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Oxley Primary Sch

A celebration of learning at our wonderful school



Special Recognition

Dear Parents and Carers,

Friday 9th July, 2026

As we come to the end of the school year, we feel so proud of our children and all they have brought to school life. Their kindness, brilliance and "I can" attitudes have made our days bright and positive, and it has been a joy to see these qualities shining through every day.

We say goodbye to our Year 6 pupils; we are so proud of everything you have achieved. You have grown up in so many ways, and it has been a privilege to see that journey unfold. We shall miss you, but we wish you the best of luck on your next adventure. Go smash it, Year 6!

We also say a fond farewell to Miss Milner (senior), who leaves us for a new adventure. We are so grateful for the support, care and dedication she has given the school and our children. The children and staff shall miss her immensely, but we are excited as you embark on pastures new. Best wishes Miss Milner!

We also say goodbye to Miss Milner (junior), who, after completing her Learning Support Assistant apprenticeship at Oxley (gaining a distinction!), is commencing a new role in one of the schools within our BeSkilled partnership. They are lucky to have you, Miss Milner; we wish you the best of luck in your new role.

We also bid farewell to Mrs Rose, one of our amazing midday supervisors. Mrs Rose is retiring after 6 years at Oxley, and we wish you all the best on your exciting adventures in retirement. Thank you for all your years of dedication to the children at Oxley.

Finally, I wanted to express my huge thanks to all the staff for their hard work and commitment to our children this year. A big thank you to you also, our parents and carers, for your support. I wish you all an enjoyable summer, and we look forward to welcoming our children back to school on Monday 24th August.

Kindest regards,

Mr Caldwell



Be Kind

Be Brilliant

Have an
I can
attitude



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CIAO GOODBYE adieu! adios!



It has been an absolute privilege to watch our Year 6 children grow into the incredible young people and role models they are today. From their very first days in Reception with Miss Shelton to taking to the stage in their unforgettable end-of-year production, they have made us proud every step of the way.

Throughout their time at Oxley, they have shown remarkable resilience, determination and perseverance, but above all, they have shown kindness. Being Brilliant and embracing an 'I can' attitude has become second nature to this special group, and we could not be prouder of everything they have achieved.

You truly shone in School-O-Vision, performing with confidence, energy and professionalism, and your enterprise project has firmly set the benchmark for future Year 6 classes. After all that hard work, it was only right to celebrate with plenty of pizza, ice creams and a well-earned chippy lunch!

As you leave Oxley behind and begin your next chapter, remember that you will always be part of the Oxley family. Keep being kind, keep believing in yourselves and never lose the determination that has brought you this far. We wish each and every one of you every success and happiness as you run, skip and jump into your next adventure. We know you will go on to achieve amazing things, and we cannot wait to hear about all that the future holds for you.



#TeamWater Makes a Splash!



EYFS & KS1



What a fantastic couple of Sports Days we enjoyed with both our KS2 and EYFS & KS1 children! Across both events, we witnessed incredible determination, resilience, teamwork and sportsmanship, with every child giving their best and embracing the true spirit of the games. A huge congratulations to #TeamWater, who were crowned champions on both days—what an achievement! A very special thank you goes to Mr Caldwell, whose outstanding organisation ensured every detail was taken care of,

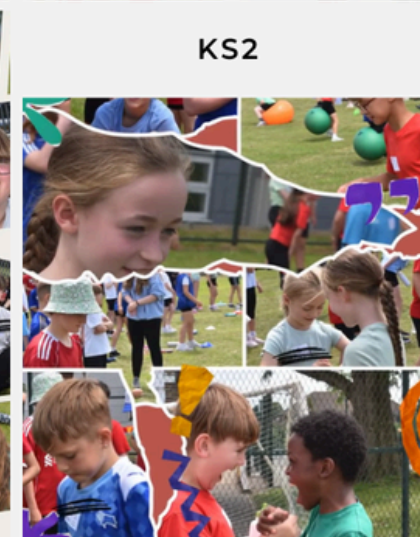


KS2



as well as to our wonderful staff and sports coaches for their support and encouragement throughout. We are also incredibly grateful to all the parents and carers who came along to cheer the children on and create such a fantastic atmosphere. Finally, thank you to every single child for taking part with such enthusiasm, respect and determination.

