

Open Afternoon Presentation

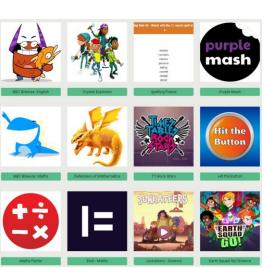
OAK CLASS – LOUISE RAYNER

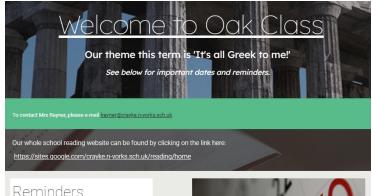
In this Oak Class meeting, we will cover:

- Changes to homework and our expectations
- Our new and improved reading diaries
- Young Voices
- If there's time... questions at the end, please! (or send me an email/catch me on the playground after school.)
- There will be a separate SATs meeting for parents of children in Year 6 sitting the SATs tests in the new year.
- For anyone who couldn't make the meeting, information about our residential to Robinwood can be found on our school website.

Homework expectations

- Regular reading (listening to your child, reading to/with your child)
- Keeping up with times tables (up to 12x12 until completely fluent)
- Practicing spellings (including the Year 3/4 word list, Year 5/6 word list and previously taught spellings)
- No more homework battles children come to school rested, relaxed and ready to learn!
- New, unique usernames and passwords for our google class website are in the process of being generated by Google, then normal access will resume.





Books can be changed any day except Friday

Friday: Please come in your P.E kit.

Please ask an adult to sign your reading diary each week



Regular reading

- Our goal is to nurture children who love to read and are confident, fluent readers with a good understanding.
- Children are never too old for a bedtime story!
- Discuss the meaning of words (and look them up in a dictionary together)
- Encourage and model expressive reading.
- Reading diaries should be quick and easy for both parents and children to complete, helping children to see just how much reading they do and see their progress!
- Children in Oak class can independently change their reading books any day except Friday, with the exception of children accessing the phonics books, which are changed only on Fridays after reading with an adult in school.



The 6 Ps of Prosody

We think about the 6 Ps to help improve our reading expression and fluency.

Passion → Facial expressions. Eye contact.

Pace → Speed. React to events and punctuation.

Pitch → The rise and fall of your voice.

Power → Volume. Projection – which words are you going to stress?

Pause → Are you brave enough to allow silence? Let a word hang...

Punctuation → How does the punctuation affect how you read?

Times Tables

- After the multiplication tables check in Year 4, the national curriculum expects children to have retained their knowledge and speed of all multiplication facts up to 12x12 (answering electronically in under 6 seconds.)
- Children need to frequently revisit these.
- The 'heatmap' feature on TT Rock Stars is incredibly useful to see where your child needs help.
- Remind children that multiplication facts are related: 6 x 7 is the same as 7 x 6!
- Children can learn their times tables in other ways instead of/alongside TT Rock Stars.

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Spellings

- OXFORD
 Children's
 Dictionary
- Weekly spellings in the reading pages, school website and Oak class page, including test dates for the whole school year.
- Spelling group works in a small group with one of our brilliant TAs.
- Look at the same words from different angles!
- Make learning spellings fun!
- Help children to notice patterns in words.

Meet the

Word Power League



Phoneme Phantom
Sounds (phonology)



Graphic Guardian
Writing (graphology)



Spelling Spy
Knowledge of spelling patterns
(orthography)



Professor Personal Personal links



Meaning Mastermind
Understanding meaning in
Context

Making links between words

Captain Connector



Morpheme Marvel
Understanding word parts morphemes (morphology)



Doctor Derivation
Exploring the origins of words (etymology)

Young Voices 2024

Oak Class



Tuesday 9th January 2024 at Utilita Sheffield Arena Concert: 7pm – 8.45pm.

Young Voices 2024

- You don't have to buy the YV T-shirt: Plain white top, black trousers.
- All children will be involved in learning the songs in music lessons, but additional practice at home is strongly encouraged.
- Tickets are only available to buy through our school, although Sheffield Arena allocate the seating and we are not able to make changes/requests.
- If you are unable to attend, you can purchase a digital video of the whole show – but it's not the same as the real thing!

- We will be travelling to do a full rehearsal during the school day, with over 5000 other children.
- Usually a 'main star' for the children to perform alongside, in addition to other professional musicians.
- We encourage anyone coming to watch, to wear blue glow-sticks so that the children can see you!
- We will be keeping you up to date with all of the finer details nearer the time.
- TOP TIP: If you are going, try to car-share (all Crayke parents will be sat in the same block) and book arena parking early, as it gets sold out quickly.
- Bring binoculars!

Young Voices 2024

- Once our Oak Class site is back up and running, there will be a dedicated page for everything to do with Young Voices. (We'll text you when this is ready!)
- There will be a link to follow for parents to sign up to the 'music room.'
- Take a look at the 'Lyric Videos' on the Young Voices music room.
- Be prepared to hear the songs non-stop!
- Proud, Heather Small feat. The Young Voices Choir – YouTube



Until next time...!

Thank you for supporting your child and their learning journey.

Interim reports will be out in October before parent consultations also in October.

You can email me at <u>lrayner@crayke.n-yorks.sch.uk</u> and I will do my best to respond promptly.

Please check the kit-list for Robinwood and get your child making their own bed!