

Monday 31st October 2022 - Training Day, school closed to pupils

Monday 31st October 2022 - Deadline for Year 6 Secondary school applications & Hatton Fair Banding applications

Tuesday 1st November 2022 - First Day of Term 2

Friday 4th November 2022 - School Council Cake Sale

Tuesday 8th November 2022 - Parents Evening 3.30pm to 6.40pm

Wednesday 9th November 2022 - Parents Evening 3.30pm to 5.40pm

Tuesday 8th November 2022 - EYFS Open Day Sessions

Tuesday 29th November 2022 - EYFS Open Day Sessions

Appointments for Parents evenings can be made via ParentMail or by ringing the school office—don't miss the opportunity to meet with your child's teacher to discuss their progress.

Due you have a child due to start school Sept 2023?

Join us at one of our Reception Open sessions where we will be delighted to show you our EYFS spaces including our new EYFS outside area! Tours will take place on

Tuesday 8th November at 9.30am and 1.15pm

and

Tuesday 29th November at 9.30am, 1.15pm and 4pm

Please call 01933 678714 or email admin@oakwayacademy.org.uk to book a place!

Applications should be made online via the North Northamptonshire website found [here](#)

HARVEST FESTIVAL

Thank you to everyone who sent in harvest produce on Friday as part of our Harvest Festival. We have received lots of goodies



that we shall be passing onto the Wellingborough food bank. Thank you for supporting such a great cause.

Meet our new School Council for 2022!



Year 1 - Miruna, George, Frankee.

Year 2 – Billie-Jo, Tegan, Amelia K

Year 3 – Lucian, Simeon, Matei

Year 4 –Stanislav, Elsie, Lena

Year 5 –Mikel, Mihai, Julia, Alex

Year 6 – Richard, Sean, Maja, Myah, Skyla.

This years school council representatives from across the whole school have decided to support Young Minds Charity. Young Minds work to support young people with their mental health and also offer support to parents. More information about them can be found on their website at <https://www.youngminds.org.uk/>. There will be a cake sale on Friday 4th November 2022 in The Lodge, 3.30pm to 4pm to help raise money for this amazing charity.

Parents Survey Feedback

Thank you to those parents who took the time to complete the recent parents survey . Below is a summary of the responses:

- ⇒ My child is happy at Oakway— **94% agree**
- ⇒ My child feels safe at Oakway—**96% agree**
- ⇒ The school makes sure its pupils are well behaved—**91% agree**
- ⇒ The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year—**81% agree** (Please find more information by clicking [here](#))
- ⇒ When I have raised concerns they have been dealt with properly—**88% agree**
- ⇒ My child has SEND & the school gives them the support they need to succeed—**93% agree**
- ⇒ Oakway has high expectations for my child—**91% agree**
- ⇒ My child does well at school—**95% agree**
- ⇒ The school lets me know how my child is doing—**86% agree**
- ⇒ There is a good range of subjects available to my child—**96% agree**
- ⇒ I know how to support my child's learning—**92% agree**
- ⇒ I would recommend Oakway to another parent—**89% agree**
- ⇒ I know how to report a safeguarding concern—**89% agree**
- ⇒ My child can take part in clubs & activities at this school —**97% agree**

We are expecting an OFSTED inspection in the near future and we want to show the inspectors that Oakway Academy is a good school. That children behave well and have access to a good education.

With over 100 responses to our survey this will help us to show them that parents feel that Oakway is a good school.

Thank you for your support!



Meet the Senior Leadership Team



Mrs Claire Byron
Principal



Mrs Angie Aitken
Vice Principal
Phase Leader Years 5 & 6



Mr James Hollingsworth
Vice Principal
Phase Leader Years 3 & 4



Miss Becky Owen
Assistant Principal
Phase Leader Years 1 & 2



Mrs Laura Mutlow
Assistant Principal
Lead DSL & PE Lead



Mrs Vicky Lochridge
Early Years Lead



Mrs Kate Pettifer
Business Manager

Feedback from one respondent was that they didn't know who all of the Senior leadership team were or how to contact them.

Parents wishing to contact a member of the Senior Leadership Team can do so by email via admin@oakwayacademy.org.uk or by ringing the school office on 01933 678714 to make an appointment. Alternatively you may see staff out on the playground at the start and end of the school day.

BULLYING

DEFINITION



Repeated, unwanted, aggressive behaviour which hurts someone on purpose, where there is a power imbalance.

Bullying can be social, physical, verbal or cyber.



Children and families can report concerns, including bullying:

- Worry boxes in every classroom
- Feelings displays in every classroom
- Speaking to a member of the Welfare Team
- Speaking to a Senior Leader
- Emailing the Admin Team on admin@oakwayacademy.org.uk