



NEWSLETTER

OAKWELL RISE
Primary Academy

Friday 11th October 2024

A MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

As the half term progresses the days are getting shorter and colder and children very ready for half term. We are tenacious and raring to strive to the half term finishing line. There are some wonderful opportunities for families to join in the school fun so do take a look.

Mrs Jenkins

A MESSAGE FROM OUR HEAD OF SCHOOL

A wet and chilly week this week as we begin to head towards the half term. We have lots to look forward to over the coming weeks and continue to work hard. Your children have made so much progress so far this year!



Mrs Faxon



ATTENDANCE

Our target is 97%

RECEPTION	91.7%
YEAR 1	92.1%
YEAR 2	96.6%
YEAR 3	90.5%
YEAR 4	94.6%
YEAR 5	97.3%
YEAR 6	96.6%

Well done Y2 and Y5 on winning biscuit bear! Enjoy you biccies!

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

THIS WEEK IS 94.1%

NUMBER OF LATES THIS WEEK	10
LOSS OF LEARNING (MINS)	307



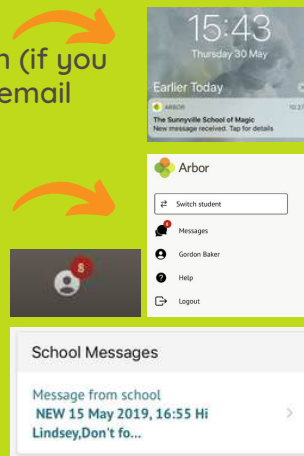
SCHOOL COMMUNICATIONS

You may have noticed we have started sending In-App messages through Arbor, as well as our usual emails. Here's a little guide as to how to access and read the In-App messages.

When using the App, you'll receive a Push Notification (if you have enabled this feature). If not you will receive an email letting you know you have a new message to read.

Tap the notification and log into the app to be able to view the message. In the App, you'll see a notification at the bottom right of your screen. Click this notification, then click Messages to see your messages.

All new messages are marked as 'NEW' and are written in bold. Read messages will be written in normal text. Click the message to view it.



HALF TERM

We break up from school on Friday 25th October and return back on Monday 4th November.

UPCOMING FRIDAY FEASTS

18.10.24	SPOOKY CANDY TUBES
25.10.24	PUMPKIN LIGHT POPS
08.11.24	RING POPS
15.11.24	FAST FOOD POPS
22.11.24	FRUIT DUMMY

GET INTO TEACHING

WITH JOSIE THIRKELL INSTITUTE

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www.jtioe.org.uk



Hella Autumn

COME AND JOIN US FOR OUR

AUTUMN DISCO

TUESDAY 15TH OCTOBER
2PM-3PM - RECEPTION
3PM-4PM - Y1 - Y6

Tickets can be purchased via Arbor, under Trips for £2.50 per child. This will include a drink and packet of crisps.



COOK & EAT

MONDAY 14TH & 21ST OCTOBER

1.30PM - 3PM

Join Chef Groom for a two week cooking class in the Oakwell Den!

Chef Groom has some wonderful recipes to try!



BOOK YOUR SPACE NOW VIA ARBOR, UNDER CLUBS



Breakfast with Parents

22.10.24

Join us 8am-9am in the hall for our delicious breakfast with parents.



WILD DAYS 2024



Year 3 (AM) and Year 4 (PM) Wild Day's are taking place on Wednesday 23rd October.

A £3.70 contribution payment must be paid via Arbor, under trips prior to your child's trip taking place. If you experience any trouble making payments, please contact the school office.

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!

MOM

UNIFORM DAY

TUESDAY 15TH OCTOBER 2024



South West Yorkshire Partnership
NHS Foundation Trust

FLU VACCINATIONS



School Nursing Team will be in school for our annual flu nasal vaccinations. Reception to Year 6

24.10.24



Please visit www.barnleysais.co.uk to fill in a consent form (one for each child) to ensure your child receives their vaccination. Our school code is: **BN143107**

SCHOOL WORKSHOPS



SEP
25

PHONICS AND EARLY READING WITH MRS SHARPE

JOIN US TO LEARN ABOUT HOW WE TEACH PHONICS AND EARLY READING

SEP
27



MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

JOIN US TO US FOR COFFEE AND CAKE TO RAISE MONEY FOR MACMILLAN

OCT
9



TEACHING MATHS IN KS1 WITH MISS BATLEY

JOIN US AND YOUR CHILD FOR A PRACTICAL SESSION WITH MISS BATLEY TO SEE HOW WE TEACH MATHS IN KS1 - USING MALTESERS!

