



Oughton Primary and Nursery School

Travel Newsletter

Summer Term Newsletter

Dear Parents,

This term we are continuing with our Travel Plan in order to develop more active and safer travel to school. We are well on the way to achieving Bronze status from Modeshift Stars. Thank you for your support with our initiatives so far. If you have any comments or ideas regarding our travel plan, please do get in touch with Mrs Carroll via admin@oughton.herts.sch.uk



Recent actions

- School council have continued to meet to discuss and arrange travel initiatives. They recently surveyed Key Stage Two about the possibility of bike safety sessions next year. We will keep you informed about this.
- EYFS have had a road safety workshop - see more about this overleaf.
- Years 2 and 3 all took part in a scooter workshop - see overleaf.
- School council, Mrs Carroll and a member of Herts County Council are in discussions to organise a 'Park and Stride' scheme allowing parents to park further away from the school and walk the last part of their journey. We will be launching this in June.



Walk to School Week

Walk to School Week is from 21st until 25th May. We would like as many children as possible to walk, cycle or scoot to school during this week. Children will earn house points for their efforts and there will be a class competition to see who can collect the most active travel points. You will be sent a leaflet of activity ideas to keep yourselves busy on the journey to school during the week.



Scooter workshop

Children in Years 2 and 3 recently took part in a scooter workshop. They learnt how to stay safe on their scooters, how to control their scooters and the meanings of different lights on cars.



Future actions

- Walk to School Week in May
- Clean Air Day in June
- Y6 phone distractions workshop—8th June
- Promoting healthy ways to travel: walking, cycling, scootering
- Poster competition
- Park and Stride scheme launch in June

EYFS Road safety workshop

Nursery and Reception classes learnt about how to stay safe near roads. They found out how to cross roads safely.



Active children = healthy children
Walk, cycle or scoot to school!