



OAKFIELD ACADEMY
BELIEVE AND ACHIEVE

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Flags arrive



Getting ready for our special Queen's Jubilee and Oakfield Academy's 80th Birthday celebrations—William, Layla, Shalin and Nikodem from 6A proudly displayed our new double-sided flag which will fly from our new flagpole on Friday 27th May. Accompanying the Oakfield/Union Jack combination will be a tribute to Ukraine.

Thank
You

We would like to express our sincere thanks to Sainsbury's FROME who very generously donated fruit for our Year 6 SATS Breakfasts.

The pupils were very grateful !

Sainsbury's



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Year 6 SATS Week

A big congratulations to the year 6 pupils who have conducted themselves well in all their Sats tests this week, even when faced with awful weather halting break times. They are looking forward to a well-deserved trip to the cinema to celebrate the end of the week - well done to all those who earned this reward! A big thank you to their English and Maths teachers and to all those TAs and volunteers who supported the pupils during their papers.

We would also like to pass on a big thank you to tutors for taking time to set up drinks/snacks and welcoming them each morning so they had a good start to the day, and to Mrs Warren for sourcing great donations from local businesses.

Key Stage 3 Exams w/c Monday 16th May 2022

KS3 attended an assembly on Thursday to inform them about the processes for KS3 exam week which begins on Monday. All pupils have been preparing for exams in their English, Maths and Humanities lessons and instructions were given on exam conduct. The whole year group will sit in the hall to complete their exams with some pupils receiving extra support in the library as discussed with their teachers. Pupils need to bring a water bottle, stationery, a reading book and for year 8 maths, a calculator.

Exams will take place during lessons 1,2 and 3. Normal timetabled lessons will take place lessons 4 and 5. If pupils have any questions, they have been urged to speak to their tutors. This is an excellent opportunity to introduce them to formal examinations in a supportive way.

VACANCIES

If you are interested in either of the following vacancies, please click on the link below for a full JOB DESCRIPTION and APPLICATION FORM

English Teacher: <https://www.eteach.com/job/teacher-of-english-1236206>

Head of Science: <https://www.eteach.com/job/head-of-science-1227028>

Fixed term Librarian: <https://www.eteach.com/job/librarian-1236211>

RECEPTION

For the next couple of weeks we will be operating with reduced staffing on the Reception Desk. If you are reporting an absence please do so on Edulink or email attendance@oakfieldacademy.co.uk. The answerphone may be on and we will endeavour to listen to the message as soon as possible.



Over the Easter Holidays and last weekend I played in 4 tournaments on the British Junior Golf Tour winning 3 in the net competition (strokes minus handicap) and finishing in the top 4 of the gross division (stroke play) in the boys 9-12 junior open 18 hole category and am currently ranked 6th in Britain in this category. The tour offers the opportunity for boys and girls from 5 to 17 to compete at some amazing courses around the UK in their age divisions. My current wins are from Dainton Park, Newton Abbot a course that my Grampy and great uncle helped to build over 27 years ago, Witney Lakes, Oxford and most recently Cumberwell Park in Bradford on Avon. I am looking forward to several more events over the coming months.

GOLFING SUCCESS for HENRY LEWER from 6S—fabulous achievement Henry !

Important Messages

Due to Key Stage Three examinations next week, there will be no food available from the canteen at breaktimes.

Kindly ensure that your child has a snack with them for break time. Thank you.



INTER FORM GAMES—Monday 23rd May

All pupils to arrive in school in their PE Kits, and remain in them throughout the day.

Diary Dates

w/c 16 May	Yr 7 & 8 Exam Week
23 May	Inter Form Games
24 May	More Able Yr 6 pupils visit Frome College Science department
27 May	Celebration Day —Queen's Platinum Jubilee & Oakfield Academy's 80th Birthday
27 May	5678 "N" Cake Sale
28 May- 5 Jun	Half Term Holidays
6 Jun	Term 6
w/c 6 Jun	Yr 8 Charterhouse Camps
6 Jun	6C and 6N visit Braeside
7 Jun	6O and 6R visit Braeside
8 Jun	6A and 6S visit Braeside
8 Jun	Nurture Group visit Longleat
9 Jun	Y5 Summer Trip to Longleat
16 Jun	Y5 Gideon Assembly
24 Jun	5678 "S" Cake Sale
6 Jul	Transfer Day Year 4 -> Year 5 Year 5 -> Year 6 Year 6 -> Year 7 Year 7 -> Bristol Zoo Trip Year 8 -> Frome College
18 Jul	Yr 8 Presentation Evening
21 Jul	Yr 8 Leavers Trip—Thorpe Park
22 Jul	Last day of Term 6
25 & 26 Jul	INSET days

Friends of Oakfield Academy

MEETING

All welcome

Tuesday 17th May at

OAKFIELD ACADEMY, 6pm

Do join us.

IMPORTANT MESSAGE Purchasing Uniform

Please be aware that the on-line shop for ordering uniform will not be operating during the Summer Holidays.

The office will be open from 9am—3pm on

Monday 25th July

and **Friday 2nd September**

to sell uniform when items can be purchased with cash or cheque.

However, we cannot always guarantee that all items will be available in all sizes, so we strongly recommend that you purchase well before the end of term.

Thank you for your support.

Happy Birthday!

80 this year?

Are you or a family member
80 this year ?

If so please let us know as we are celebrating Oakfield's 80th birthday this year and we would like to include you in our celebrations.