



Oakwood Infant and Nursery School

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Dear Parents

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY - AUTUMN TERM

SEPTEMBER	
October	
14th-18th	Presentation Week
14th-18th	Multi-Cultural Role Models Week
15th	Flu Vaccinations
16th	Ambassadors—Harvest Food to Bank
17th	Family First Aid Workshop for Parents— 9.15am—11.15am
24th	Introduction to E-Safety Workshop for Parents—9.15am—11.15am.
25th	Halloween Fancy Dress Day—£1 Donation
25th	Last day of school
November	
4th	Non Pupil Day
5th	Back to School

Presentation Week was postponed last week due to the continuation of Harvest Week. It will now take place next week.

ATTENDANCE

Year to Date: 96.15%
 Winners: Badgers, Robins & Cygnets
 Days Lost: 92
 Number of lates: 74

Attendance Reminder

Please be advised that we will ask you to provide medical evidence if your child is absent for 3 or more days. This follows our School Policy. Should you wish to see the policy, it can be viewed on our website:

www.oakwoodinfantandnurseryschool.co.uk.

Friday 11th October 2019

This Week—Next Week:

- This week Alton Park's Headteacher spoke to Year 2 parents/carers.
- This week the NSPCC delivered their Speak Out Stay Safe Assembly.
- Next week is Multi-Cultural Role Models Week.
- Flu Vaccinations take place next week.
- Next week our Ambassadors take our Harvest contributions to the Harvest Food Bank.

WORKSHOPS

Provided by Adult Community Learning



If you would like to book your FREE place on the workshops below, please contact the school office.

Family First Aid Workshop

17th October—9.15am—11.15am

Introduction to E-Safety Workshop

24th October—9.15am—11.15am

PARENTS EVENINGS

Parents evenings will take place on Tuesday 12th November (3.15pm—5.30pm) & Thursday 14th November (4pm—6pm). More information and booking slips will be sent home shortly.

During the evenings, parent questionnaires will be handed out. Please take the time to complete these as they will result in improved teaching and learning for your child.

Headteacher's Surgery

If you would like to discuss any school related matters with me, I will be holding an open surgery every Friday afternoon. Please contact the office to make an appointment.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs K Maguire-Egan
 Headteacher
 Oakwood Infant and Nursery School

Golden Table

This Week

Jayda, Rebekah, Isabel, Ryker & Aybike.



Lunchtime Class of the Week

This week the award has gone to every class in Year 2 for excellent lunchtime behaviour.

Well done to all the children.

Next Week—Week 1 of the Dinner Menu.

Data Reminder

Please be aware that we hold all children's data on file at school. (A Parental Consent Form would have been signed upon entry to school). If any information has changed such as address or phone numbers, please ensure you inform the school office. Thank you.

Reading Volunteers

If you would like to apply to be a reading volunteer, please contact the school office for further details.



NSPCC ASSEMBLY

As part of our Safeguarding responsibility, the children attended an NSPCC assembly where they learnt about staying safe.

The children learnt about what they are to do if they ever feel unsafe. The children's behaviour throughout the assembly was outstanding.

Alton Park Speak to Parents of Year 2

Thank you to the many parents that attended on Monday and to Miss Sirett for leading the session. I know parents found it very informative when considering their child's next stage of their learning journey. We look forward to continuing to work closely with the Junior School in the interest of our Year 2 children.

Parent Workshops—9.15am

All are welcome and we would ask that you go to the school office to sign in before being taken to the Parent Hub. Refreshments will be provided.

Friday 25th October

Speaker—Miss Sawkins—Maths Co-Ordinator

Topic—Maths in school

Friday 29th November

Speaker—Miss Wells—Literacy Co-Ordinator

Topic—Literacy in school

Friday 13th December

Speaker—Mrs McNamara—Manager of Vulnerable Children

Topic—Speaking about her role in the school

We look forward to seeing you.

Harvest Festival

We are going to continue to collect food for the Harvest up until next Wednesday. Thank you to all the families who have already donated to this worthy cause. School Ambassadors will be taking the food to the food bank on Wednesday 16th October.



Nursery Places

If your child turns 3 years old before Christmas and you would like a Nursery place for January, please contact the school office for an application form as spaces may be limited. Please be aware that unlike some private nursery settings, our Nursery is run by Qualified Teachers.

Reminders

Please can you make sure your child brings a book bag, water bottle and a warm coat to school everyday. Can you also check that all items are labelled.



Water Bottles

The cost of a school water bottle has increased to £2.



Reception Year

Tapestry

Please talk to the class teacher if you are experiencing problems logging into Tapestry and viewing what your child is learning in class.

The children will be making bread next week. Please make sure you have returned your child's permission slip.

Maths Monkey

Please ensure your child's permission slip has been returned to the class teacher if you would like your child to take part in this learning activity.

Thank you for your support.

Governor Election

There are two Parent Governor vacancies for the Oakwood Infant and Nursery Governing Board. These wonderful positions will enable you to become involved in supporting the Governor Leadership Team to improve the education provision for every child in the school. If you would like to make a real difference in your child's education and the education of the other children who attend the school, I encourage you to apply for this role.

If you would like further information, please make an appointment to see myself. Your applications will be gratefully received.