



Headteacher Update



2025 - 2026

General Update – Friday 5th June

The first week of the final summer term is already over, the year has flown by – 7 more weeks to go. They are a busy 7 weeks with so many exciting opportunities for our children but also many opportunities for parents to join us in school. Please see the dates below.

Monday 8th June – 2:15 OPAL Parent Open Afternoon

We are inviting pupils to come to school in **OPAL** colour on Monday as a part of our fundraising and parent open afternoon. All pupils are being asked to bring £1 donation to allow us to purchase new OPAL resources based on the pupil voice recently collected. We look forward to seeing many of you there.



Conduct in the community

As a school we work incredibly hard to help our children understand the importance of how they conduct themselves within our community, this includes before and after school. We ask all parents to support us in giving the message about speaking respectfully to others, being aware of surroundings and chosen activities and safe walking/cycling. Yesterday all Year 5 and Year 6 pupils had a visit from the police reiterating this same message.

School times

School Gates open at 8:40 – before this time, school are not responsible for the pupils that are left unsupervised by their parents on the path or outside school ground; our responsibility starts when pupils arrive through the gate between 8:40 and 8:50 and continues until they leave at 3:20.

School Gates close at 8:50 – if your child arrives after this time, they are late to school and will need to sign in at the office. Parents who are with their child will be asked to sign them in – please know your child's class number and class teacher.

School Gates open at 3:20 for the end of the school day. All pupils in Foundation Stage and Key Stage 1 must be collected by someone over the age of 16.

Options available after school for onsite childcare are:

OLD BASFORD SCHOOL

STAY AND PLAY CLUB

EVERY DAY 3:20 - 4:15
OPEN TO F2 - YEAR 6 OBS PUPILS

£3.50 PER DAY
JUICE AND BISCUIT PROVIDED
RAN BY OBS STAFF IN OUR
COMMUNITY COTTAGE

PUPILS WILL USE THE SCHOOL GROUNDS AND
COMMUNITY COTTAGE TO PLAY.

BOOK IN ADVANCE OR ON THE
DAY BY CONTACTING THE
SCHOOL OFFICE

IF PUPILS ARE COLLECTED AFTER 4:15,
THE FULL AFTER SCHOOL CLUB CHARGE
OF £12 WILL BE ISSUED.

OBS After School Club

Open daily 3:20 - 6:00
£12 per day - £60 per week
OBS Community Cottage
Open to Foundation 2
(class 1 and class 2)
through to Year 6

What is OBS After School Club?

- children having a snack (like beans on toast, sandwich, cheese and crackers)
- children playing games with peers
- children being supervised by known adults
- children using the school grounds and community cottage to play in
- children reading to an adult or completing homework

CONTACT THE OFFICE FOR MORE INFORMATION
AND BOOK A PLACE

Safe parking

I am once again reminding all parents who are dropping off and collecting pupils to park legally, safely and respectfully. We do not currently have Maggie as crossing patrol so we need to be extra aware of pupils crossing the road and ensuring they are safe.

Summer 2

Week Beginning	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8 th June Y1 Phonics Screening checks Year 4 Multiplication checks	All (parents) OPAL Open afternoon 2:15	F2 (pupils) White Post Farm visit	INSET DAY – school closed to pupils	School Class Photos (Pupils)	Y2 (pupils) Attenborough Nature Reserve visit
15 th June	Y6 (pupils) Fire Station visit (more details to follow)	Y4 (pupils) Tennis Centre visit	Year 5 Walesby (pupils)	Year 5 Walesby (pupils) Year 4 Walesby (pupils) Y3 (parents) camp meeting 2:45pm Y2 (parents) camp meeting 3:30pm	Year 4 Walesby (pupils)
22 nd June		Y3 (parents) showcase of work 3:00pm	Year 6 PGL Dearne Valley (pupils) Nursery (parents) Stay and Play 9:00am	Year 6 PGL Dearne Valley (pupils)	Year 6 PGL Dearne Valley (pupils)

			F2 (parents) come & read 2:45pm		
29th June	Y5 (pupils) Science Day @ Ellis Guilford School		Summer Fair 3:30 – 4:30pm (parents)	Willow (parents) sports morning 9:00am Y5 (parents) showcase of work 3:00pm	
6th July			Meet the New Teacher Day Year 3 Camp – overnight @OBS (pupils)	Year 5 (parents) PGL residential meeting (Y6 trip to learn all about it) 3:30pm Year 2 Camp – overnight @OBS (pupils)	
13th July	Class 14 (pupils) End of school celebration @ Bulwell Gardens		Y4 & Y5 (pupils) Fun Run @ Ellis Guilford School Y6 (pupils) End of school celebration @ Bulwell Gardens		

			Class 13 (parents & pupils) End of Year Show 6:00pm		
20th July		F2 PROUD assembly (parents) 9:00am Y2 PROUD assembly (parents) 2:45pm	Y1 PROUD assembly (parents) 9:00am Y4 PROUD assembly (parents) 2:45pm Year 6 pupils leavers disco 6:00 – 8:00pm	Y3 PROUD assembly (parents) 9:00am F1 PROUD assembly (parents) 10:50am Y5 PROUD assembly (parents) 2:45pm	Year 6 Leavers Assembly (Y6 parents) 9:00am School finishes at 3:20 for the Summer break
Summer Holidays					