Offenham C E First School

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Newsletter – 20th November 2026

LOVE, TRANSFORMATION, GROWTH. 'Growing deep roots. Producing good fruit'

BAKE SALE – Thank you for all your delicious goodies. We raised 166.30 for Toilet Twinning meaning we can sponsor almost 3 toilets!



Friends of Offenham Church

Winter Wonderland Festival

27th & 28th November

Non-Uniform Day on Thursday 26th November in exchange for bringing a chocolate item.

COMING UP...

Monday –KS2 Swimming / Fitness Club

Tuesday –Rockstars Choir / Art Club

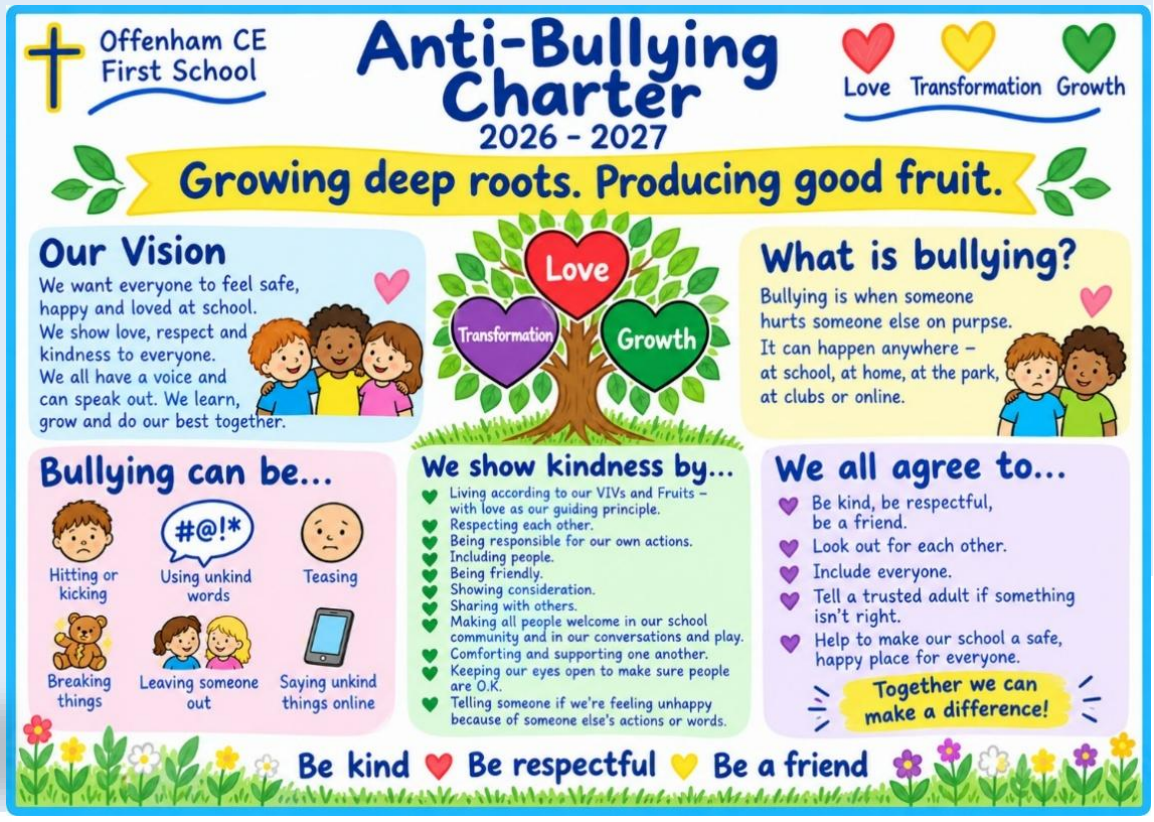
Wednesday – Party Games

Thursday – Non-Uniform Day / Drama / Story Explorers *(last session)*



ODD SOCKS DAY –To celebrate our differences and the uniqueness of every person we wore odd socks today as part of our thinking and learning for Anti-bullying week. We have an anti-bullying charter at our school that everyone has signed up to. We know how important it is for everyone to feel loved, safe and that they belong. Thinking about friendship, kindness and speaking out against bullying has been a great reminder to us all.





Here is our KS1 anti-bullying charter. KS2 have one with a few more words.

