



Oakfield Primary School Newsletter

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Achievements from home

Over the half term Abigail M entered a dance competition and came 1st Place in Novice street Dance with the highest score, 2nd Place with her dance troupe Vitality, 1st Place in a trio with Dolcie G and Madison L which also got highest trio score, and 2nd place song and dance. A big well done to you all girls - fantastic work!



Nora E has been working on a project for the past few months. She has spent months collecting baby plants from her big spider plants. She decided she wanted to sell her plants to raise money for a charity. She decided on 'The British Bee Keepers Association'. We set up a stall in our garden last Sunday to sell her plants. Nora made flyers and put them in our neighbours' letter boxes to inform them of her stall. Lots of people bought Nora's plants and she raised £120 to help the bees. We are super proud of her initiative and patience to complete this project and collect this money for charity. What a wonderful thing to do Nora - a big Oakfield Well done to you.

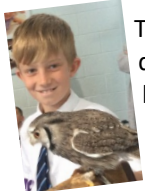
Chloe B has won Parents Player of the year. She has been outstanding for her Saturday football club, scoring 21 goals and setting up numerous goals for her team mates. She is well respected by her team and the parents as this is the 3rd time in a row Chloe has won this award. Fantastic efforts and a great achievement Chloe - congratulations to you!



Tommy P came second in his trampolining competition. What a brilliant result Tommy, and a fantastic photograph to go with it! Well done.

Elton H has raised £130 for the Princes trust by donating his hair. What a wonderful thing to do Elton and for such a good cause, well done to you!

A Flying visit - Nite Owls



This week we had some special flying visitors school. The children enjoyed an assembly with the owls flying above their heads. Children also had the opportunity to have a photo with the birds. It was a fantastic experience for the children and a big thank you to Miss Clark for organising it.



Eco-Council messages

Please scroll down to view a big announcement and achievement for our Eco-Council.

Celebration certificates

A big congratulations to all the children that were awarded with a certificate in Friday's celebration assembly.

Achievement Certificates	Maths Certificate
Jonny A, Florence H, Olivia D, Finlay C, Emilia T, Annabelle H, Alfie S, Bonnie C, Liberty L, Jake G-w, Poppy H, Teddy H	Matilda A, Ava B, Jacob M, Frederick L, Ava M-R, Oliver G, Elsie W, Oliver M, Troy C, Andrew Mc, Ellis C, Elsie

Attendance awards

Congratulations to the classes with the highest attendance across the school.

KS1	KS2	Whole School
Classes 1 and 4 - 99%	Class 12 - 100%	95.9%

House points

This week's house point totals are below. A big well done to all the children earning house points this week.

Romans	Saxons	Vikings	Normans
48	38	36	38

Dates for your diary

19/6/24

Uniform sale
Treehouse

21/6/24

Sports Day and picnic

27/6/24—28/6/24

Year 6 transition days to
Bromfords and
Beauchamps

28/6/24

Meet the new teacher
3.30pm—4.45pm

Lunch Menu

Week 3

Click on the link to
view our weekly
menus:

Menu

School dinners need to
be paid at the beginning
of the week or daily
when ordered.



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A huge congratulations to the Eco-Council and Mrs Pinchback for achieving a highly commended award from the Primary Awards for Green Education in Schools. See below the message sent to the school from Peter Littlewood, Director of Young People's Trust for the Environment.

Thank you for taking part in the Primary Awards for Green Education in Schools (PAGES) 2024. I am delighted to inform you that Oakfield Primary School's project 'Learning to Love Earth that little bit more...' has been Highly Commended.

