


OPAL Newsletter



Cullercoats Primary Autumn Update



OPAL stands for Outdoor Play and Learning and is a programme endorsed by Sport England.



“To make sure that every school child has an amazing playtime every day with no exceptions” (OPAL)

Our OPAL Pledge: “Amazing adventures every day, creative and fun, the freedom to play. Making memories, it’s never done. Active challenge for everyone.”



Celebrating Success 🏆 ✨

We are still reeling with excitement after receiving the Opal Platinum Award - the highest honour in outdoor play and learning! This incredible recognition celebrates the joy, creativity, and adventure that fills our playground every single day. A massive thank you to our pupils, staff, and families who have all helped us reach this amazing milestone.

We are delighted to announce that Mr Kergon has been nominated for the Regional Play Award in recognition of his incredible OPAL work and creations.

Blue Bags

Each child has been given a bag, kindly funded by the PTA, to be kept in school.

Please send in a spare set of clothes in a plastic bag so we can transfer them into their OPAL bags.

Spare clothes do not need to be school uniform - can be spare socks, underwear, t-shirt, jumper, leggings, jogging bottoms etc.





Autumn Collection

We are collecting conkers and pinecones again - let's see if we can beat last year's haul!

Helmets

The PTA has bought the children some fantastic new helmets for our scooter and wheelie area.



Outdoor Reminders

Wellies/outdoor shoes to be kept in school in the welly storage area - please ensure names are on them.
Coats to be worn every day as the weather changes.

Thank You for all of the generous donations and the continued support from families - it really is hugely appreciated.

Let's keep working together to create amazing experiences and

make play times fun!



Yours sincerely,

The OPAL Development Team

