



NEWSLETTER

OAKWELL RISE
Primary Academy

Friday 23th May 2025

A MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

Well, that's all folks. We have crammed so much learning and fun into only 5 weeks with two bank holidays. The staff team have done us proud to enable so much excellence for the children.

Next half term is jam packed with dates - so do pop on your calendar and ask the office if you have any questions.

Mrs Jenkins

A MESSAGE FROM OUR HEAD OF SCHOOL

Well here we are at the end of another half term and it has certainly been a quick one!

This week we have been busy as always with some children busy with Wild Days and our annual Top Trump Trip to McDonalds.

A great way to end the half term. Have a great holiday everyone.



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Mrs Faxon

ATTENDANCE

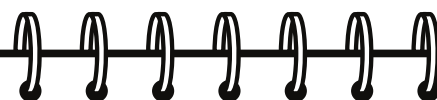
Our target is 97%

RECEPTION	98.5%
YEAR 1	97.2%
YEAR 2	88.9%
YEAR 3	97.8%
YEAR 4	91.9%
YEAR 5	91.4%
YEAR 6	96.4%

Hope you all have a lovely week off and we'll see you back on Monday 2nd June.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK IS 94.6%

NUMBER OF LATES THIS WEEK	15
LOSS OF LEARNING (MINS)	253



RESIDENTIAL PARENTS MEETING - HESLEY WOOD

We're holding a parent meeting to discuss the upcoming residential to Hesley Wood on Tuesday 3rd June at 3pm.

Please attend to find out further details about the trip including what they will need to pack.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND TRIPS

As we head into our last half term of the year we have lots of upcoming trips and events. See below the Summer Dates.

Please keep an eye on Arbor for any trips that require consent and payment.

RECEPTION TRANSITION MEETING

Our Reception Class Welcome Meeting will be held on Wednesday 4th June at 2pm.

Letters have been sent out with the details for your child's transition in reception class in September.

BACK TO SCHOOL

We return to school from 8am on Monday 2nd June.

IMPORTANT

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
18TH JULY 2025
SCHOOL WILL FINISH
AT 1PM.

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SUMMER DATES

3 JUNE

Residential Meeting

4 JUNE

Y4 Copper Gallery Trip

4 JUNE

Welcome to Reception Meeting

5 JUNE

Y6 Laser Tag Reward Trip

5 JUNE

Poetry Day

10 JUNE

Y6 Yorkshire Sculpture Park

11 JUNE

Y3 & Y4 Wild Day

12 JUNE

Y6 Warburton Farm Visit

17 JUNE

Y3 Yorkshire Sculpture Park

19 JUNE

Y6 Gullivers

19 JUNE

Y5 Hepworth Gallery

23 JUNE

KS1 Yorkshire Wildlife Park

24 JUNE

KS2 Music Festival

25 JUNE

Sports Day – Oakhill

SUMMER DATES

26 JUNE

Art Gallery

27 JUNE

Non-Uniform

30 JUNE

Non-Uniform

2-4 JULY

Residential

3 JULY

Y4 Opera North Performance

4 JULY

Nursery Sports Day

7-8 JULY

Reception Transition Days

7 JULY

Y6 Wild Day

8 JULY

Summer Fair

9 JULY

Y3/4 Leeds Geography Trip

9 JULY

Reception Wild Day

10 JULY

Y5/6 Penistone Trip

10 JULY

Sports Awards

14 JULY

Y1/2 Wild Day

SUMMER DATES

15–16 JULY

Y6 Barnsley Academy Transition Days

15 JULY

Y6 Prom

16 JULY

Music Showcase

17 JULY

Whole School Locke Park

18 JULY

Y6 Leavers Assembly

18 JULY

School Finishes at 1pm

SUMMER LUNCH MENU



MENU

W/C- 09.06 / 30.06



WEEK ONE	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN COURSE	Pork Sausage Roll	Crispy BBQ Chicken Wrap	Roast Gammon	Beef Lasagne	Fish Fingers and Oven Chips
VEGETARIAN	Vegan Roll	Vegetarian Chilli	Quorn Fillet	Vegetable Lasagne	Quorn Nuggets
SERVED WITH	Crispy Potatoes and Vegetable Selection	Seasonal Wedges and Salad	Roast Potatoes, Gravy and Medley of Vegetables	Garlic Bread and Carrots	Oven Chips & Garden Peas
DESSERT	Chocolate Ice Cream Roll	Raspberry Bun	Fruit Jelly	Lemon Shortbread Biscuit	Chocolate Delight
JACKET POTATO	Fresh Baked Potato with Cheddar Cheese, Tuna or Baked Beans	Fresh Baked Potato with Cheddar Cheese, Tuna or Baked Beans	Fresh Baked Potato with Cheddar Cheese, Tuna or Baked Beans	Fresh Baked Potato with Cheddar Cheese, Tuna or Baked Beans	Fresh Baked Potato with Cheddar Cheese, Tuna or Baked Beans
SANDWICH	Cheese, Ham, or Tuna Sandwich	Cheese, Ham, or Tuna Sandwich	Cheese, Ham, or Tuna Sandwich	Cheese, Ham, or Tuna Sandwich	Cheese, Ham, or Tuna Sandwich

Available Daily - Cheese & Crackers / Salad selection / Whole Fresh Fruit / Yoghurts

PLEASE NOTE: If your child has a dietary need or a lifestyle food preference, please contact the school office or complete the Dietary Information Form on the school website.



MENU

W/C- 16.06 / 07.07



WEEK TWO	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN COURSE	Pepperoni Pizza	All Day Breakfast	Roast Chicken & Stuffing	Hot Dog	Fish Fingers
VEGETARIAN	Cheese and Tomato Pizza	Vegetarian All Day Breakfast	Quorn Fillet & Stuffing	Vegan Hot Dog	Cheesy Bean Bake
SERVED WITH	Shoestring Fries and Vegetable Selection	Hash Brown and Baked Beans	Roast Potatoes, Gravy and Medley of Vegetables	Finger Roll, Baby Potatoes and Daily Vegetables	Oven Chips & Garden Peas
DESSERT	Peaches and Ice Cream	Strawberry Delight	Chocolate Chip Cookie	White Chocolate Cheesecake	Oaty Flapjack
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W/C- 02.06 / 23.06 / 14.07



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MAIN COURSE	Cheesy Chicken Pasta	Chicken Curry	Pork Sausages	Beef Burger	Fish Fingers and Oven Chips
VEGETARIAN	Cheese and Tomato Pizza	Vegetable Curry	Vegetarian Sausages	Southern Fried Quorn Burger	Veggie Fingers
SERVED WITH	Garlic Dough Balls and Vegetable Selection	Rice & Naan Bread	Mashed Potatoes, Gravy and Medley of Vegetables	Seasoned wedges and Carrots and Sweetcorn	Oven Chips & Garden Peas
DESSERT	Waffle and Ice Cream	Chocolate and Coconut Cake	Choc Ice	Banana Muffin	Chocolate Brownie
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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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Inspiring today, making a difference tomorrow

