



# October 2020 Newsletter



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**Attendance** Well done and thank you to all of our families for the children's excellent attendance at school this first half term. Attendance percentages for each class are high and we are so pleased to see that all of our children are coming to school unless they are unwell or self-isolating. Keep up the good work, Oakfield family!

**Parents' Evening** Unfortunately, we will not be able to hold our usual autumn term Parents' Evening this term. Your child's class teacher will provide you with a brief written report via Class Dojo this week. If your child's class teacher needs to speak to you for any reason, they will contact you by phone. Likewise, if you need to speak to your child's teacher, please contact the school office and a phone appointment will be made for you. Thank you!



**Hallowe'en Fun Friday!** Don't forget...this Friday we will be having our Happy Hallowe'en Day at Oakfield. Children are invited to attend school in their spooky Hallowe'en costumes. Please remember that your child will be in their costume all day, so try to make it a comfortable one and please, no big accessories, as we don't have the space to store them. We're all looking forward to a well-deserved day of fun!

**Homework** Please could I give a gentle nudge to parents/carers of pupils in Years 1 to 6 about homework? All pupils should be reading at home daily, either using their reading book or, in KS2, using Reading Plus. Pupils in KS2 all have a login for TT Rockstars and should be practising their times tables regularly. Pupils in Years 1 to 6 have weekly spellings to learn and these and the Learning Conversation are provided via Class Dojo. Our Oakfield children have missed a lot of learning over the past few months and we really need your help in catching them up. Thank you for your support.

**INSET Day** Just a reminder that we finish for half term on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October at 3.15pm. Children return to school on TUESDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> NOVEMBER, as the Monday is an INSET day for staff. Take care, stay safe and have a lovely half-term break, everyone.

