



NEWSLETTER

Children First
OUTWOOD
PRIMARY ACADEMY KIRKHAMGATE

30th June 2022



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UP COMING DATES



Monday 4th July - Sports day (weather permitting)
Thursday 14th July – Transition day (further details to follow)
Thursday 21st – Y6 Leaver’s assembly
Friday 22nd July – Break up
Monday 25th July - Inset Day
Tuesday 26th July - Inset Day

Mental Health

For support with Mental Health visit our website and click the green button or click this link:



Sports Day - 4th July

We are really excited to welcome you back to our first sports day since the pandemic. Please be prepared for all weathers, ensuring your child has a bottle of water and is wearing sun cream and / or a sunhat if it is hot and sunny. If the weather is bad, we may have to postpone to another date but we will let you know if this happens.

Year 4 Multiplication Success

We would like to congratulate all of Year 4 for their fantastic efforts leading up to their multiplication test and for their terrific results. We are so proud of everyone.



Road Safety Campaign

Academy Parliament’s road safety campaign, to create a 20mph zone outside school, has really gained momentum. We have been collecting signatures via our online petition, in the playground and also by visiting local residents with Andrea Jenkyns MP. The children also enjoyed using speed cameras to check the speed of cars driving past our school and talking to the police officers about road safety. Our next step is to hand in the petition to the Council Highways Department.



Anti -Bullying

In assembly and in our Time To sessions we have been talking about anti-bullying and learnt that it is important to recognise that bullying means a deliberate act 'Several Times On Purpose' (STOP) and what to do if you are worried about bullying. Click the link to access the NSPCC bullying / cyberbullying pages for advice:

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/what-is-child-abuse/types-of-abuse/bullying-and-cyberbullying/>



Be Safe In The Sun

At this time of year we hope for long days of glorious sunshine, but we must also be aware of ensuring we are safe in the sun. Please send your child to school with a bottle of water and perhaps a sun hat. Also, you may wish to apply sun cream before your child arrives at school.



Super Subject Assemblies

We have loved sharing some of our children’s fabulous learning in special assemblies. In our art sharing assembly, we talked about the different artists from across the globe that we have been learning about and then the children shared their work with pride. In our science sharing assembly, we enjoyed seeing the children’s work and were impressed at the wide range of scientific knowledge and skills across the academy. In our PE assembly, the children shared their favourite PE lessons and demonstrated skills they had learnt over the year.

A huge thank you to all of our fantastic subject leads who have inspired the children and raised the profile of their subjects. Please visit our Twitter for lots more pictures.



Cool Food Pledge

Our Eco-Committee have been working alongside ISS, our catering company, to introduce The Cool Food Pledge (a commitment to reduce greenhouse gas emissions associated with the food it serves globally by 25 percent by 2030). They have begun their sustainability project to reduce food waste by carrying out a survey to discover which vegetables everyone likes and dislikes.

