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## Attendance Matters



**YOU BELONG HERE!**  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE MATTERS

**15** minutes late everyday  
↓  
**2** whole weeks of lost learning

### Friday 26th September 2025

Hello everyone, all at Oakwood hope that you have had a good week and have been able to enjoy some of the lovely sunshine we have been blessed with in recent days.

It has been a busy week of learning and opportunity at Oakwood this week and we have all enjoyed being able to access our wonderful grounds whilst the sun has been shining. I have been delighted to have seen some magnificent maths and some wonderful writing this week across the school, as well some excellent phonic work taking place in year 1 and 2. Keep up the great work everyone!

We look forward to seeing you all on Monday, have a lovely weekend.

Mr Arnold and the Oakwood Team.

### Diary Dates to Remember

**Tues 30th September**

**PTFA SCHOOL DISCO**

**KS1 3.30-4.30PM**

**KS2 4.45-5.45PM**

**Wed 1st October 2025**

**FLU VACCINATIONS**

**Wed 15th October 2025**

**PORTRAIT PHOTOGRAPHS**

**Mon 27th –31st October 2025**

**HALF TERM**

**Fri 28th November 2025**

**NON PUPIL DAY**

**Mon 22nd Dec 25-Fri 2nd Jan 2026**

**CHRISTMAS BREAK**

**Fri 30th January 2026**

**NON PUPIL DAY**

**Mon 16th- Fri 20th February 2026**

**HALF TERM**

**Mon 23rd February—Fri 13th March 2026**

**YEAR 5 SWIMMING**

**Fri 13th March 2026**

**NON PUPIL DAY**

**March TBC**

**NETHERCOTT TRIP YR4**

**Fri 3rd– 17th April 2026**

**EASTER BREAK**

**Mon 27th-29th April 2026**

**PGL TRIP YR5**

**Mon 4th May 2026**

**BANK HOLIDAY**

**Mon 25th –29th May 2026**

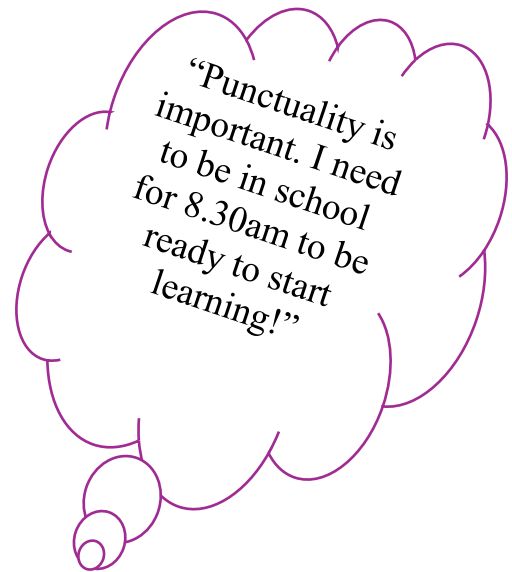
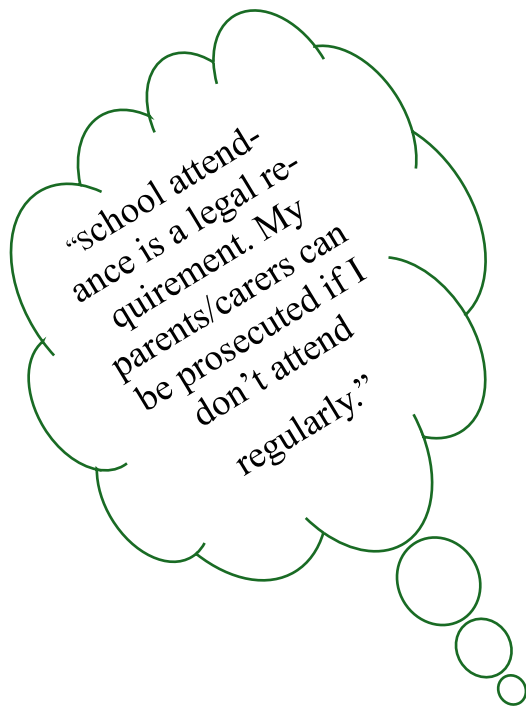
**HALF TERM**

