



Wear It Pink Day!
Friday 20th October 23

On Friday 20th October we are holding a 'Wear it Pink' day to raise money for Breast Cancer awareness. It will be a £1 mufti day - with the theme of wear it pink (of course!)

We are also having a cake sale straight after school for this and we would like to have as many donations as possible! I know times are tough and money can be tight but if you are able to bake or donate a cake or cakes this would be amazing and will help us to raise as much money as possible for this cause! Donations of cake can be bought to the office or the Square on the morning of the 20th October.

Thank you for your support.

Oakway have been Awarded the Primary Science Quality Mark!

Primary Science Quality Marks have been awarded to 425 nursery, infant, junior, primary, middle, international and special schools this month to celebrate their commitment to excellence in science leadership, teaching and learning. We are delighted to have been awarded this for the third time in recognition of all the amazing work that happens in school to develop science. The Primary Science Quality Mark is led by the University of Hertfordshire.

Congratulations to everyone who worked hard



to achieve this
award!

Please keep us updated with your contact details!

Please can we remind parents to keep us updated with emergency contact details including emails, phone numbers and also collection details for your child.

If someone new is going to be collecting your child from school please ring the office before 3pm to inform us to avoid delays in releasing your child to the person collecting.

Thank you for your support with this.

Parking Reminder!

Please can we remind parents to park safely and considerately when dropping off and picking up children from school.

It is **NOT OK** to park on the zig zag lines, across a residents driveway, or in the turning circle even if just for '2 minutes'.

Please consider the local residents & children's safety when parking.

Thank you.

Do you have a child due to start school in 2024?

Applications are now open for children due to start school next year. We shall be holding tours of our early years on

Monday 6th November at 9.30am—10.30am

Saturday 11th November at 9.30am—11am

To book a place please ring the office or book via this link

[Tours for September 2024 intake \(office.com\)](#)

Applications should be made via the NNC website [here](#)

Is your child in Year 6?

If your child is in Year 6 you need to make an application for their secondary school place for next year by Tuesday 31st October.

Applications should be made online via the NNC website which can be found [here](#).

If you need support with making your child's application, please speak to the school office and we will be happy to help you with the process.

Just a reminder that if you want your child to go to Hatton, you must submit an application for the fair banding test which can be found [here](#).

Dates for your diary

- 19th October**—Flu Vaccinations for pupils
- 20th October**—'Wear it Pink' mufti & cake sale in aid of Breast Cancer awareness
- 23rd—27th October**—half term
- 30th October**—School reopens to pupils
- 31st October**—Deadline for Year 6 secondary applications
- 1st November**—Parents evening 3.50 —6.20pm
- 2nd November**—Parents evening 3.50 —6.20pm
- 3rd November**—Harvest festival mufti
- 6th November**—Tours of Early Years for Sept 24 intake 9.30am
- 11th November**—Tours of Early Years for Sept 24 intake 9.30am—11am
- 17th November**—Child in Need mufti
- 20th November**—KS2 Panto—Jack & the Beanstalk
- 12th December**—Early Years panto trip to the Castle