

Oak Bites



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We are delighted to share our new Fair Oak Values with you. These values have been developed through the collective voice of our children, parents, staff and governors, reflecting what matters most to our school community.

Values are the guiding principles that shape our culture, influence our behaviour and help create a positive learning environment where everyone can thrive. Inspired by the strength and growth of an oak tree, The Fair Oak Way is just beginning. We are currently sowing the seeds of these values and, over the coming months, we will nurture and grow them throughout the school so that they become deeply rooted in everything we do.



The Fair Oak Way:

We are rooted in respect.
We have integrity at our core.
We reach high with curiosity.
We grow through resilience.
We follow the Fair Oak Way.



At the moment, you may notice that these values do not yet have any accompanying imagery. Visual representations are an important part of bringing the values to life and celebrating them with our school community.

In assembly, the children were introduced to a competition to design an overall logo for The Fair Oak Way and/or individual logos and icons to represent each of the values.

Your child will bring home an entry form which provides further details and guidance, including the wording of each value. If you require additional copies, please speak to your child's class teacher or visit the school office.

The deadline for entries is **Monday 5th October**. Completed entries should be returned to either your child's class teacher or the school office.

Winning designs will receive a book token and will provide the inspiration for the final value images, which will be displayed on certificates, the school website and throughout the school environment.

We cannot wait to see the children's creativity and ideas as they help shape the visual identity of The Fair Oak Way.

Mr Jacobs
Year 6 Teacher

VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION



Year 3 News

Miss Coxhead is arranging the Year 3 Butser Farm Trip for **Monday 5th October**- please click [here](#) to read the letter.

Parent Plea!

We would be really grateful for any small world toy donations. Things like...cars,dinosaurs,plastic animals, play food, kitchen play items. Please bring any donations to the School office.



Year 4 News

There is no news specific to Year 4 for this week.

Year 5 News

There will be a parent/carer information evening on **7th October 6:15pm-7pm** for the Stubbington trip, please meet in the school hall. More information about the Stubbington Residential will be sent shortly.

Year 5 are visiting **The Winchester Science Centre** soon. Please click [here](#) to see the information and find out how to give your permission for them to attend and how to make your voluntary contribution.

Year 6 News

Cooking

Please click [here](#) to view Mr Naxton's letter about Year 6 cooking in **October**.

Related to this, please can parents make sure all allergy information is up to date on the child's Arbor account.

Bikeability

During the Autumn term, our Year 6 pupils take part in the Hampshire led Bikeability training. This is focused on ensuring children are able to ride their bike safely. For full details and the consent form, please see the letter [here](#). You should already have given your consent if you wish your child to take part.

In preparation for Bikeability, Bike it John is in school next week to carry out free safety checks on Year 6 children's bike. Please see poster below for more information.

PGL

The information for the PGL trip is now available.

Any parents who would like to use Childcare Vouchers to use towards to trip, can do so up to £294.66.

The deadline for the deposit of £180.00 is **2nd October**.

General Information

Summer Reading Challenge

Thank you to everyone who sent in a photo to show they completed the Summer Reading Challenge! More than fifty children have earned a non-uniform day that will take place on Friday 25th September. Well done!

Emergency Contact Information

Please can you all check your emergency contact information in Arbor and update phone numbers where necessary. We really do need to be able to contact you during the school day in the case of an emergency. Thank you for helping us keep you child safe.

Flu vaccinations

The annual nasal flu vaccination for all year groups is booked for **Tuesday 6th October 2026**.

If you have not yet booked your child in please see the poster below for the QR code to do this

School Nursing Team

Please see below a School Nurse Clinic poster. They will be available a for face to face bookable clinic on:

Tuesday **10/11/2026** - Salvation Army Hall, Whites Way.

Please contact the team directly to make a booking.

Walk, Wheel, Cycle Trust

Have you ever wondered about giving cycling a go. Please see information below about a new Bicycle Equipment Library which will lend you items to try before you buy your own.

Parent Information Drop In sessions

Parent Information Drop In sessions are held at the fountain cafe. Please the dates on the flyer below and if you have any questions, please let us know.

Harvest Festival 2026

We are delighted to share with you details of our Harvest Festival which takes place on 14th October. Please click [here](#) for more information.



Upcoming Events

INSET DAYS 2026-2027

23rd October 2026

4th January 2027

25th March 2027

9th July 2027

1st October 2026 - Individual Photo Day (whole school)

6th October 2026 - Flu Vaccinations (whole school) - see last week's Oak Bites

14th October 2026 - Harvest Festival

21st October 2026 - Parent Information Drop in - School Nursing Team

26th - 30th October 2026 - Half Term Holiday

More information about upcoming events can be found [here](#).



