

Oak Hill CE Primary School

Newsletter 3rd May 2024

Jesus said, 'I have come that you may have life in all its fullness' (John 10:10)

Active breaks

As part of our drive to ensure that our children have varied opportunities to enjoy and be active during break times, a trim trail has been installed on the school grounds. This has been welcomed enthusiastically by the children and we look forward to many years of use. A huge thank you to FOOHS for their generosity in funding this resource!



May is National Walking Month

National Walking Month - now mornings and evenings are lighter for longer, it's the perfect time to get out and active. Walking has a host of health benefits that can motivate the whole family to introduce walking into your daily lives.

On Tuesday 21st May, weather permitting; KS2 will be going on a walk in the local area. This walk was great fun last year and all the children had a wonderful time. We take a circular route from Alderton through Dumbleton (letter to follow).

Church services for this Sunday 28th April

9.00am - Gt Washbourne - HC for the Easter Season
10.30am - Dumbleton - HC for the Easter Season

Our half termly Christian value is perseverance: to go on doing something even though it is difficult

Attendance update

Attendance this week has been **96.49%** but with a great effort from Reception children maintaining 100% again!

Our target this year remains a minimum of 96% across the whole school and our year to date is now at 93.48%.

Please check the NHS guide "Is my child too ill for school":
<https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>



Should I keep my child off school?

Yes

Until...

Chickengpox	at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over
Diarrhoea and Vomiting	48 hours after their last episode
Cold and flu like illness (including COVID-19)	they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19.
Impetigo	their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics
Measles	4 days after the rash first appeared
Mumps	5 days after the swelling started
Scabies	they've had their first treatment
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after they started taking antibiotics
Whooping Cough	48 hours after they started taking antibiotics

No

but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

Hand, foot and mouth	Glandular fever
Head lice	Tonsillitis
Threadworms	Strep throat



SCAN ME

Advice and guidance
To find out more, search for health protection in schools or scan the QR code or visit <https://qrco.de/minifec>.

House Points

Ashdown	81
Dean	95
Sherwood	72

Rowan class star of the week

Rory: persevering with your handwriting and presentation

Elm class star of the week

Miles: working hard to complete more work to an improved standard.

Redwood class stars of the week

**Oz for an amazing start to his Oak Hill journey.
Henry for a fantastic Minoan civilisation report.**

Diary dates (subject to change):

MAY

8 th	Nature In Art trip - whole school
10 th	Swimming Y5&6
17 th	Swimming Y5&6
21 st	KS2 Walk
22 nd	Move More tag rugby festival
24 th	Swimming Y5&6

JUNE

6 th	Science festival - whole school - letter to follow
7 th	Swimming Y5&6
13 th	Olympic & PE workshops - whole school - details to follow
14 th	Swimming Y5&6
21 st	Swimming Y5&6
28 th	Swimming Y5&6

JULY

5 th	Swimming Y5&6 - replacement session
12 th	Sports event followed by Olympic fair by FOOHS
15 th	Reserve date for sports event