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Dear Parents/ Carers,

I am writing to inform you about an exciting week that will take place at our school commencing Monday 3rd February. The event has been given the title 'The University of Oak Meadow' with the motto '*Aspire to make a difference*'. The week will be an opportunity to nurture every child's personal development and for them to explore their future aspirations through different sessions across the school 'campus' before we invite you to attend their graduation ceremony on the afternoon of Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February.

During the week, children will be vertically grouped within their houses and attend a different faculty each day. The four faculties organised and led by staff will be:

- Creativity and Culture Faculty – *The Circle of Life*
- Mental Health and Well Being Faculty – *Find your Brave*
- Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM) Faculty – *Succeeding Together Everyone's Motivated*
- Sports, Physical Health and Fitness Faculty – *ROAR for Diversity*

Building on the outstanding success of our house system, this means that children in Ash, Rowan, Willow and Yew house will spend time together across the week to complete challenges and support one another. As a school, we pride ourselves on the family ethos that we have built with your support and we are looking forward to seeing how the fantastic sense of community we have created displays itself as children of all ages work together.

In addition to this and following requests from the children, every day we will also be opening a 'Campus Café' for children to place orders and purchase refreshments to enjoy during their break time. We will be offering toast, bagels, cakes and juice for between 50p-£1 each day if you would like your child to take up this option.

Each day we are also allocating a session time slot for you to tour the University and see the learning in action. These tours will be led by our Year 6 pupils and allow you to see the wide range of activities your child will participate in across the week. We are then holding graduation ceremonies that we hope you can attend on the afternoon of Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February to mark the achievements of the children. Please note that on this day, we would like all children to attend school dressed in the colours of their house to celebrate their successful completion of the University. To commemorate this, the children will also produce a special prospectus that will be on sale from the School Office. To attend a session tour and/or your child's graduation event, please return the slip below to your child's class teacher to secure your place.

As ever, we thank you for all of your outstanding support and look forward to welcoming you to the University of Oak Meadow.

Yours faithfully,

Mr. Lane

From tiny acorns **mighty oaks** grow...



**The University of Oak Meadow Session Tours: Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> to Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2020**  
**(Please return to your child's class teacher as soon as possible)**

Please indicate if you would like to attend the University tour by writing your name next to one of the session's timeslots. For the Friday graduation ceremonies, please write your name next to the timeslot for your child(ren)'s year group. Please return this to your child's class teacher as soon as possible to confirm your attendance.

Many thanks, Mr Lane.

Day	Tour Session	Family Member(s) Attending
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	11:00 – 11:45am	
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup>	9:15 – 10:00am	
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup>	11:00 – 11:45am	
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup>	9:15 – 10:00am	

**The University of Oak Meadow Graduation Ceremonies: Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February**

Year Group's Graduation Ceremony	Graduation Ceremony timeslots	Family Member(s) Attending
Reception, Year 1 and Year 2	1:40 – 2:10pm	
Year 3 and Year 4	2:15 – 2:40pm	
Year 5 and Year 6	2:45 – 3:10pm	

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