**Mon 29th June 2026**

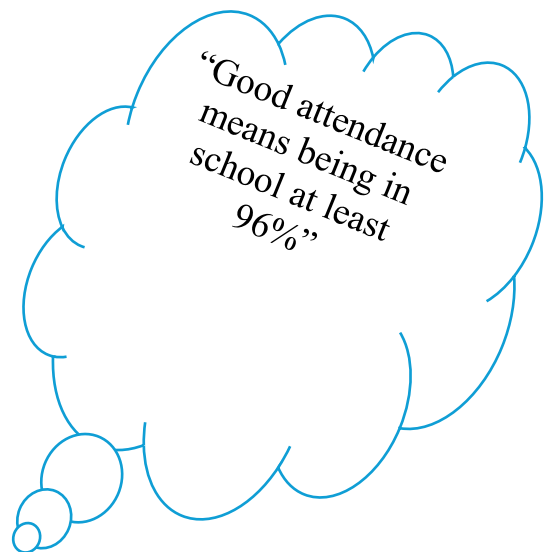
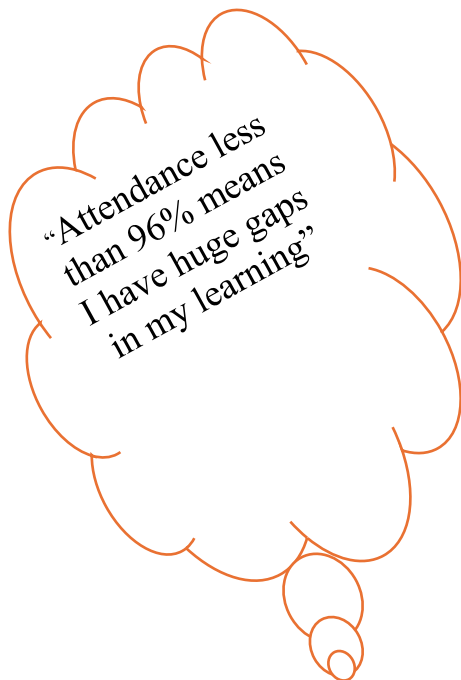
**NON PUPIL DAY**

**Fri 24th July 2026**

**SUMMER HOLIDAYS**

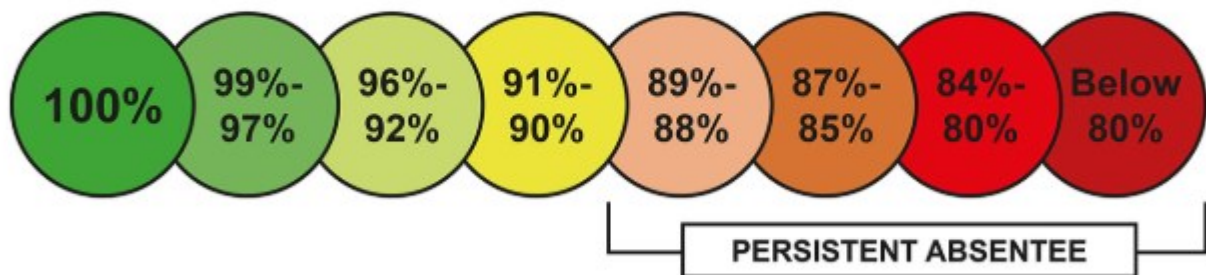


**I NEED TO AIM TO ATTEND SCHOOL  
100% OF THE TIME!**



# ATTENDANCE MATTERS

On Time: First Time, Every Time



## Which CIRCLE are you in?

95%	47 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 8 days in total or 1 week and 3 days
90%	95 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 16 days in total or 3 weeks and 1 day
85%	142 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 24 days in total or 4 weeks and 4 days
80%	190 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 32 days in total or 6 weeks and 2 days

## ATTENDANCE MATTERS

WHAT DO YOUR  
ATTENDANCE  
FIGURES  
ACTUALLY MEAN?

**BE SMART BE THERE!**

Percentages based on 190 academic days

## ATTEND TODAY ACHIEVE TOMORROW



## ATTENDANCE WORKS

## Weekly Attendance for 22nd - 26th Sept 2025

The UK Government expectation is **96%**.  
We are striving for children to achieve this, as there is a direct link between attendance and achievement.

This week, our whole school attendance is **92.51%**  
**FAB Friday for children attending 100%**  
**GOLDEN TICKET for never late never away**

SMEATON	100%
FIRESTONE	92.07%
MAYFLOWER	92.41%
MT EDGCUMBE	93.79%
MOUNTBATTEN	91.79%



SALTRAM	97.14%
DOCKYARD	79.62%
BURRATOR	95.88%
RALEIGH	92.67%

If you care for a child or young person with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) and use Plymouth services, please consider taking part in the latest Plymouth Parent Carer Voice (PPCV) survey.

