



# Newsletter

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## *End of year message from the headteacher*

We have made it to the final week of the academic year, and its hard to believe its also the end of my first year. I have thoroughly enjoyed my first year as headteacher at Old Park Primary and Nursery and I would like to take this opportunities to say thank you to everyone for making me feel so welcome. It has been a privilege and a pleasure to get to know everyone this year and it has been amazing to see how far all the pupils have come both in their academic achievements but also their social developments and friendships. There hasn't been a day when the pupils haven't made to smile or laugh by the pupils, they are all a real credit to you in terms of their hard work, behaviour and manners. They have embraced all the opportunities provided to them this year and showed real resilience and determination along the way. I am very proud of everything they have achieved this year, and I am sure that this will continue as they continue their journey with us.

There are some pupils ending their journey with us this week, mainly Year 6, but there others in other year groups moving schools or out the area. I wish everyone leaving Old Park this week the very best for the future and as you all have the potential to achieve amazing things if you continue to try your best and never give up!

I hope that some of you can join us at the end of the day toady to come into school and see all the amazing work the pupils have done this year during our open afternoon. This takes place from 3:20pm onwards in the pupils' classrooms.

A reminder that pupils finish for the summer holidays on Friday 19th July as Monday 22nd July is a teacher training day. All pupils return to school on Tuesday 3rd September ready for the start of the autumn term (Monday 2nd September is a teacher training day).

I wish everyone a happy and safe summer holiday that is filled with great adventures and lots of rest ready to take on the new academic year in September. Best wishes.

## **ATTENDANCE** CHALLENGE

Congratulations to the following classes for beating the 96% attendance target last week.

**FW, 1J, 3P, 4H, 5C and 5F**

A special well done to **5F** who had the highest attendance during that this week.

## *Old Park's Got Talent*

On Thursday 18th July we will be hosting our annual Old Park's Got Talent competition throughout the day. Pupils have been auditing and rehearsing for this over the past couple of weeks and we cant wait to see the performances.

**All pupils can come to school in non-uniform on Thursday 18th July.**

