the offer and no further charges will be made.

Admissions to Nursery will be in order of the Date of Birth, regardless of whether you require 30 hrs or 15hrs. If you wish to apply for a 30hr funded place, you need to apply online at <https://www.gov.uk/get-tax-free-childcare> to receive an 11 digit code.

When you have received an 11 digit code please provide this to the school office by the 1st December for January intake.



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