PPCV is working hard with Plymouth City Council (PCC) to make sure that your voice is heard in shaping services across the SEND 0-25 sector. They are asking for your experience to be shared in their regular survey, which looks into the central services that you and your child/young person with SEND use. Your young person does not need a formal diagnosis or an EHCP for you to be able to complete the survey.

Please follow this link and select the survey that is relevant to you:

<https://plymouthpcv.co.uk/send-survey-2025-apr-sept/>

The closing date is **Monday, 29th September 2025**

PPCV brings together parents and carers of children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) in Plymouth and the surrounding area. The group is run by parent carers like you, and they work to give you and your family a voice in the services that you use. You can find out more by visiting their website here: [www.plymouthpcv.co.uk](http://www.plymouthpcv.co.uk)



**ACADEMIC YEAR 2025/26**

**Oakwood Primary Academy  
DV143305**

**Cornwall and Devon**  
School-Age Immunisation Service

**Cornwall**

Tel: 01872 221105

Email: [Kernowhealthcic.schoolimmunisation@nhs.net](mailto:Kernowhealthcic.schoolimmunisation@nhs.net)

**Devon**

Tel: 01392 342678

Email: [Kernowhealthcic.schoolimmsdevon@nhs.net](mailto:Kernowhealthcic.schoolimmsdevon@nhs.net)

Website: [www.kernowhealthcic.org.uk](http://www.kernowhealthcic.org.uk)

Dear Parent/Guardian

### **Your child's annual nasal flu vaccination is now due**

Kernow Health CIC's School Age Immunisation Service will be delivering the annual nasal flu vaccination programme in schools across Cornwall and Devon on behalf of NHS England.

Flu can be an unpleasant illness and may lead to serious complications. Vaccinating your child not only protects them but also helps prevent the spread of flu to more vulnerable friends and family members. The flu vaccine is a quick, painless spray administered into each nostril and is known as LAIV (Live Attenuated Influenza Vaccine.)

For more information on the nasal flu vaccine please see the Patient Information Leaflet Link: [FLUENZ Tetra, INN-influenza vaccine \(live attenuated, nasal\) \(medicines.org.uk\)](https://www.medicines.org.uk/FLUENZ-Tetra)

### **Who Is Eligible?**

For the 2025/26 season, all children from Reception to Year 11 will be offered the free nasal flu vaccine.

For children who are not able to receive the nasal vaccine, an inactivated flu injection is also available. For full details, including eligibility and the patient information leaflet, please visit: [www.nhs.uk/child-flu](http://www.nhs.uk/child-flu)

### **School Visit Date**

We will be visiting your school on **1<sup>st</sup> October 2025**

Please complete the online form by **Midday on the 29th September 2025**

### **How to Consent**

To provide consent please follow the link and code below.

Link: <https://www.kernowimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu>

School code: **DV143305**

Delivered by Kernow Health CIC

#### Contact Details

If you experience any issues accessing the form, please contact:

- Devon schools: 01392 342678
- Cornwall schools: 01872 221105

#### Important Reminders

- You must **opt in** for your child to receive the vaccine. Without a submitted consent form, your child will not be vaccinated.
- If your child becomes wheezy or their asthma medication is increased after submitting the form, please contact us immediately.
- If you choose not to vaccinate your child, we kindly ask that you still complete the form and provide your reason. This helps us improve the service.
- **If you have submitted a yes consent but have since changed your mind, please call us on one of the numbers above so that we can change the consent**
- If you need this information in a different format or require communication support, please let us know.
- Your child may be able to self-consent to receive the vaccine if they are considered competent to do so. This is called **Gillick competence**. For more information: [NHS Children and young people - consent to treatment](#)

Yours faithfully



Dr Paul Cook  
Chief Medical Officer  
Kernow Health

### **Friday Afterschool Childcare Provision**

I must remind you that due to limited staffing, this provision is only available for households where both parents are working during this time or a single working parent family. The provision is also available to those parents who are in full-time education.

Evidence for this will need to be provided. Until evidence is provided, we are unable to allow your child to attend on a Friday afternoon. This could be in the form of a contract which states your hours of work, or a letter from your employer on headed paper that states your working hours. If in education a letter on headed paper from you education provider will be needed.

