



Ongar Primary School Newsletter

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REMINDER

Please remember to settle any outstanding dinner money and trip balances.

School re-opens at 8.45am on Tuesday 22nd April 2025

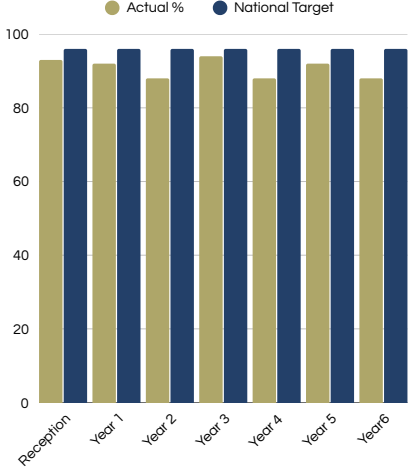
COMING SOON

We are developing a new wildlife and seating area as part of our OPAL project. We would like all children to paint a stone to outline the pretty pathways that will be amongst the new area but we need your help. During the Easter holiday on your days out, please can you find a nice size stone for your child to decorate in school. If you are able to collect more than one for other children who may not be able to find one, that would be amazing. Thank you for your help.

Attendance

Our whole school attendance is: 91%

The national target is 96%



Year 5
Scarlett 10
Finley 20

Dates for your Diary

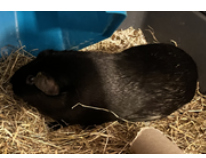
- 5th May Bank Holiday
- 23rd May Break up for Half term
- 30th June Inset Day school closed
- 9th July Year 6 SEND parents coffee morning at TOA
- 22nd July Last day of term - Break up for summer



Rohan
Fifi
Ronnie
Reece
Charlie H
Kaydee



Our retired guinea pigs, Hermione and Fluffy are thriving in their new home.



Next week's menu week 1 beginning 22nd April 2025

Week 1	Margarita or Pepperoni Pizza or Ham Panini	Pasta and Beef meatballs in a tomato sauce or Jacket Potato with Tuna	Mince beef Lancashire hotpot Or Sausage Roll	Chicken Curry Rice or Cheese and Ham Panini	Chicken burger, chips and sweetcorn or Veggie fingers and chips
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Early Years enjoyed their Teddy Bear Picnic themed WOW day. They made invitations, bunting and sandwiches. The children enjoyed playing games outside!



Year 1 enjoyed learning about windmills and creating their own in DT.



Yesterday, Year 4 had their Anglo-Saxon WOW day. As part of this, they made shields, pottery, learned how to weave had a battle with the Romans.



On Thursday Year 3 had their Roman WOW day. They made roman numeral clocks, mosaics, their own shields and even practised their formations ready for battle!



The Easter bunny visited this week and delivered an Easter Egg to everyone. Thank you OPC for kindly donating the eggs.



Year 6 have been practising their coordinate skills by testing each other with battle ships.



The children have really been enjoying the warmer weather outside. They have been building lots of forts in the loose parts, skidding down slides, making big sandcastles and really enjoying the new snakes and ladders set.