You made both Sports Days a wonderful celebration of teamwork, effort and fun, and we couldn't be prouder of you all!



A picture's worth a thousand words - DISCO!



What a fantastic evening we had at our Summer Disco!

The fun began with our fabulous KS1 disco, complete with a conga line, plenty of dancing and double ice lollies! Then it was time for our KS2 party, where the celebrations continued with an extra-special treat—a final performance of one of the songs from the Year 6 production. What a way to end the evening!

A huge thank you to #TeamOxley for giving up their Friday evening to organise such a brilliant event, and for keeping the dance floor full while looking after our amazing children. We couldn't do it without you!



Let's Rock! 🎵

On Monday, some of our talented children took to the stage for our Rock Steady Concert, performing for their families and the rest of the school in a fantastic Rock 'n' Roll extravaganza! 🎸🎤

Their confidence and enthusiasm shone through in every performance, and it was truly magical to watch each band—from our youngest musicians to our oldest—showcase just how much they have grown in skill and self-belief throughout the year.

A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who were able to join us and cheer on our amazing performers. What a brilliant celebration of music and achievement! 🎵



Oxley's Got Talent!



LET'S CELEBRATE!

One of our favourite events of the year—and it certainly didn't disappoint! 🌟🎤

We had an absolute blast and are so incredibly proud of every child who auditioned in their classes and made it through to the semi-finals. This year's talent show had it all, from Japanese singing and incredible solo performances to long-awaited trios and even some amazing hula hooping!

Our fantastic morning was made even more special by our judging panel of Mr Caldwell, Mrs Robe and Sofia, last year's worthy winner, who had the very difficult job of choosing between so many outstanding acts.

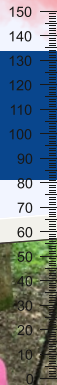
A huge congratulations to our winners, Eric and Rhys, who took the top spot, Luka, who achieved a fantastic second place, and our ever-entertaining resident performer, Louis, who secured third place.

Well done to every single performer for stepping onto the stage with such confidence, courage and talent—you made us all incredibly proud! 🎉👏

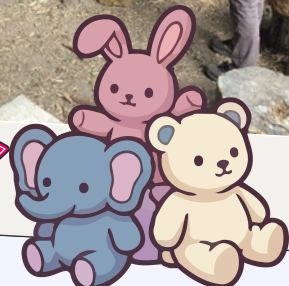
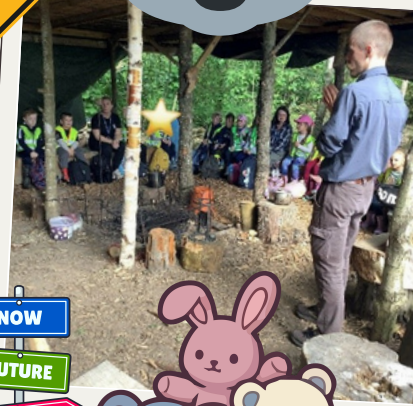




A celebration of our learning



Penguins and Koalas



What a fantastic final half term we have had in Penguin and Koala Class!

We have continued exploring our topic, Toys, and the children have loved learning about toys from the past and present. They have enjoyed comparing how toys have changed over time and sharing stories about their own favourite toys.

In English, we have been reading *This Is the Bear*. The children have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know the characters, discussing the events of the story and retelling it in their own words. They have also shown wonderful imagination by writing their own versions featuring a brand-new toy!

In maths, our EYFS children have been developing their confidence with numbers by recalling number facts through practical activities and fun games. Our Year 1 children have been learning about measurement, exploring length, height, weight and capacity. One of the highlights of the half term was our fantastic Forest School visit. The children demonstrated excellent listening skills, teamwork and enthusiasm throughout the day. They loved exploring the natural environment, taking part in hands-on activities and developing their confidence outdoors.

As another successful year comes to an end, we would like to congratulate every child on their hard work, kindness and enthusiasm for learning. It has been a joy to watch their confidence grow, and we know they are more than ready for the exciting challenges ahead in their new classes.

We hope you all have a wonderful, relaxing and well-deserved summer break!



Meerkats and Owls



What a fun-filled end to the school year we have had!

We rounded off our English unit on Esio Trot with a very special visit from Mrs Grainger and her pet tortoises, Jeff and Doris. Each class had the opportunity to meet them, feed them, bathe them and even hold them! Inspired by our visitors, we then wrote instructions explaining how to make a delicious salad fit for a hungry tortoise.