A space for this provision must also be booked through Parent Pay each week please. You do not have to pay 1p, you should be able to go through at 0.00.

Please ensure this is booked so we can have a list of children to check.

## IS YOUR CHILD DUE TO START SECONDARY SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER 2026?

It may seem a long way ahead but now is the time to start thinking about your child moving from primary school onto secondary school. If your child was born between **1 September 2014 and 31 August 2015**, you will be eligible to apply for a secondary school place.

Information about applying for a place and the individual secondary schools will be on our website from **Wednesday 3 September 2025** at [www.plymouth.gov.uk/schooladmissions](http://www.plymouth.gov.uk/schooladmissions). From here, you can apply online for school places and read the guide for parents which contains the links to the individual school's admission policies and forms.

Applying online is quick and easy - all you need is an email address. Once you have applied, we will let you know which school your child has been allocated on **Monday 2 March 2026**.

You can apply for a school place via the Citizen's Portal by visiting our website at: [www.plymouth.gov.uk/schooladmissions](http://www.plymouth.gov.uk/schooladmissions). The deadline to apply is the **31 October 2025**.

### Remember:

- All Plymouth's 18 secondary schools hold 'open events' for families to visit the school and speak to staff. Please refer to the individual school's websites for dates and further information.
- Some schools give priority to with exceptional medical or social need and will ask for submission of a Supplementary Information Form (SIF) as proof.
- If you are applying for a place at a faith school on faith grounds, you must also fill out a Supplementary Information Form (SIF), which you can obtain from the school.
- Some schools give priority to children of members of staff and will ask for submission of a Supplementary Information Form (SIF) as proof.
- Please read the admission policy for each school carefully.
- If you are applying for a place at a grammar school, you must register to take the 11-plus examination through the school's website. The closing date for registering is 27 August 2025 at 12 noon. Please refer to the individual school's website.

## Oakwood Primary PE Timetable - Autumn Term 1

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Raleigh (Y6) <b>Indoors</b>	Mount Edgecumbe (Y3/4) <b>Indoors</b>	Firestone (Y1/2) <b>Indoors</b>	Smeaton (YR) <b>Indoors</b>
Burrator (Y5/6) <b>Indoors</b>	Saltram (Y3/4) <b>Indoors</b>	Mayflower (Y1/2) <b>Indoors</b>	Mountbatten (Y3/4) <b>Indoors</b>
			Dockyard (Y5) <b>Indoors</b>
Firestone (Y1/2) <b>Outdoors</b>	Mountbatten (Y3/4) <b>Outdoors</b>	Raleigh (Y6) <b>Outdoors</b>	Mount Edgecumbe (Y3/4) <b>Outdoors</b>
Mayflower (Y1/2) <b>Outdoors</b>		Burrator (Y5/6) <b>Outdoors</b>	Saltram (Y3/4) <b>Outdoors</b>
		Dockyard (Y5) <b>Outdoors</b>	

Children may come to school dressed in their PE kits if they have P.E that day.

**PE uniform at Oakwood Primary is:**

Yellow t-shirt, trainers, black shorts or jogging bottoms and a school jumper can be worn over your P.E top if you wish.

*Please do not wear hoodies as part of the PE kit or school uniform*

TERM DATES 2025/26



Teaching days (statutory)	190
BWD and OAK INSET Days	2
Professional development days	5
Occasional days	5
<b>Sub-total</b>	<b>200</b>
School holidays	53
Bank holidays	8
Saturdays and Sundays	104
<b>Total</b>	<b>365</b>

Term	Start	End	Days
1	03-Sep-25	24-Oct-25	39
2	03-Nov-25	19-Dec-25	35
3	05-Jan-26	13-Feb-26	30
4	23-Feb-26	02-Apr-26	30
5	20-Apr-26	22-May-26	23
6	01-Jun-26	23-Jul-26	38
		<b>Total</b>	<b>195</b>

	SEPTEMBER				
Monday	1	8	15	22	29
Tuesday	2	9	16	23	30
Wednesday	3	10	17	24	
Thursday	4	11	18	25	
Friday	5	12	19	26	