Bicycle Equipment Library

Do you want to try cycling with your children, to work, to school or anywhere else but don't have the right equipment you need?

Walk Wheel Cycle Trust are excited to announce a new and FREE Bicycle Equipment Library for the Hampshire Bike It Schools!

We have the following equipment we can loan to you to try out before you take the plunge to buy some for yourself.

- Burley Bike Trailers for carrying children
- Pannier racks and bags
- Front and Rear mounted child seats for your bike
- Lights, locks, and pumps!

To organise a loan please contact John Clode scan the QR code to send me an email or by phone on 07708835330.



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To find out more, please contact:
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School Age Immunisation Service



NHS
Hampshire and
Isle of Wight Healthcare
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Your child's Flu vaccine is due



FLU: 5 REASONS TO GET PROTECTED AGAINST FLU

1. Protect your child - The vaccine will help protect your child against flu and serious complications such as bronchitis and pneumonia.
2. Protect you, your family and friends - Having the vaccine will help protect more vulnerable friends and family.
3. No injection needed - The nasal spray is painless and easy to have. (A porcine free injection is available)
4. It's better than having flu - The nasal spray helps protect against flu and has been given to millions of children worldwide and has an excellent safety record.
5. Avoid costs - If your child gets flu, you may have to take time off work or arrange alternative childcare.

The Immunisation team will be in the school on

Tuesday

6th October 2026



Scan the QR code to complete a flu consent form (even if you wish to opt out)

School Code

SH115997

For more information, visit our website:

www.healthforkids.co.uk/hampshire/annual-nasal-flu-vaccination-programme/



Parent Information Drop in sessions

Come and meet our Child and Family Support Workers from Fair Oak Infants, Fair Oak Juniors and Wyvern College.

Fountain Café Shorts Rd Fair Oak 9:30-11:30

Wed 16th Sept 2026 - Citizens Advice

Wed 21st Oct 2026 - School Nursing Team

Wed 18th Nov 2026 - CAP

Wed 16th Dec 2026 - MHST (Mental Health Support Team)

Wed 20th Jan 2027 - School Nursing Team

Wed 17th March 2027 - Online Safety

Wed 19th May 2027 - School Nursing Team

Wed 16th June 2027 - Wyvern and Fair Oak Infants and Junior school transition teams and SENCo



MENTAL HEALTH
SUPPORT TEAMS



NHS
Hampshire and
Isle of Wight Healthcare
NHS Foundation Trust

School Nurse Clinic

Who are we?

School Nurses are public health professionals who work with parents, children, and young people to support health and wellbeing needs.

What will be doing?

We are trialling a bookable school nurse clinic once per half term for your school. This will give you the chance to meet face-to-face with a team member to discuss any concerns you may have about your child.



Call the Eastleigh School Nurse team on 02382 318752 to book your appointment.

Hampshire
Healthy
Families



ChatHealth



WANTED

We are looking for cleaners to join our team at Fair Oak Junior School.

The ideal hours of work are
3.30pm – 5.30pm, Monday to Friday,
term time only, but this can be flexible.
£5934 pa, £25025, full time equivalent.

Free place at Breakfast Club or Little Oaks
while you work.

Please email j.tizzard@fairoak-jun.hants.sch.uk
for more information.



WANTED

We are looking for a Learning Support
Assistant to join our team at Fair Oak
Junior School.

If you have experience of working with
children, including those with additional
needs (or are willing to learn), and you
want to make a difference in the lives of
our children, please do get in touch for
more information.

Hours of work would be 8.25am-3.15pm, Monday –
Friday, term time only.

Salary £19,537 pa, FTE £26,018 pa

Please email j.tizzard@fairoak-jun.hants.sch.uk
for more information



Free Yr6 Bike Dr

Monday 28th September - Nightingale,
Hawking & King

Tuesday 29th September - Storey &
Attenborough

**Bike It John will be at Fair Oak
Junior School offering FREE
bike safety checks to help Year
6 prepare for Bikeability.**

We will carry out minor
adjustments, pumping tyres,
tightening bolts, tuning gears
and possibly replacing inner
tubes, brake pads and cables.
We may also remove broken
items from bikes e.g bells.

The checks will take place
throughout the day and advice
on further work will be given if
needed; helping to ensure your
bikes are safe to use.

**All you need to do is bring
your bike in!!**



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**If you DO NOT consent to the
Bike Dr team working on your
childs bike you MUST ensure
they do not give it to the Bike
Dr team or please let the
school office know**