In Maths, we have been exploring position and measurement through practical activities, making the most of the glorious summer weather. In History, we have enjoyed learning about our local area and discovering famous people from our community, past and present.

We have also been busy sewing waistcoats in DT, expressing our creativity in Art and visiting the polytunnel in Science to compare bulbs and seeds. It has been a fantastic year, and we are incredibly proud of everything the children have achieved. We hope you all have a wonderful, restful and well-deserved summer break!



Leopards, Flamingos, and Tigers

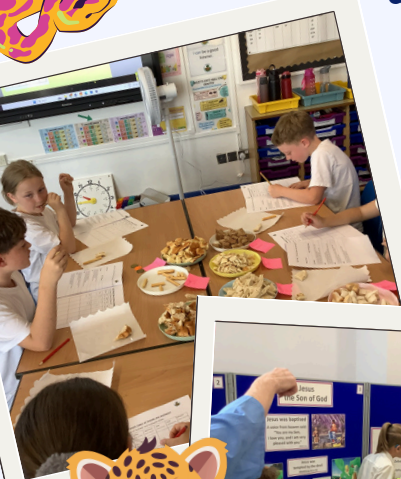
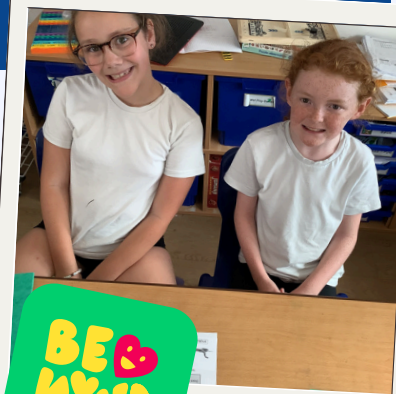
What a fantastic end to another wonderful year we have had! In DT, we have loved developing our skills through our bread project, exploring different techniques, learning new processes and enjoying the creativity involved in making and evaluating our final products.

In Geography, we investigated the question, "Why are jungles so wet and deserts so hot?" We enjoyed researching different climates around the world and created some fantastic presentations to share our discoveries.

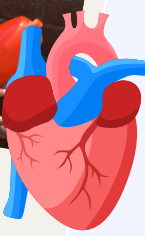
In RE, we explored the kind of world Jesus would want us to build, with thoughtful discussions about kindness, fairness and showing care for others. We reflected on how we can all make a positive difference in our communities.

Maths has been full of exciting challenges this term as we developed our understanding of time and money, with plenty of practical activities to help bring our learning to life. In Science, we investigated different habitats, visited the polytunnel to learn about plant growth and became food chain detectives, exploring how changes in one part of a food chain can affect the wider environment.

Although we were disappointed that our Linking Network visit to Evington Valley was cancelled, we were delighted to meet our new friends through a video call. It has been wonderful to build these friendships throughout the year, and we hope to stay connected. We are incredibly proud of everything the children have achieved this year. Thank you for all your hard work, enthusiasm and kindness. We hope you all have a wonderful, relaxing and well-deserved summer break—we can't wait to hear all about your adventures in September!



Quokkas, Foxes and Lions



What a fantastic and busy term it has been for our Year 5 and Year 6 children! They have shown creativity, resilience and enthusiasm across every area of the curriculum. In Design Technology, pupils designed colourful Ancient Maya headdresses and masks, while in Computing they created their own Scratch games, developing coding and problem-solving skills. In English, they completed their study of Holes before exploring poetry through Cloud Busting, producing some excellent writing and expressive performances.

Geography lessons focused on rivers and how they change from source to mouth, alongside learning about how the Isle of Dogs has evolved over time. Science was a real highlight as the children explored the circulatory system, culminating in an unforgettable pig's heart dissection.

In PE, pupils developed their athletics and volleyball skills, showing excellent teamwork and determination, while Music lessons saw them mastering beatboxing techniques and building confidence in performance. In PSHE, they reflected thoughtfully on change and how to approach new challenges and transitions with confidence.

We are incredibly proud of everything Year 5 and Year 6 have achieved this term. Well done to all of our children for their hard work, enthusiasm and positive attitudes, and we wish you all a wonderful summer!