	OCTOBER				
	6	13	20	27	
	7	14	21	28	
1	8	15	22	29	
2	9	16	23	30	
3	10	17	24	31	

	NOVEMBER				
3	10	17	24		
4	11	18	25		
5	12	19	26		
6	13	20	27		
7	14	21	28		

	DECEMBER				
1	8	15	22	29	
2	9	16	23	30	
3	10	17	24	31	
4	11	18	25		
5	12	19	26		

	JANUARY				
Monday		5	12	19	26
Tuesday		6	13	20	27
Wednesday		7	14	21	28
Thursday	1	8	15	22	29
Friday	2	9	16	23	30

	FEBRUARY				
2	9	16	23		
3	10	17	24		
4	11	18	25		
5	12	19	26		
6	13	20	27		

	MARCH				
2	9	16	23	30	
3	10	17	24	31	
4	11	18	25		
5	12	19	26		
6	13	20	27		

	APRIL				
	6	13	20	27	
	7	14	21	28	
1	8	15	22	29	
2	9	16	23	30	
3	10	17	24		

	MAY				
Monday		4	11	18	25
Tuesday		5	12	19	26
Wednesday		6	13	20	27
Thursday		7	14	21	28
Friday	1	8	15	22	29

	JUNE				
1	8	15	22	29	
2	9	16	23	30	
3	10	17	24		
4	11	18	25		
5	12	19	26		

	JULY				
	6	13	20	27	
	7	14	21	28	
1	8	15	22	29	
2	9	16	23	30	
3	10	17	24	31	

	AUGUST				
3	10	17	24	31	
4	11	18	25		
5	12	19	26		
6	13	20	27		
7	14	21	28		

# LUNCH MENU

Ham and Cheese wraps are on the menu week commencing 21st April 2025 this will run alongside the new menu as a daily choice.

We have colour choices on parent pay ,  
Purple -cheese and tomato  
orange -ham and tomato  
It consists of a wrap with cucumber sticks.



# WEEK 1

W/C - MONDAY: 21ST APRIL, 12TH MAY, 9TH JUNE, 30TH JUNE, 21ST JULY, 15TH SEPT, 6TH OCT

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>CHOICE 1 - H</b> Pork hot dog with seasoned potato wedges <b>Allergens:</b> Glu W m/c Se, So	<b>CHOICE 1 - H, V</b> Cheese wheels with herby diced potatoes <b>Allergens:</b> Glu W Mu Mi	<b>CHOICE 1 - H</b> Chicken and veg meatballs served with mash and gravy <b>Allergens:</b> Glu W	<b>CHOICE 1 - H</b> Roast gammon loin with roast potatoes, seasonal vegetables and gravy	<b>CHOICE 1</b> Fish fingers served with fresh chips <b>Allergens:</b> Glu, Wh, F
<b>CHOICE 2 - H, W, V, VE</b> Lentil spaghetti bolognese <b>Allergens:</b> Glu W m/c Bar	<b>CHOICE 2 - H, W, V, VE</b> Vegetable curry with rice	<b>CHOICE 2 - H, V, VE</b> Cheese and bean quesadilla <b>Allergens:</b> Glu W E	<b>CHOICE 2 - H, W, V, VE</b> Mediterranean vegetable tart, roast potatoes, seasonal vegetables and gravy <b>Allergens:</b> Glu W m/c Bar	<b>CHOICE 2 - H, W, V</b> Cheese and tomato quiche served with fresh chips or pasta <b>Allergens:</b> Glu W E Mi

SELECTION OF JACKET POTATOES ARE AVAILABLE EACH DAY: BEANS / CHEESE (MI) / TUNA MAYONNAISE (F E)

<b>DESSERT - V, VE</b> Pears and ice cream <b>Allergens:</b> Mi	<b>DESSERT - H, W, V, VE</b> Apricot flapjack <b>Allergens:</b> Glu O w/c Wh Bar	<b>DESSERT - H, V, VE</b> Custard biscuits served with fruit <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh	<b>DESSERT - H, V, VE</b> Fruit platter	<b>DESSERT - H, W, V, VE</b> Oat and date cookie <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh O m/c Bar
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AVAILABLE EVERY DAY: FRESH SALAD / SANDWICHES ON REQUEST / FRESH FRUIT AND YOGHURT

Fresh fruit, local Westcountry yoghurt available daily. Fresh drinking water is available throughout the lunch time period. All meals served with seasonal vegetables. Chicken alternatives to beef and pork upon request. One meat free day.

