



NEWSLETTER

OAKWELL RISE
Primary Academy

Friday 10th January 2025

A MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

What a start back to school with the snow and ice - it has certainly kept us on our toes! The site team and teaching teams have worked hard to ensure the site is safe and made quick adaptations to the school day to ensure everyone is safe. We hope next week the ice will have melted and the children can play back outside.

Mrs Jenkins

A MESSAGE FROM OUR HEAD OF SCHOOL

Happy New Year!

It has certainly been a particularly cold start to the term; however, the children have settled back in brilliantly, ready to be back with their friends and ready to learn.

Well done everyone for a great start to the year.



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Mrs Faxon

ATTENDANCE

Our target is 97%

RECEPTION	98.6%
YEAR 1	95.6%
YEAR 2	93.8%
YEAR 3	93.5%
YEAR 4	94.6%
YEAR 5	98.9%
YEAR 6	95.5%

A big thank you to everyone for your effort to be in school this week despite the challenging icy weather.

**SCHOOL ATTENDANCE
THIS WEEK IS 95.7%**

Y6 PARENT/CARER CONSULTATIONS

Our Parent/Carer Consultations for Year 6s is being held on

- Wednesday 22nd 2025
- Thursday 23rd January 2025

You can now schedule your appointment via Arbor, under Guardian Consultations.

We hold the Y6 meeting earlier in the year to discuss your child's progress prior to SAT's taking place.

If you experience any issues booking a slot through the Arbor App, please contact the school office.

UPCOMING TRIPS



Year 3 & 4 are heading off to visit the Jorvik Viking Centre. They will be travelling to York via coach. Please make the £17.00 contribution payment via Arbor, under trips.



NATIONAL SPACE CENTRE

Year 5 & 6 are heading off to visit the The National Space Centre. They will be travelling to Leicester City Centre via coach. Please make the £15.00 contribution payment via Arbor, under trips.



NO SMOKING/ VAPING



Smoking and vaping are not allowed on school grounds, including the ramp to the car park. Please also be mindful of others if smoking outside the school premises. Thank you for your cooperation!

YEAR 6 LEAVERS HOODIES

You can now purchase your Year 6 child a Leavers Hoodie via Vortex's website:



[Leavers Hoodies](#)



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SPRING 1 AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS

CLASS	MON	TUE	WED	THU
Reception	Gardening Dance, Yoga & Music Computers, iPads & Beebots PlayDoh & Messy Play	Boomwhackers Y3-Y6	Chill Club FS2 Y1-2 Y3-6	 Dance Library Make, Bake & Create How to Draw
Year 1 & 2				
Year 3 & 4				
Year 5 & 6				
	Multi Skills & Karate 4.30PM Finish Reception - Y6	FS2 - Y6 Football 4.00PM Finish	FS2 - Y6 Apparatus & Gymnastics 4.30PM Finish	

SIGN UP!

After-School Club Spaces Available!
There are still a few spots left in our exciting after-school clubs!
Book Now: Secure your child's place through the Arbor app by Monday morning.

SIGN UP!

OAKWELL RISE Primary Academy		SPRING 2025 Menu				
		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week One	Main Meal	Pork Sausage Roll, served with Wedges	Pasta Bolognese with Garlic Bread	Roast Gammon Dinner with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Bacon & Cheese Turnover with Crispy Diced Potatoes	Fish Fingers served with Chips
	Vegetarian Meal	Vegan Sausage Roll, served with Wedges	Tomato & Basil Pasta with Garlic Bread	Vegan Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Cheese & Tomato Pinwheels and Crispy Diced potatoes	Vegan Nuggets served with Chips
	Vegetables	Peas & Sweetcorn	Broccoli & Carrots	Medley of Seasonal Vegetables	Carrots & Sweetcorn	Garden Peas Or Baked Beans
	Dessert	Chocolate Ripple Ice Cream Roll or Fruit Pot	Golden Oat Cookie or Fruit Pot	Cherry Cake or Fruit Pot	Shortbread Biscuit or Fruit Pot	Chocolate Brownie or Fruit Pot
Week Two	Main Meal	Crispy Chicken Burger with Wedges	Pork Sausages with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	Roast Chicken & Stuffing with Roast Baby Potatoes and Gravy	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice and Naan Bread	Battered Fish, Served with Chips & a slice of Lemon
	Vegetarian Meal	Southern Style Quorn Burger with Wedges	Vegan Sausages with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	Vegan Quorn Fillet with Roasted Baby Potatoes and Gravy	Spinach and Chickpea Masala with Rice and Naan Bread	Cheesy Quorn Quesadilla served with Chips
	Vegetables	Peas & Cauliflower	Cabbage & Carrots	Medley of Seasonal Vegetables	Carrots & Green Beans	Garden Peas Or Baked Beans
	Dessert	Chocolate Chip Cookie	Ice Cream Sponge Roll or Fruit Pot	Fruit Jelly or Fruit Pot	Chocolate Chip Muffin or Fruit Pot	Shortbread Biscuit or Fruit Pot
Week Three	Main Meal	Pepperoni Pizza served with Crispy Diced Potatoes	Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread	Roast Beef & Yorkshire Pudding, served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Crispy Chicken Tenders with Barbecue sauce and Seasoned Wedges	Fish Fingers served with Chips
	Vegetarian Meal	Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Crispy Diced Potatoes	Macaroni Cheese with Garlic Bread	Vegan Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Smoky Bean Enchilada with Seasoned Wedges	Veggie Fingers served with Chips
	Vegetables	Green Beans & Carrots	Broccoli & Cauliflower	Medley of Seasonal Vegetables	Corn on the Cob & Salad	Garden Peas Or Baked Beans
	Dessert	Waffle and ice cream or Fruit Pot	Chocolate and Vanilla Pinwheel Biscuit or Fruit Pot	Apple Crumble & Custard or Fruit Pot	Iced Vanilla Sponge or Fruit Pot	Golden Syrup Flapjack or Fruit Pot

- Available Daily:**
- Freshly baked jacket potatoes with a choice of fillings
 - Selection of sandwiches • Fresh bread
 - Cheese & crackers • Salad selection
 - Whole fresh fruit • Yoghurts

Allergies:

If you would like to know about particular allergens in food please ask a member of the catering staff.

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 the next academic year, 2025/2026.

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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We are:
Child Focused
Nurturing
Inclusive
Ambitious

Inspiring today, making a difference tomorrow

