

NEWSLETTER

DATE March 2024 Outwood Primary Academy Greystone

UP COMING DATES

Monday 8th April 2024

Return to school

Friday 19th April 2024

Coffee and chat drop in 2:30pm

Monday 13th - Friday 17th May

Key Stage 2 (Y6) SATs week

Thursday 23rd May 2024

Last day of term.

Friday 24th May 2024

Training Day

Monday 3rd June 2024.

Return to school.

Friday 21st June 2024

Sports Day 1pm

Back up date: **Thursday 27th June**

Saturday 29th June 2024

Summer Fair - 1-3pm

Attendance

Target attendance: 97%

Academy Attendance: 95.85%

We currently have 22 children who have maintained 100% attendance since September. This is fantastic!



Please ensure children arrive in school prompt. The gate opens at 8:40am and all children are expected to be in school for register at 8:45am

Yearly Attendance	Yearly Days Missed	Yearly Learning Hours Missed	Learning Hours Missed Over 5 Years
100%	0	0	0
97%	6	30	150
95%	10	50	250
90%	20	100	500
80%	40	200	1000
50%	100	500	2500

Events this half term.

Ogden Trust Science Fair

After winning the in school science investigation competition set by Miss Rorke, a group of Year 5 children went on to represent the academy at a trust Science Fair on 8th March. They travelled to Outwood Academy Redcar where they presented their physics investigation before a group of judges, who then announced them as the primary school winners! We are so proud of the children.

RE Workshop

All children in Years 3 - 6 had the opportunity to participate in a fantastic RE workshop with volunteers from Bethel Church. The children learnt about the acts of John and completed a fun challenge at the end of the session. All children received a pencil gift and the winners of the challenge were then presented with their own book. We also received the gift of a Children's Bible for each.

Diploma

All classes have been busy completing this half terms Dipolma. Some great events were held including the Year 4 sale from their 'Fiver Challenge' and Year 2 Careers Fair in which we had visits from a harpist, fire crew, hairdresser, author and nurse to name a few.

Upcoming Events

Coffee and Chat

We would like to know more about how we can support our families both in school and out in the wider community. We will be holding a coffee and chat session on

Friday 19th April at 2:30pm in the bungalow and hope to see some of you there to discuss how we can drive our school forward.

Coffee • Conversation • Community



Summer Fair

We will be holding a Summer Fair towards the end of next term to help raise funds for school to support the enriching of our curriculum. It would be fantastic if we could have a small working party of parents to help with organising the event. If you are able to offer your help in anyway please get in touch with school. We will be holding a planning meeting next half term. Details will follow.



Happy Easter

Thank you to all our OPAG families for your continued support to school. We hope you have a lovely Easter holiday and we look forward to seeing you for the start of the Summer Term.



Safeguarding Lead: Mrs S McCarthy