



Oak Meadow Primary School Weekly Newsletter

Friday 22nd March 2024 - Issue 24

A Message from Mr. Lane...

As we break up today for the Easter holiday, it is hard to believe that two terms of the school year have already past! So far the school year has seen a plethora of successes for our children and I am proud of every child at Oak Meadow for their progress and achievements. Today, you will receive your child's end of term report card indicating their attainment, attitude to learning and attendance to date. I hope the information provided supports you in readiness for the summer term with a reminder of our aim for every child be an 'Attendance HERO' (Here, Everyday, Ready and On-time) to maximise their learning opportunities whilst ensuring they do not miss out on the exciting experiences we have planned. Looking ahead to next term, all children will be welcomed back on Monday 8th April and on the Friday of that week (12th April), children are invited to wear non-school uniform for the day as part of our Eid celebrations and associated activities. I hope everyone in the Oak Meadow Family has a wonderful, relaxing and safe Easter break full of fun, smiles and - of course - chocolate! Take care everyone and have a lovely holiday.

On the first Monday after the Easter holiday, Mr. Lane will deliver a 'Welcome Back' assembly to all children.

Therefore, our next celebration assembly will take place on Monday 15th April with names of children chosen shared on the previous week's newsletter (week ending Friday 12th April).



Upcoming dates for the diary

- 8th Apr – Children return to school
- 10th Apr – Reception visit to Ash End Farm
- 12th Apr – Celebration of Eid, Non-Uniform for children
- 17th Apr – Year 1 Engagedu Computing Day
- 19th Apr – Forest School Parent/Carer Workshops for Reception Children – Ash at 9.15am and Rowan at 1.45pm
- 22nd Earth Day and a special lunch menu for the day – menu details will be sent nearer the time
- 23rd – St George's Day
- 26th Apr – Forest School Parent/Carer Workshops for Reception Children – Willow at 9.15am and Yew at 1.45pm
- 2nd May – Local Elections, School Closed
- 6th May – Bank Holiday, School Closed
- 7th May – World Asthma Day

Communication

Our doors are always open whenever you need us and the main office number is 01902 558517.

The school email address is oakmeadowprimaryschool@wolverhampton.gov.uk

Also remember to check the school website and follow us on Twitter [@oakmeadow12](https://twitter.com/oakmeadow12)

Safeguarding Information

If you have any concerns about a child, please contact one of our designated safeguarding leaders (DSL):
Mr. Lane (Head of School);
Mrs. Parker-Thornton (Home/School Liaison Officer);
Miss. Tomlinson (SENDCo);
Miss. Billingsley (Assistant Headteacher).

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Attendance and Punctuality

Thank you for making sure your child is in school every day and on time. Remember that our minimum attendance target for all children is **96%**.



Our combined whole school attendance for this week was **90.7%**

Make sure your child is an **Oak Meadow attendance HERO** (Here, Every day, Ready and On Time) by arriving between 8:35 and 8:45am each morning. Every minute counts over the school year:

5 minutes late each day = 3 days lost!

10 minutes late each day = 6.5 days lost!

15 minutes late each day = 10 days lost!

20 minutes late each day = 13 days lost!

30 minutes late each day = 19 days lost!

Class Attendance for this week

Reception and Key Stage 1

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| RB | 86.7% |
| RT | 91.3% |
| 1CB | 90% |
| 1HB | 86.2% |
| 2BT | 95% |
| 2H | 97.2% |

Attendance HERO bear winners are class 2H – well done!



Key Stage 2

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| 3C | 93% |
| 3J | 91.6% |
| 4F | 95.3% |
| 4T | 89% |
| 5BC | 90% |
| 5H | 94% |
| 6H | 91.3% |
| 6W | 79.4% |

Attendance HERO bear winners are class 4F – well done!



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