

12/04/2024

Oxhey Newsletter



A message from Mrs Jukes.....

Welcome back - I hope you have had a lovely Easter break,
The children are settled and enjoying their new learning for the summer term.

We have had two exciting events this week...

- The fire brigade came to deliver a special assembly and demonstrate all the important equipment on the engine for KS1. The children learned about the role of a fire-fighter and why the fire brigade is so important to our community. See overleaf on this week's spotlight!
- Pupils from KS2 represented Oxhey at the reading champions event held at Springhead Primary with children from all the schools in our multi-academy trust. Mrs Peach and Mrs Cooper went on our new CFP mini-bus with the librarians to take part in the training and will be sharing with the rest of the school what they learned and how they will be promoting reading even more in our school. The librarians currently do a wonderful job overseeing the running of the library and have been enjoying reading stories to the EYFS pupils over the last term. Look out on next week's spotlight for all the photographs and detail about what they got up to!

Best wishes from Mrs Jukes and the Oxhey Staff Team.



Diary Dates For Parents

Bank holiday

6h May

Half term

27th - 31st May

Inset day school closed to pupils

3rd June

Last day of term

19th July

Inset days school closed to pupils

2nd & 3rd September

School re-opens

4th September

Inset day school closed to pupils

25th October

Half term

28th Oct - 1st Nov

Christmas holidays

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Class	Attendance	This Week's Winners
Sparkly Spiders	93%	<p>Amazing Alligators</p>
Dazzling Dragonflies	96%	
Terrific Turtles	97%	
Perfect Pandas	98%	
Amazing Alligators	100%	
Marvellous Meerkats	98%	
Outstanding Owls	99%	
Fabulous Foxes	98%	

School Matters!



Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow

Our whole school attendance target is 96.4%.
This week, our school attendance was: **98%**

A reminder we move over to our Facebook page on 19th April
<https://www.facebook.com/OxheyFirst>



Rewards and Celebrations



Pupils of the Week & TIGER Learners

LL Stanley & Elsie W
 SS Logan & Sophia
 DD Penny & Charlie H
 TT Clodagh & Symphony
 PP Jacob A & Bobby
 AA Fran Br & Jake
 MM Jack F & Jack H
 OO Elsie & Seb T
 FF Ellie & Henry



TT Rockstars

Winning class

Marvellous Meerkats

Outstanding Owls

1st Freddie
 2nd Elsie
 3rd George

Most improved Hollie

Marvellous Meerkats

1st Hadyn
 2nd Joe
 3rd Minnie

Most improved Daisy

Fabulous Foxes

1st Isabel
 2nd Stanley C
 3rd Jessica
 Most improved Tyler



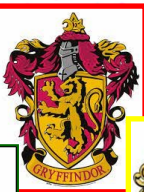
Numbots

Winning class

Perfect Pandas

Winner from each class:

PP Holly
 TT Niamh
 AA Jake



House points

Ravenclaw	166
Slytherin	482
Gryffindor	395
Hufflepuff	338

Ready, Steady, Read!

The results are based on the number of children who have read four or more times in the week.



Starts again next week



The Royal Family's right to privacy has made news headlines worldwide over the past few weeks. In assembly we discussed what we think life is like as a member of the Royal Family and if everyone has the right to privacy.



In the spotlight



Key Stage 1 were very lucky to have a visit from Staffordshire Fire and Rescue this week. Four firefighters taught us all about their training and equipment and how to keep ourselves and our homes safe. We even got to have a look inside the fire engine! The children learnt lots and asked lots of interesting questions, before the fire-fighting team had to dash away to save the day at a local emergency!



IMPORTANT

New Oxhey Facebook Page Launch -19th April 2024

Following discussion with our Governors and Staff we have decided to change our chosen social media platform from X (Twitter) to Facebook. We are excited to announce the launch of our new Facebook page on 19th April. From this date we will be moving away from Twitter and using Facebook only.

In preparation for this change over please log on to your Arbor app and update permissions accordingly (social media)

To keep up to date with the latest news about what is going on in our school please follow and like our new Facebook page.



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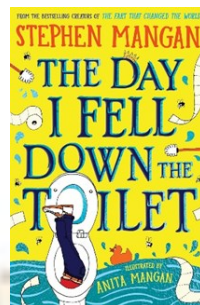
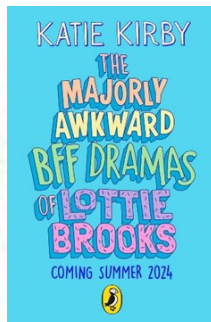
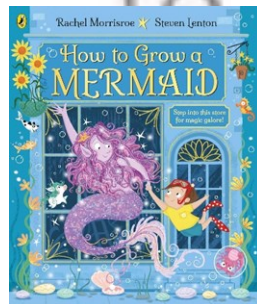
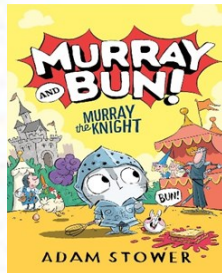
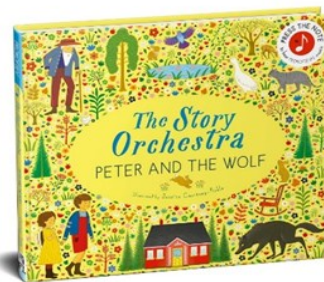
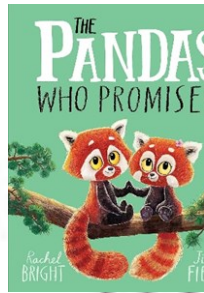
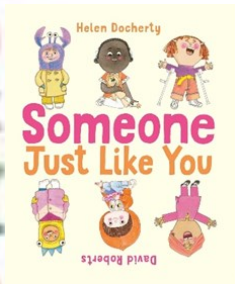




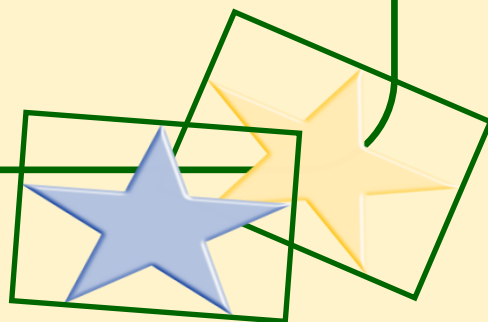
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What's new in Key Stage 1 & 2?

Here are our termly book recommendations!



WOW awards.....



IMPORTANT

Price increases from 1st April 2024

There will be an increase in lunch charges and nursery charges for additional hours:

Lunches will be £2.95 per child per day *

*Universal free school meals and free school meals will still continue where applicable.

Extended nursery will be £15.24 per child per afternoon **

** Up to 15 additional hours will still be funded if applicable and the code has been re-claimed in time for the summer term.

Notice Board

'A happy place to learn and grow'
Oxhey First School
 Children First Learning Partnership
Ofsted Outstanding

Make friends and have fun with a different nature theme each week.

£2 donation
 £1 per additional sibling

Includes a drink for adult and child, a piece of toast and biscuits too!

Play and learn!
Every Friday
 9.45- 11.00 Starts Friday 12th April

Messy play
 Songs
 Craft

All ages welcome!

Get to meet our Outstanding Early Years Team!

Telephone the school office on 01782 513000 for further details or to book

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STARTING TUESDAY 23RD APRIL 2024 9AM - 12PM

Staffordshire County Council

Don't forget the..

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

... coming this Summer!

YOUR LIBRARY
 Staffordshire County Council