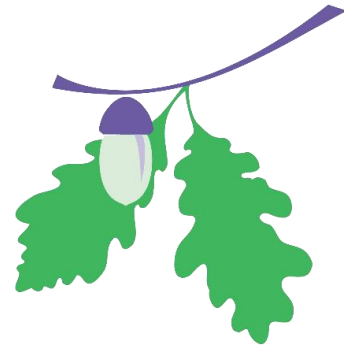


Oak Hill First School

Weekly Update

05/12/2025



Thank you to everyone who attended our first nativity performances this week. The Nursery and Reception children were delightful – they worked so hard, and it really showed in their performances. I'm sorry I couldn't attend all the shows, but I'm certain they were just as amazing!

A gentle reminder: please do not share any images or videos from the performances on social media. If this were to happen, we would need to review our policy, which would be a real shame. Thank you for helping us keep all our children safe.

Next week's highlights



Christmas on top- school uniform bottom



Risks of Sharenting

Please watch this short video that <https://dataprotection.ie/en/children>

Sharing photos, videos, or personal details of children online can unintentionally expose sensitive information, which in the wrong hands can have serious consequences.

Our "Pause Before You Post" Awareness Campaign reminds parents to think carefully before sharing. Common risks include:

- **Digital footprint:** Creating a permanent online record for your child without their consent.
- **Misuse of images:** Photos can be repurposed for harmful purposes, including deepfakes and child sexual abuse material.
- **Unwanted contact:** Metadata in images can reveal locations and routines.
- **Online reputation:** Posts today can lead to bullying or reputational harm later.

- **Identity theft:** Personal details shared online can be exploited for fraud. Barclays predicts sharenting could account for two-thirds of identity fraud by 2030.

Please help us keep children safe by pausing before you post. Together, we can protect their privacy and future.

Safeguarding Focus: Our Duty to Protect Children

At Oak Hill First School, safeguarding is **everyone's responsibility**. Our duty is to ensure that every child feels safe, supported, and able to thrive. This means:

- Creating a secure environment where children can learn and play.
- Training all staff to recognise signs of harm or neglect.
- Acting promptly if we have concerns about a child's welfare.
- Working closely with families and external agencies when needed.

Safeguarding isn't just about responding to concerns—it's about **prevention and partnership**. Two important initiatives help us do this:

Clare's Law (Domestic Violence Disclosure Scheme)

Clare's Law allows individuals to request information from the police about a partner's history of abusive or violent behaviour. This scheme exists to protect adults and children from harm by enabling informed decisions about relationships. If you ever feel concerned about someone's background, you can make a confidential request through the police.

(For more details, visit [GOV.UK Clare's Law guidance](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/clares-law))

Operation Encompass

Operation Encompass is a national initiative that ensures schools are informed—before the start of the next school day—if the police have attended a domestic abuse incident where a child was present. This allows us to provide timely, discreet support to children who may be affected.

(Learn more at [Operation Encompass](https://www.operationencompass.org/))

By working together, we can keep every child safe and supported. If you have any safeguarding concerns, please speak to our **Designated Safeguarding team** or as we like to call them **Safe Guardians!** or any member of staff.



Attendance Matters

“Strong Attendance, Strong Success!”

Nur	RB	RM	RS	1A	1M	1R	2C	2H	2T
91.2%	80.56%	96.46%	93.72%	87.65%	97.12%	88.07%	96.3%	97.41%	90.04%
3B	3C	3D	4E	4H	4R	Whole School			
93.59%	95.02%	88.44%	92.74%	93.42%	98.99%	92.7%			

Congratulations to **4R** for having the highest attendance this week!!!

Awards

	Star Of the Week	Wonderful Writer
Nursery	Sophia Danyal	
RB	Nel	Musa
RM	All of RM	Eleanor
RS	Billy	Wilf
1A	Afsa	Zuzanna
1M	Keanu	Maryam
1R	Ayza	Haider
2C	Eli	Oliver
2H	Aliza	Muhammad
2T	Ivy	Aston
3B	Ayesha	Macy
3C	Michalina	Darim
3D	Wade	Zayn
4E	Harry	Scarlett
4H	Joshua	Evelyn
4R	Cody	Jamie

Please discuss your child's award with them. They will be pleased to share their special achievement!

Dates for your diary!

- 9th Dec – Year 2 Parental Engagement, 11am
- 9th Dec – Year 1 Carol Service in School, 2.15pm
- 10th Dec – Year 3 Christmas Performance, 2.00pm
- 11th Dec – Christmas Jumper Day
- 12th Dec – Santa Dash
- 12th Dec – Year 3 Christmas Performance, 9.30am
- 15th Dec – Year 4 Carol Service @ The Bridge Church, 10am
- 16th Dec – Christmas Dinner Day Reception Year 3 & 4
- 17th Dec – Christmas Dinner Day Year 1 & 2
- 17th Dec – Year 2 Carol Service in School, 9am
- 18th Dec – Christmas Party Day (more details to follow)
- 19th Dec – Aladdin Panto in school (pupils only)
- **19th Dec – Break up for the Christmas Holidays.**
- **6th Jan 2026 – Return to school**



Have a wonderful weekend and we will see you on Monday!