H = HOME-MADE IN THE KITCHEN, W = WHOLE WHEAT INGREDIENTS, VE = VEGAN DISH, V = VEGETARIAN

Allergen Key: Gluten (Glu), Barley (Bar), Wheat (Wh), Oats (O), Soy (S), Soyas (So), Sulphites (Su), Sesame (Se), Peanuts (P), Mustard (Mu), Molluscs (Mo), Milk (Mi), Nuts (N), Eggs (E), Crustaceans (C), Celery (Ce), Fish (F), Lupin (L), m/c May Contain

Climate Friendly

**Did you know?**  
You can have mixed or brown rice instead of potatoes!  
Tilda

# WEEK 2

W/C - MONDAY: 28TH APRIL, 19TH MAY, 16TH JUNE, 7TH JULY, 1ST SEPT, 22ND SEPT, 13TH OCT

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>CHOICE 1 - H, W</b> Beef burger with seasoned wedges <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh Su m/c Se	<b>CHOICE 1 - H, W</b> Pork sausage pasta bake <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh Ce m/c Mi	<b>CHOICE 1 - H</b> Homemade cheese & tomato pizza <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh So Mi	<b>CHOICE 1 - H</b> Roasted pork and beef meatloaf with roast potatoes, seasonal vegetables and gravy	<b>CHOICE 1 - H</b> Homemade breaded haddock fillet served with fresh chips <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh E F
<b>CHOICE 2 - H, W, V, VE</b> Vegetable pasta bake <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh Mi	<b>CHOICE 2 - H, V</b> Homemade cheese and onion roll served with homemade coleslaw <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh Mi E Mu	<b>CHOICE 2 - H, W, V, VE</b> Vegetable chilli served with rice <b>Allergens:</b> m/c Glu Wh Bar	<b>CHOICE 2 - H, V, VE</b> Butternut squash parcell with roast potatoes seasonal vegetables and gravy <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh	<b>CHOICE 2 - V, VE</b> Quorn nuggets served with fresh chips <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh

SELECTION OF JACKET POTATOES ARE AVAILABLE EACH DAY: BEANS / CHEESE (MI) / TUNA MAYONNAISE (F E)

<b>DESSERT - V</b> Peaches and ice cream <b>Allergens:</b> Mi	<b>DESSERT - H, W, V, VE</b> Oat biscuit bake with fruit <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh O m/c Bar	<b>DESSERT - H, V, VE</b> Fruit and Jelly	<b>DESSERT - H, V, VE</b> Fruit Platter	<b>DESSERT - H, W, V</b> Old school iced sponge <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh E m/c Bar
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# WEEK 3

W/C - MONDAY: 5TH MAY, 2ND JUNE, 23RD JUNE, 14TH JULY, 8TH SEPT, 29TH SEPT, 20TH OCT

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>CHOICE 1 - H, V</b> Macaroni cheese with garlic bread <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh Mu Mi m/c Se	All day breakfast – choose from meat or climate friendly option  <b>Meat Option - H</b> <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh E Mi  <b>Climate Friendly - V, VE</b> <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh	<b>CHOICE 1 - H, W</b> Spaghetti bolognese <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh Ce m/c Bar	<b>CHOICE 1 - H</b> Roast turkey served with roast potatoes seasonal vegetables and gravy <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh F	<b>CHOICE 1</b> Salmon bites served with fresh chips or wholemeal pasta <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh F
<b>CHOICE 2 - H W V VE</b> Courgette sausage in a hot dog roll with seasoned wedges		<b>CHOICE 2 - H W V VE</b> Quorn dippers served with tomato and vegetable rice <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh	<b>CHOICE 2 - H W V VE</b> Vegetable crumble, roast potatoes seasonal vegetables and gravy <b>Allergens:</b> O m/c Bar	<b>CHOICE 2 - H, V</b> French bread pizza served fresh chips or pasta <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh Mi m/c So
SELECTION OF JACKET POTATOES ARE AVAILABLE EACH DAY: BEANS / CHEESE (MI) / TUNA MAYONNAISE (F E)				
<b>DESSERT - H W V VE</b> Oat biscuits with fruit <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh O Su m/c Bar	<b>DESSERT - H, V</b> Orange jelly and ice cream <b>Allergens:</b> Mi	<b>DESSERT - H W V VE</b> Lemon shortbread with fruit slices <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh m/c Bar	<b>DESSERT - H W V VE</b> Fruit Platter	<b>DESSERT - H, W, V</b> Orange drizzle cake <b>Allergens:</b> Glu Wh E Mi m/c Bar
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## ED'S SPECIAL EVENTS

