



The Oaks Primary School
Bringing Learning to Life

Monday 27th February

Weekly Newsletter

Welcome back, we hope you have had a wonderful week.

This half term is set to be a very busy and an industrious one. It is 5 weeks until we break up for Easter. There are some class assemblies booked in the diary, educational visits, a Choir performance, class photo day, parents evening, World Book Day & Reception Bikeability. Please keep an eye on the newsletters and email/text for details.

Strike Day~ Tuesday 28th February

Reception, Y1, Y4 & Y6 are closed tomorrow. I sincerely apologise for the inconvenience caused. There are two more dates scheduled. Wednesday 15th & Thursday 16th March. I will update about these upcoming dates as soon as I can.

Diary Dates

Wednesday 1st March ~

Thursday 2nd March ~

Monday 6th—Wed 8th March

Friday 17th March ~ **SAVE THE DATE** Choir Performance Canon Slade 6-7pm

Wednesday 22nd March ~

22nd & 23rd March 4-7pm ~

Tuesday 28th March ~

Wednesday 29th March ~

Friday 31st March ~

Y6 Class Assembly at 2.30pm

World Book Day

Bike Ability Reception

Class Photographs

Parents Evening

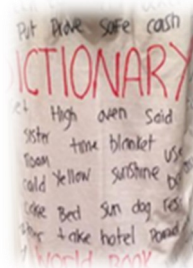
Year 1 Trip to The Zoo

Wacky Wednesday Party Day—more info to follow

School closes at 2pm

World Book Day – Thursday 2nd March **THIS WEEK**

As the teaching of vocabulary is high on our agenda this year, we are inviting children to dress up as a **specific word** e.g. fox, happy, puzzled, brave, disgusting etc. **NO FOOTBALL KITS PLEASE.**



Cake Sale

Thank you for supporting the bake sale after school on Friday. The sale raised over £1100! THIS IS SO AMAZING.

Thank you to the wonderful families that baked and cooked or sourced donations! It is not too late to pay for the non-uniform day for Save Children then we can send the total amount to the charity later this week.

Class Assemblies

Wednesday 1st March @ 2.30pm ~ Y6

Wednesday 8th March @ 2.30pm ~ Y5

Wednesday 15th March @ 2.30pm ~ Y2

Rec, Y1, Y3 & Y4 will be in the Summer Term.

The gates will open at 2.20pm for a 2.30pm start. Thank you.

Punctuality

The doors open at 8.50am and doors close at 9 o'clock. After 9 o'clock your child will be marked as late and needs to enter through the front door.

Please make every effort to have your child in school before 9am. Punctuality is an important life skill that children need to learn. Children that are regularly late miss crucial learning.

Morning learning starts at 8.50am - recapping basic skills that are incredibly beneficial for children. Aim to be on the playground before 8.50am. Thank you!

We appreciate that there have been occasions when the road works have made life very difficult for those of you that live further than a walking distance away from school. Hopefully the road works have nearly finished!

World Book Day Competition ~ Reminder

For our competition this year, children can decorate a potato as a book character. The competition is optional and to be completed at home if the children wish to join in.

On the day, the children will be given the opportunity to talk about the book character that they have chosen to represent, as well as explore other children's potatoes. This will be a wonderful way to share what the children have read and to seek inspiration for new books!

Any entries need to be brought into school on Wednesday 1st March.

Please ensure your child's name is clearly displayed on the entry. There will be one winner in each class and these will be announced on Thursday 2nd March when we celebrate World Book Day in School.

Thank you for your support. Jo Grundy: grundyj@the-oaks.bolton.sch.uk