# Oasis Academy Ryelands

# Reception Class Weekly Newsletter

# 13/07/2026 to 17/07/2026

**Key dates:**

- New school year begins- Wednesday 2nd September
- Meet the teacher meeting and Year 1 information meeting- Wednesday 2nd September

The Oasis 9 Habits: Compassionate, Self-Controlled, Joyful, Forgiving, Patient, Humble, Honest, Considerate and Hopeful.

**Stars of the Week**

This week Mrs Carew and Mrs Plews would like to award all our wonderful parents and carers with star of the week! Thank you for all the support, care and guidance you have given the children!

**Our Learning Journey**

This week has been a very special one, as the children spent their final week in Reception and their last week in the Early Years phase. It truly is a significant milestone when you consider that many of the children have been part of an Early Years setting from a very young age. We wanted to celebrate this achievement, and on Wednesday morning that is exactly what we did. It was incredibly special to see so many family members and friends join us for our Reception Graduation celebration. The children were welcomed onto the stage to receive their certificates and, dressed in their mortarboard hats and gowns, they looked absolutely magnificent. Throughout the week, the children also took part in a range of transition activities to help prepare them for their next chapter in Year 1. They loved popping into Sparrow and Starling classes, seeing their new teachers, and saying a cheerful hello to Mrs Turner, their new teaching assistant, in the playground at lunchtime.

Although this time of year can be tinged with sadness as we say goodbye to our Reception children, we are also incredibly excited for their next adventure and all that lies ahead. We know they will continue to thrive as they move into Year 1.

We hope that you all have a wonderful, sunny, and safe summer holiday.

Finally, we would like to take this opportunity to say a heartfelt thank you for your incredibly generous group vouchers, as well as the many thoughtful gifts and cards we have received. Your kindness and generosity mean so much to us, and we are truly grateful for your support.

**Home learning**

Whilst we want you to have the very best summer break, we know that six weeks is a long time without picking up a pencil or sharing a book. We hope that you will continue to lose yourselves in wonderful stories, explore new books, and let your creativity shine through your writing. Keep practising all of the fantastic skills you have developed this year, and most importantly, keep having fun while you learn. We know that with your hard work and enthusiasm, you will be ready for all the exciting opportunities and adventures that await you in Year 1.