



Reception Newsletter

Autumn Term: Week 1
4th September 2023

Welcome back to our wonderful Reception children! The Reception team are looking forward to seeing you all this week.

Timings for next week

All pupils will be attending school at 8.55am until 1.30pm from Monday 11th September.

Please use the Willowbrook Drive gate for collection at 1.30pm.

Lunch Provision

From Monday 11th September, pupils will be staying until the end of lunchtime (1.30pm) and will be entitled to a free school dinner.

Your ParentPay login details are will be sent home this week. Through ParentPay, you are able to look at the menu for the day, and preorder your child's meal.

You can still provide a packed lunch for your child if you prefer.

As we are a healthy eating school we would encourage all parents and carers to provide a well-balanced lunch each day.

Absences and Illness

If your child is ill or absent for any reason it is very important that you contact the school on 02920799396 or through Class Dojo private message.

Oakfield Values

We will again be promoting our school values which will be chosen by the children and staff. It would be helpful if you could regularly discuss these at home with your child. For the next couple of weeks our values focus will be:-

'Family' #BeKind

As we all start a new school year, let's remember that we are all one family and that working together makes a real difference.

Snack

In Reception, we have daily snack when the children are provided with milk and a healthy snack.

We ask for a payment of £1 per week to provide your child with their healthy snack. This can be paid weekly or half termly in a named envelope. If you would like to pay for this half term in full, this will be at a cost of £8.

Classroom Water Bottle

All children need to bring a refillable bottle with **water only** to drink throughout the day. This may be in addition to their lunch time drink which can be flavoured.

Labelling your child's items

Please ensure that all of your child's belongings are clearly labelled with their name. This includes jumpers, cardigans, coats, bottles and lunch bags.

Class Dojo

We send regular updates and information through Class Dojo. Please see your class teacher if you are unable to access it for any reason.

We would also love to see anything you achieve outside of school, just send us a photo through Dojo!

This week we are celebrating...

Happy birthday to Inayah, Mohammed and Jasveer for your special day this week.

