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Dear parents / Carers,

We are celebrating our Outdoor Play and Learning (OPAL) Primary Programme this year by hosting an **OPAL Stay and Play Day!**

Through OPAL, we are continuing to improve outdoor play at our school by providing more opportunities for creative, child-led play and learning. We would love for you to come along, join in the fun, and experience what OPAL is all about with your child.

Date: Thursday 25th June **Time:** 2:00pm – 3:15pm

To help make this a positive OPAL experience for everyone, we kindly ask that all equipment and resources are tidied away properly at the end of the session. The children are experts at this and will be happy to guide you!

Please wear clothes you do not mind getting messy in so you can enjoy the full OPAL experience. If the weather is wet, wellies or old trainers are recommended. Most importantly — get involved, have fun, and bring out your inner child!

To continue to be able to resource OPAL we are asking for donations of any of the following items;

- Plastic milk crates
- Plastic tubes
- Guttering
- Bungee ball cords
- Thick ropes
- Tyres
- Tarpaulin
- Buckets / large buckets
- Plastic road barriers
- Large barrels
- Wooden cable reels
- Bags of soil
- Chunky Chalks

Thank you for your continued support. We look forward to seeing you there & can't wait to share with your our Outdoor Learning areas.

Yours Sincerely

Mrs Butler – OPAL lead