TALENT SHOWCASES

Mrs Wilde's Student Music Showcase - 2pm on 2nd December

Drama Club Demo – 4pm on 3rd December

Rockstars Choir Demo – 4pm on 8th December





This week in Malvern Class…

Nativity rehearsals are in full swing for Malvern and Avon classes, and we are so proud of the children.

Everyone has learned their lines brilliantly. Some of the children have clearly been practising at home, and it shows. Even our smallest speaking parts have been delivered loudly and proudly and the children have been looking out for each other, whispering a word to a friend who's stuck.

The dancing has been a real highlight. There has been plenty of energy, lots of smiling, and some very impressive concentration while everyone remembers their actions. We've had a few wobbles and a lot of giggles, but that's half the fun!

We are also very impressed with how quickly everyone has learned the songs. The children are singing with such enthusiasm, and don't be surprised if you hear them on the way home from school or at bedtime!

Thank you for all your help with lines so far. We can't wait to see you all at the Nativity very soon.



BEST START IN LIFE | FAMILY HUBS

Understanding your Child

Evesham Library, Oat Street, Evesham, WR11 4PJ

Tuesday 19th January - Tuesday 23rd March 27

12:30 - 2:30pm

The course is suitable for families with children and young people up to 11 years old.

9 weekly sessions covering:

- Developmental needs
- Communication
- Having fun
- Parenting styles
- Behaviour difficulties
- Attachment
- Sleep

FREE face to face course



To book a place on this course please scan the QR code

worcestershire.gov.uk/familyhubs

Anjuna's mum is organising a charity event this weekend. She'd love to see some of you there.







Thought of the Week ...

"Wrong is wrong, even if everyone is doing it. Right is right, even if no one is doing it."
– St. Augustine



Music of the Week

– This week we've had a focus of kindness in our Collective worship. We've listened to the following song each day. The Kindness Song | Official Lyric Video | Songs for School

On Monday we found out where and how our shoeboxes would make a difference, giving 'smiles across the miles'. On Tuesday we thought about friendship with God, Wednesday was all about showing kindness in the Kingdom of God, especially towards those who have no home or have come from another part of the world and Thursday was our anti-bullying Collective worship.

Be KIND TO OTHERS.

Birthdays

This week we celebrate the birthdays of Jack M, Daisy & Esme

Father God, today we celebrate the birthdays of Jack, Daisy and Esme and we say thank you that they are part of our school family. We pray that they may grow in wisdom and grace; give dignity and respect to others and that they may know your hope and joy every day. Strengthen and bless them on their birthday and every day throughout the next year. **Amen.**

DIARY DATES 2026

Non-Uniform Day *(Winter Wonderland)* Thurs. 26th Nov
Music Showcase.....Wednesday 2nd December
Year 5 making Christingles..Friday .4th December
Christingle service at school 2pm..... Fri 4th Dec
KS1 Nativity..... 8th December
KS1 Trip .....Wedneday 9th December
KS1 Nativity..... 10th December
TERM ENDS..... Thursday 17th December
TED .....Friday 18th December
TERM STARTS..... Monday 4th January
Voung Voices.....Friday 15th January
TED..... Wed 27th January
HALF TERM..... Mon 15th Feb – Fri 19th Feb
TERM ENDS..... Thursday 25th March

PTA DIARY DATES

Wreath Night.....Monday 30th November
Non -uniform day (chocolate) .... Fri 4th December
PTA Elfridges Event.....Friday 4th December
PTA Christmas Fayre.....Friday 11th December
Christmas Party.....Thursday 17th December

Awards this week...

Cheer – Noah L
Sports – Daisy
VIV – Henry P

Housepoints

1st - Sapphires – 109
2nd - Emeralds - 101
3rd - Rubies - 83

Golden Apples

Avon - Rosie
Malvern – Poppy
Cotswold – Sebastian
Severn – Isla S

Attendance

Overall attendance this week is 94.8%

Please keep working with us to keep attendance figures high. May I remind you that holidays in term time are strongly discouraged.

Avon – 95.3%
Malvern – 98.4%
Cotswold – 95.3%
Severn –91.6%

Stars of the Week

Avon - Oscar
Malvern – Emily
Cotswold – Freddie R-C
Severn - Tyler