



North Yorkshire & York Healthy Schools Platinum Award reporting template

Oatlands Infant School, Hookstone Road, Harrogate, North Yorks, KH2 8BT

This reporting form is for schools who are submitting for the Platinum award. Your school will have already submitted the identified health and wellbeing priority which will have been approved by the Healthy Schools team. The aim of this form is to report on the outcomes of achieving the identified priority (usually over one academic year) by one of the [three submission dates each academic year](#)

What is the school's identified health and wellbeing priority:

Our core focus is on instilling healthy habits from a young age, with a particular focus on active travel and breaking barriers for pupils to be active in and around school. We are mindful that children and their families are leading increasingly sedentary lifestyles, and fewer and fewer families are active in their spare time or within their daily commutes. We are also aware of poverty creating barriers to families accessing healthy activities and resources, and we want to reduce or remove these barriers for our community

Please use this section to report on the actions identified above

RESULTS AND IMPACT

RESULTS: Describe your results and how you achieved your planned outcomes

This could include activities that were beneficial that were not originally identified in the intended outcomes

Health and Wellbeing Priority Results and Impact

Outstanding grading from Ofsted December 2024 for Personal Development with strong support for the school's active offer and character building opportunities. E.g. "Pupils are proud to be a part of Oatlands Infant School. They thrive in this inclusive environment. The school prioritises developing pupils' character and physical activity. Pupils benefit from the bike bus and a wide range of activities at playtimes. Parents are overwhelmingly happy with the wealth of opportunities and experiences their children have", "The school has developed a vast range of spectacular opportunities for pupils to develop their character", "The school has prioritised increasing physical activity for pupils and the wider community", "Staff are extremely proud to work here and value the many considerations for their well-being, such as the staff gym."

Huge range of positive local press and with North Yorkshire Sport available here: [Our school in the news | Oatlands Infant School](#)

North Yorkshire Sport Impact Report 2023-24 available here, with Infant School Bike Library case study: [Written-Report-202324.pdf](#)

Increase from 20% of pupils accessing after school clubs to 30%-45% each term

Active Travel Tracker has reported a 25% increase in active travel on Bike Bus days, with bike shelter usage rising by 30%

Bike Library impact = 20 first-ever family bike rides, 18 new cyclists, an increase in active weekend outings and community engagement. Bikes have been borrowed over 50 times since implementation

12 staff have completed gym inductions (35% of whole school team)

Ofsted parent / carer surveys overwhelmingly positive, available here [Oatlands Infant School | Ofsted Parent View](#)

Harrogate in Bloom School Gardens Award Bronze awarded summer 2024. Yorkshire Wildlife garden award received autumn 2024

Engagement with active play resources (den building, scooters, climbing wall etc) has resulted in a 75% reduction in first aid incidents and a 75% reduction in behavioural incidents at playtimes and lunchtimes

Inclusion Quality Mark Centre of Excellence status renewed February 2025 with a strong focus on the school's inclusive, active offer

Pupil Voice – This section must be completed when making a submission for the Platinum Award

