



# OPAG NEWSLETTER

 @OPA\_Greystone

October 2021

## Thank you

A huge thank you to everyone for a fantastic start to the academic year.



Thank you to everyone who attended our parent/carer meetings this week. It was wonderful to see you all and show you the fantastic work your children have produced so far this year.

## Harvest Festival

This year we have had to do our Harvest Festival a little bit differently and we are celebrating with our favourite Harvest songs in assembly. Thank you for your very generous donations this year – we will be donating the produce to a local food bank.



## Twitter

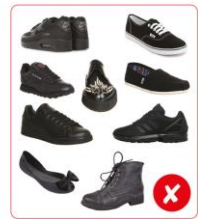
Please follow our school Twitter account and class accounts to see what is happening throughout the Academy. There has been some wonderful work shared which we are very proud of!

@OPA\_Greystone  
@OPAG\_Nur  
@OPAG\_Rec  
@OPAG\_Y1  
@OPAG\_Y2  
@OPAG\_Y3and4  
@OPAG\_Y4and5  
@OPAG\_Y6



## Uniform reminder

A polite reminder that the Outwood Primary Academy Greystone's uniform consists of: purple sweatshirt or cardigan (with school logo); white polo t-shirt; grey skirt or trousers; grey socks or tights and black shoes (**not boots or trainers**).



As the weather is now getting colder, please ensure your child has an outdoor PE kit: black jogging bottoms and a black jumper/hoody.

There is a no jewellery policy in school so please ensure that only sensible wrist watches are worn, no other jewellery is permitted, including **plastic earrings**.

## School Meals

Please see our website link to the new dinner menu commencing from 1<sup>st</sup> November 2021 until 4<sup>th</sup> April 2022.

<https://www.greystone.outwood.com/school-meal-menus>

WEEK 1	WEEK 2	WEEK 3	KEY
<p>MONDAY: Spaghetti Bolognese, Roast Potatoes, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>TUESDAY: Chicken Curry, Rice, Naan Bread, Green Beans, Potatoes</p> <p>WEDNESDAY: Fish &amp; Chips, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>THURSDAY: Beef &amp; Cheddar Pie, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>FRIDAY: Chicken &amp; Mushroom Pie, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>SATURDAY: Roast Chicken, Potatoes, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>SUNDAY: Roast Beef, Yorkshire Pudding, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p>	<p>MONDAY: Spaghetti Bolognese, Roast Potatoes, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>TUESDAY: Chicken Curry, Rice, Naan Bread, Green Beans, Potatoes</p> <p>WEDNESDAY: Fish &amp; Chips, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>THURSDAY: Beef &amp; Cheddar Pie, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>FRIDAY: Chicken &amp; Mushroom Pie, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>SATURDAY: Roast Chicken, Potatoes, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>SUNDAY: Roast Beef, Yorkshire Pudding, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p>	<p>MONDAY: Spaghetti Bolognese, Roast Potatoes, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>TUESDAY: Chicken Curry, Rice, Naan Bread, Green Beans, Potatoes</p> <p>WEDNESDAY: Fish &amp; Chips, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>THURSDAY: Beef &amp; Cheddar Pie, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>FRIDAY: Chicken &amp; Mushroom Pie, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>SATURDAY: Roast Chicken, Potatoes, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p> <p>SUNDAY: Roast Beef, Yorkshire Pudding, Peas, Carrots, Bread</p>	<p><b>KEY</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Available Menu</li> <li>Vegetarian</li> <li>Halal</li> <li>Gluten Free</li> <li>Low Fat</li> <li>Low Carb</li> <li>Low Sugar</li> <li>Low Salt</li> <li>Low Fat &amp; Low Sugar</li> <li>Low Fat &amp; Low Carb</li> <li>Low Fat &amp; Low Sugar &amp; Low Carb</li> <li>Low Fat &amp; Low Sugar &amp; Low Carb &amp; Low Salt</li> <li>Low Fat &amp; Low Sugar &amp; Low Carb &amp; Low Salt &amp; Low Sugar</li> <li>Low Fat &amp; Low Sugar &amp; Low Carb &amp; Low Salt &amp; Low Sugar &amp; Low Salt</li> <li>Low Fat &amp; Low Sugar &amp; Low Carb &amp; Low Salt &amp; Low Sugar &amp; Low Salt &amp; Low Sugar &amp; Low Salt</li> </ul>

### Read Write Inc.

This month, we invited parents from Nursery through to Year 2 to our Phonics information evenings. Thank you to those parents who attended. We hope you found them informative to learn about how we teach your child to read and ways you can support your child at home.



If you were unable to attend or have any questions about your child's reading, please speak with your class teacher or alternatively, Miss Mullery and Mrs Webb.

### Reading Ambassadors

Congratulations to our Reading Ambassadors:

- Y3 – Elijah and Xavier
- Y4 – Sam and Amelia
- Y5 – Darcie and Tyler
- Y6 – Megan and Lottie

Megan and Lottie have already held an assembly to promote our fabulous Reading areas around school and Accelerated Reader.



We now have a book donation point in our library, where children can take home and keep any book they want. If you have any unwanted books you would like to donate for other children to enjoy, please bring them into school.

### Teaching and Learning

Each half-term across the Academy, we begin new topics. The topic for each class for Autumn 2 is as follows:

- Nursery – Celebrations
- Reception – Festivals
- Year 1 – Toys
- Year 2 – Industrialisation
- Year 3/4 – Shang Dynasty
- Year 4/5 – Islamic Civilisation
- Year 6 - Maya Civilisation

### Risk Assessment

Our Risk Assessment is available on the website. Updates will be added that reflect Government Covid guidance so please look out for these. We continue to monitor national and local situations.

<https://www.greystone.outwood.com/covid-19>

### Flu immunisation

The **nasal influenza** vaccination is being offered to all children in Reception and above. If you would like your child to receive this immunisation in school, please ensure your consent form has been submitted. See our website for further information:

<https://www.greystone.outwood.com/posts/2100>

### Key Term dates

- 1<sup>st</sup> November 2021 – Autumn 2 starts
- 16<sup>th</sup> December 2021 – End of term
- 17<sup>th</sup> December 2021 – INSET Day
- 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2022 – Bank Holiday
- 4<sup>th</sup> January 2022 – Children return