### APRIL

**CATER® 10TH BIRTHDAY**  
(WEDNESDAY 23RD APRIL)

Homemade sausage rolls (H) Glu Wh  
or French bread pizza (H V) Glu Wh Mi  
served with crispy potato cubes and vegetables

**Dessert**  
Victoria Sponge  
(H V) Glu Wh E

### MAY

**INTERNATIONAL FAMILY DAY**  
(THURSDAY 15TH MAY)

Roast chicken, mini sausages & Yorkshire pudding (H) Glu Wh Mi E  
or Potato and broccoli bake (H V) Mi  
served the roast potatoes gravy and vegetables

**Dessert**  
Trifle  
(H V) Glu Wh Mi

### JUNE

**WIMBLEDON**  
(MONDAY 30TH JUNE)

Tennis meatballs in tomato sauce with net spaghetti (H W) Glu Wh or  
Centre court cheese pizza (H V) Glu Wh Mi

**Dessert**  
Scone and jam  
(H) Glu Wh Mi

### JULY

**SCHOOLS OUT FOR SUMMER**  
(VARIOUS DATES IN JULY)

Beef burger in a roll (H) Glu Wh, Su m/c Se  
with potatoes wedges or Macaroni cheese (H V) Glu Wh Mi Mu So

**Dessert**  
Iced cake with sprinkles  
(H V) Glu Wh E

### SEPTEMBER

**ROALD DAHL DAY**  
(FRIDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER)

The Enormous Crocodile's Crunchy Fish Fingers served with The Twits Chips (H) Glu Wh F  
George's Marvellous Medicine Vegetable Stir Fry (H V) Glu Wh So E m/c Mu Se

**Dessert**  
Wonka bar  
(H V) Glu Wh

### OCTOBER

**HARVEST FESTIVAL DAY**  
(MONDAY 6TH OCTOBER)

Sausage and vegetable pizza slice (H W) Glu Wh Mi  
with potato wedges or Lentil and vegetable shepherd's pie (H V) m/c Glu Wh Bar

**Dessert**  
Apple cake with custard  
(H W V) Glu Wh E

## Free School Meals

You may be entitled to apply for Free School Meals for your child/ren if you receive the following benefits:-

- Universal Credit, Income Support
- Income Based Job Seekers Allowance,
- Income Related Element of Employment and Support Allowance,
- Guaranteed Credit element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (without Working Tax Credit) with an annual income of £16,190 or less

We would urge parents who may be eligible for Free School Meals for the children to apply on-line through the Plymouth City Council website as soon as possible. This is very important, even if your child does not wish to take up the free meal. The register of FSM entitlement affects our overall school budget and we may be missing out on funding as a result.

Please do not confuse this with Universal Free School Meal entitlement for children in Years Reception to Year Two.



## KS2 REN reading word count

The winners of this weeks word count for is:-

**Year 1/2 – Mayflower – 6,878 words**

**Year 3/4 - Mount Batten – 45,043 words**

**Year 5/6 – Raleigh – 127,891 words**



## Keeping in Touch

Can we please remind parents that the vast majority of contact between school and parents is done by telephone or email. Please could you ensure that we are kept updated with your current contact details to enable us to keep in touch with you when needed.

## Parent Pay

Please activate your parent pay account as this allows us to send Newsletters, trip letters and other important information that we may need to convey to you. Please contact the school office if you need assistance.

## Facebook and Website

Please follow us on our Facebook page at Oakwood Primary Academy.  
Please refer to our school website for latest news and calendar dates.

## Email Addresses to Remember

**Year 6 - Raleigh Class** - r.sherrell@discoverymat.co.uk

**Year 5 - Dockyard Class** – s.wieprecht@discoverymat.co.uk or a.blakeston@discoverymat.co.uk

**Year 5/6 Burrator Class** – l.crocker@discoverymat.co.uk or k.harvey@discoverymat.co.uk

**Year 3/4- Mountbatten Class** – k.rust@discoverymat.co.uk

**Year 3/4 - Mt Edgcumbe Class** - a.moore@discoverymat.co.uk

**Year 3/4 - Saltram Class** – t.spencer@discoverymat.co.uk

**Year 1/2 - Mayflower Class** – g.chandler@discoverymat.co.uk

**Year 1/2 - Firestone Class** – j.kelleher@discoverymat.co.uk

**Rec - Smeaton Class** – m.abbott@discoverymat.co.uk