OCT
22



BREAKFAST WITH PARENTS

JOIN US 8-9 IN THE HALL FOR OUR DELICIOUS BREAKFAST WITH PARENTS

OCT
14 + 21



COOK AND EAT WITH MRS GROOM

JOIN MRS GROOM IN THE HALL FOR TWO COOKING SESSIONS

OCT
15



AUTUMN CRAFT DAY AND DISCO

JOIN YOUR CHILD FOR AUTUMN CRAFTS (9-10AM)

NOV
12



TEACHING MATHS IN KS2 WITH MRS ASHTON

JOIN US AND YOUR CHILD FOR A PRACTICAL SESSION WITH MRS ASHTON TO SEE HOW WE TEACH THE 4 OPERATIONS IN KS2

NOV
13



SUPPORT APPLYING FOR SCHOOLS

JOIN US IN THE HALL (2-3) FOR SUPPORT APPLYING FOR RECEPTION OR SECONDARY SCHOOL

NOV
14



BUDGETING WITH MRS GROOM

JOIN MRS GROOM FOR A SESSION ON BUDGETING AT 1:30

DEC
19



WINTER CRAFT DAY

JOIN YOUR CHILD FOR WINTER CRAFTS (9-10AM)



OCTOBER CAMPs

- SPORTS
- ARTS AND CRAFTS
- GYMNASTICS / DANCE
- HALLOWEEN THEMED DAYS



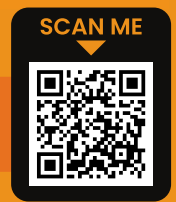
THIS OCTOBER HALF TERM WE'RE BACK IN
OAKWELL RISE PRIMARY SCHOOL AND WE'RE
GIVING OUR CAMPS SOME AUTUMN SPICE!

TUESDAY 29TH OCTOBER AND THURSDAY 31ST OCTOBER

9AM - 3PM

REGISTER NOW

Please complete the October Half Term Camps Registration-
Oakwell Rise Primary form to register your child - [click here](#)



Barnsley Rockley Rotary Club Children's Art Exhibition

At

Barnsley Metrodome 8th and 9th

November 2024

To be judged by Barnsley Artist
Dean Ormston, Comic Book Illustrator

Categories: FS2, KS1, LKS2, UKS2

KS3 and KS4

2D Artwork (paint, pencil, pastel etc) to be submitted for ALL categories on A4 paper or thin card UNMOUNTED. There is no specific theme, any subject is acceptable.

The overall winning school will have their school's name inscribed on a silver plate which will be awarded annually.

The plate to be available for display in the winning school for the ten months prior to the following year's competition.

Individual winners will also receive a trophy to keep.

REGISTRATION CLOSES: Friday 27th SEPTEMBER 2024

EMAIL: Admin-SchoolsAlliance@barnsley.gov.uk to register

MAXIMUM NUMBER OF 12 ENTRIES (ACROSS 6 CATEGORIES) TO BE SUBMITTED PER SCHOOL

FS2 (3-5)	SIZE A4	KS1 (6-7)	SIZE A4
LKS2 (8-9)	SIZE A4	UKS2 (10-11)	SIZE A4*
KS3 (11-13)	SIZE A4	KS4 (14-16)	SIZE A4

Entry forms (to be attached to the reverse of each entry) will be posted out to schools.

Packaged work clearly bearing your school's name to be ready for collection from your school reception on Monday 21st to Wednesday 23rd October 2024

Children's Art Exhibition

Hosted by Barnsley Rockley Rotary Club

Come and see the amazing artworks created by local children!

- Date: 8th and 9th November 2024
- Venue: Barnsley Metrodome, Queens Ground, Queens Road, Barnsley, S71 1AN
- Admission: Free

Meet the Judge: Dean Ormston

Dean Ormston is a renowned comic book illustrator from Barnsley. He has worked on titles such as Lucifer, The Sandman, and Black Hammer. He will select the best artworks from each age category and award prizes to the winners.

Don't miss this opportunity to celebrate the creativity and talent of our young artists!



OH Snap! This Week's Snapshots



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, 2024/2025.

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.



OAKWELL RISE
Primary Academy

We are:
Child Focused
Nurturing
Inclusive
Ambitious

Inspiring today, making a difference tomorrow

