

# The Oakwood Branch: Term 1 Week 1



## HEADTEACHER HEADLINES

The first two days of term flew by and it was an absolute pleasure to have all our pupils back in school! Each new class has kick-started the term by focusing on positive behaviour and embedding strong class norms and routines. Every classroom the senior leadership team visited was filled with focus and aspiration for a fantastic year ahead.

A huge welcome to our new reception and nursery families! Within our EYFS Foundation Village, again, all children have settled in brilliantly across the first few days and staff report just how resilient and positive they have all been! We have really appreciated parent support to have all reception starters in full-time and as always, would love to hear any feedback in person! I look forward to sharing more updates in the coming weeks!

Mrs Morgan



## PARENT & COMMUNITY NOTICES

We're pleased to be sharing a few updates, as we embark upon the new school year; an additional letter is being shared with parents to remind and highlight key changes to our: school day timings, behaviour policy and parent code of conduct. Do keep your eyes peeled for this. I hope you'll find the information useful!

A huge thank you to all parents who took time to complete our parent survey at the end of the Summer term. Your views have helped us to shape our school improvement priorities, and again, I look forward to sharing key updates around this with you shortly!



## IMPORTANT DATES & REMINDERS

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> October:  
Parents' Evenings

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> October: School Photos

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October: End of term 1

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November: Start of term 2

**Here's a link to our:**  
**[School Calendar 2025-26](#)**



## WHAT'S GOING ON IN YEAR 1?



This year, our transition from reception to year one is being wholly supported by replication of an Early Years approach. In the first two days of term, our year one classes have been enjoying their new outdoor space and continuous provision. All children have made a great start settling into school routines in the main school building.



Do check out our new school [website](#):



## LUNCH MENU

**FOOD FESTIVAL**  
By Aspens

**LUNCHTIME**

TRADITIONAL  
Week 3

Spring Summer  
2025  
05/05/25, 26/05/25,  
16/06/25, 07/07/25,  
28/07/25, 18/08/25,  
08/09/25, 29/09/25,  
20/10/25

	THE MAIN EVENT	MEAT-FREE MAGIC Veggie Dish	RAINBOW ALLEY Vegetables and Salads	BIG TOPPING Fries Jackets	DESSERT TROLLEY
<b>MONDAY</b>	BBQ Sweetcorn Pizza Slice with Wedges	Macaroni Cheese	Green Salad	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Strawberry Frozen Yoghurt
<b>TUESDAY</b>	Cheesy Meatball Bake Topped with Mash	Veggie Shepherdless Pie	Green Beans	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Coconut Cookie
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	Roast Chicken, Stuffing, Skin on Roasties and Gravy	Cheese and Potato Pie with Skin on Roasties	Carrots and Peas	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Peach and Pineapple Jelly
<b>THURSDAY</b>	Lasagne	Vegetable Ratatouille with Rice	Sweetcorn	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Toffee Apple Crumble and Custard
<b>FRIDAY</b>	Golden Fish Fingers and Chips	Vegetable Fingers and Chips	Baked Beans	Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo	Brookie (Brownie & Cookie Mix)

DAILY SALAD BOWL,  
FRESHLY BAKED BREAD,  
YOGHURTS AND  
CUT FRUIT  
AVAILABLE DAILY

PASTA  
TWIRLER  
AVAILABLE  
EVERY DAY  
Topped Pasta  
Hot Pasta  
topped with  
Homemade  
Tomato Sauce &  
Cheese