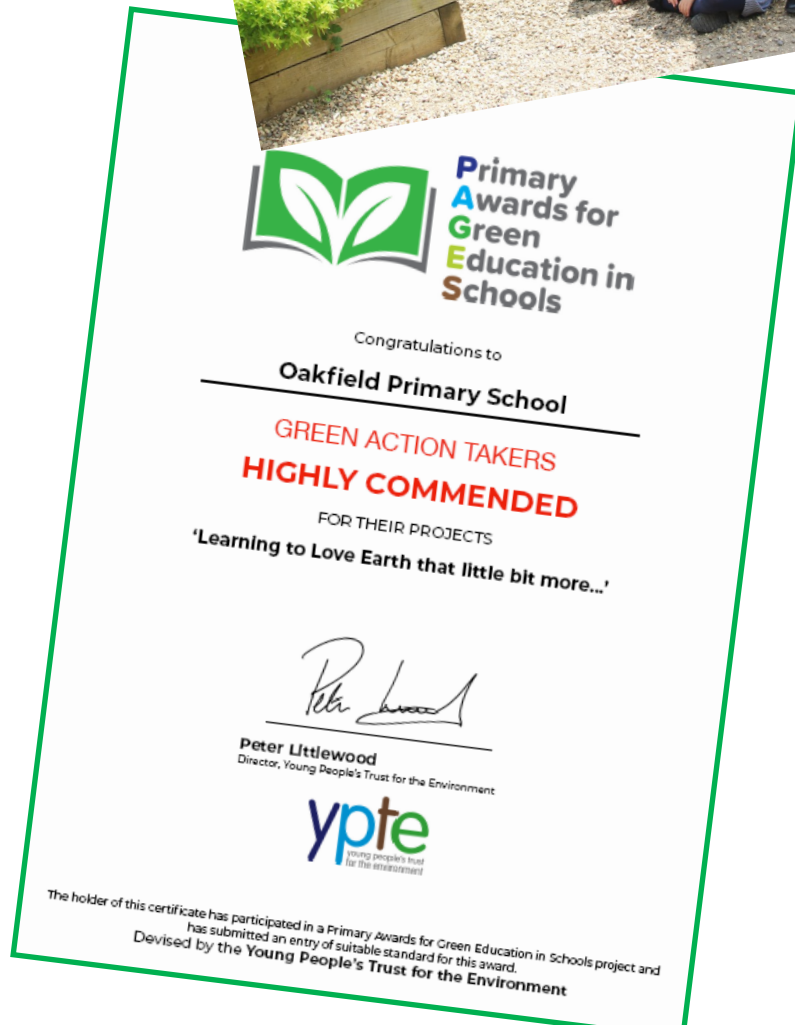
Almost 35,000 young people were involved in the creation of entries for this year's competition. It was fantastic to see the diverse approaches that schools in the UK are taking to delivering environmental education to their children. The young people's passion and commitment really shone through! With over 270 entries received, it was a very difficult decision to select our award winners, so you and all of the children involved should be very proud.

It was great to read about all your fantastic Eco activities at Oakfield Primary School - you have certainly been very busy! We really liked the Pledgehogs idea and your outdoor learning curriculum sounds very exciting too. Well done on your Meat-Free Mondays! We wish you lots of luck with this and all your future endeavours at Oakfield.

Congratulations once again to all of the children and staff who took part in the creation of your entry.

With best wishes

Peter Littlewood





Hello, my name is Nora. I am eight years old. Over the last few months, I have grown lots of baby spider plants. I will be selling these to raise money for "Save the Bee". You can buy my plants on Sunday 9th June at 11am at:



I hope to see you on Sunday 9th June at 11am

Free opportunities for children and families

This summer Chelmsford City Parks are inviting young people to get involved with two exciting activities. We'd appreciate you **sharing this with the families at your school**, and we look forward to them getting involved!





Diary dates for the year

Wednesday 19 th June 2024	Uniform Sale	Treehouse Further details to follow
Friday 21 st June 2024	Sports Day and Picnic	3/4/5/6 – 9:00 -11:30am Whole school picnic 11:45-12:45pm R/1/2 – 1:00 - 3:00pm
Tuesday 25 th June 2024	Contingency date - Sports day	3/4/5/6 – 9:00 -11:30am Whole school picnic 11:45-12:45pm R/1/2 – 1:00 - 3:00pm
Thursday 27 th June 2024 Friday 28 th June 2024	Bromfords Year 6 Transition Day	All day

Friday 28 th June 2024	Beauchamps Year 6 Transition Day	All day
	Open evening and Meet the new teacher	3:30 -4:45pm
Thursday 4 th July	General election - School closed to all pupils	All day
Friday 5 th July 2024	Year 5 Bromfords Taster Day	Details to follow
Friday 5 th July 2024	Rainbow Run	FOO Event Details to follow
Wednesday 10 th July 2024	Rocksteady Performance	9:00am
Thursday 11 th July 2024	Beauchamps Taster Day Year 5	Details to follow
	Year 6 performance	2:00pm 5:30pm
Friday 12 th July 2024	Reception celebration assembly	Year R Parents – 9:00am
	Ice-cream Fridays	FOO – after school
Friday 12 th July 2024	Reports home to parents	
Monday 15 th July 2024	Year 1 Celebration assembly	Year 1 Parents – 9:00am
Tuesday 16 th July 2024	Year 2 Celebration assembly	Year 2 Parents – 9:00am
Wednesday 17 th July 2024	Year 3 Celebration assembly	Year 3 Parents – 9:00am
Thursday 18 th July 2024	Year 4 Celebration assembly	Year 4 Parents – 9:00am
Friday 19 th July 2024	Year 5 celebration assembly	Year 5 Parents – 9:00am
	Ice-cream Fridays	FOO – after school
Monday 22 nd July 2024	Year 6 leavers assembly	Year 6 Parents – 9:00am
Tuesday 23 rd July 2024	LAST DAY OF TERM	