Oakham Shires School

Bringing learning for life to life

November 2024

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Clothing reminder:

Please send your child into school in appropriate, warmer clothing for the coming months.

If your child enjoys a hot drink during the day, please send them to school with a secure travel mug.

Weekly Newsletter

Autumn Term 1

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We have come to the end of term one and what a wonderful term it has been.

The students have learned about and taken part in many valuable activities that they should be very proud of, such as: Macmillan Coffee Morning, NSPCC Kindness Challenge, World Mental Health Day, Dyslexia Awareness Week, Black History Month, Recycling Week, Diwali and many more. We're looking forward to another term of fun-filled learning opportunities. Have a wonderful half term break and we're looking forward to welcoming the students back to school for Autumn Term 2 on Monday 4th November 2024.

Flu season

The colder months have soon approached us and winter illnesses are very common, particularly in schools. Please remember to wash hands as much as possible and clean down surfaces regularly. If your child has had the vomiting and diarrhoea bug, they must remain absent from school for 48 hours after their last bout of sickness or diarrhoea to ensure they are clear of germs before returning to school.

Each day your child is off school, you must communicate their absence to Hannah in the office. Hannah's email address is: Hannah.benson@theshires.org.uk

6 DAILY HABITS
to help prevent the spread of many viruses

Physical contact
Avoid close contact with people who are sick.

Keep hands clean
Wash your hands often with soap and warm water for 15 seconds.

Avoid touching face
Try to avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.

Have a cough or cold?
Cough or sneeze into your elbow, not your hand.

Clean surfaces
Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces.

Feeling sick?
Stay home when you're sick and keep sick children home from school.

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Take a look at our termly SWAY newsletter: https://sway.cloud.microsoft/Ih2uH8U2hFc2oh8m?