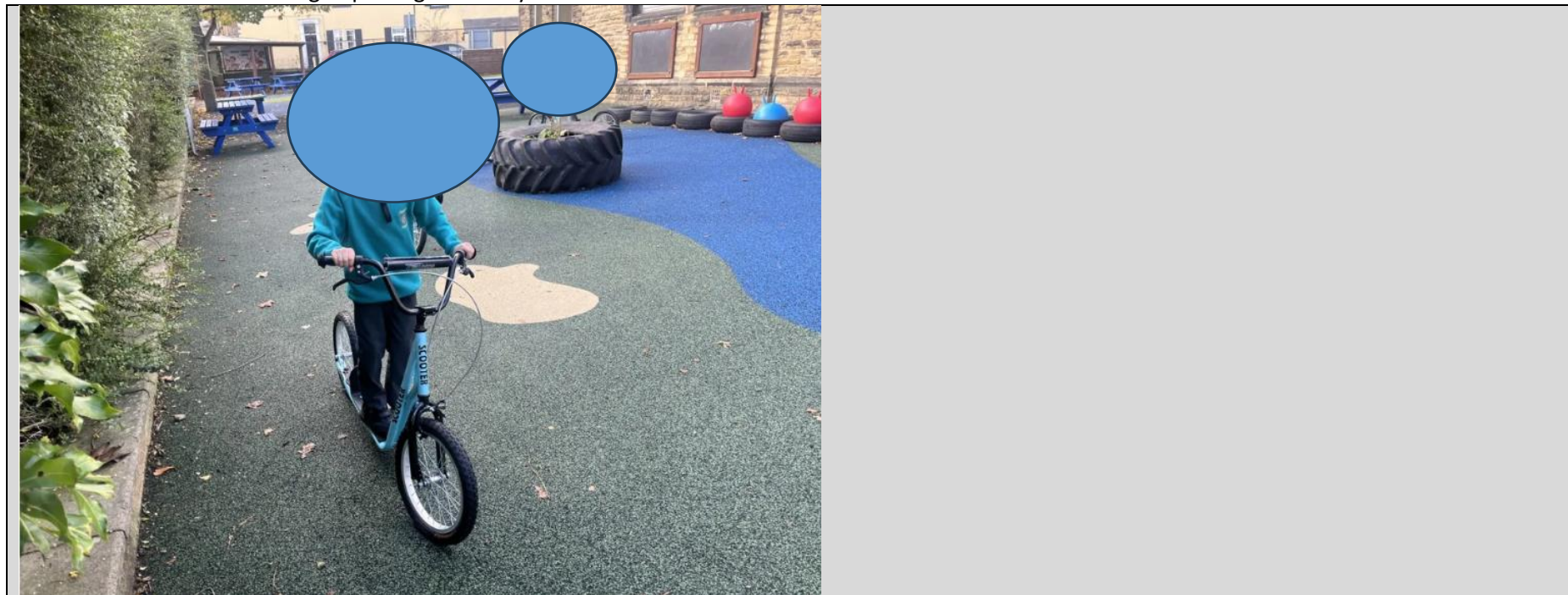
Pupil Healthy Schools team

To make a submission for a healthy schools award the school must have a Pupil Healthy Schools team. This could be an existing group of pupils such as the school council, wellbeing champions, sport leaders or a newly formed group of pupils to support the school achieve the Healthy Schools award. Pupils must be an integral part of the process as the school works towards achieving each award. This should consist of sharing the criteria with the Pupil Healthy Schools team and actively engaging them in the process of achieving an award

Please write in this section what the pupil's healthy schools team have developed, led and implemented to make improvements to the health and wellbeing priority and have pupils found the changes to be positive. This must be supported by a photograph that showcases the pupil's involvement and an outcome of their involvement.

Pupils have had a strong lead on several elements of the above projects, particularly the development of playtimes. The school council requested key resources, and the eco council have led on the development of the school's garden. Pupil and parent / carer voice has been collated throughout the process by both the school and North Yorkshire Sport as part of their annual impact reporting, some of which can be viewed here: [Oatlands Infant School Active Travel project - YouTube](#)

PHOTOGRAPHS & QUOTES: Include any photographs, quotes, feedback or other evidence from your project. Photos can be inserted into this reporting form with some supporting information to explain what the photo is showing – e.g before and after, example of pupils work, relevant noticeboard etc.



SUSTAINABILITY: Describe what you will do in future to continue to sustain a focus on health and wellbeing

Our PTA have agreed to support with annual funding for maintenance and marshal training, and we have connected with our local councillor to use their locality budget (e.g. funding the use of Active Travel Tracker). Our connections with North Yorkshire Sport will continue, as will our work with the local road action group.

We are exploring income generation for the gym by hosting a full-time personal trainer who will give 10% of her takings to the school to support with maintenance. We will also be leasing our school hall from autumn 2025, with all funds taken supporting our active offer indefinitely

Clubs will continue and we are exploring further funding streams for these

Additional Bike Bus marshal training is scheduled for April 2025 (10 x marshals) with 10 to be trained each year as required

The PTA have agreed to continue funding playground active resources as well as sports equipment for clubs

A member of staff will be paid using Sports Premium to lead on play, active involvement and sports across school