

Old Oak Primary School Newsletter 22nd March 2019

We had a visit from Cllr Larry Culhane today, the Cabinet Member for Children and Education for Hammersmith and Fulham, who spent the afternoon with us. He was clearly impressed with the school and congratulated us on our excellent progress scores. Larry is keen to support all the schools in Hammersmith and Fulham and is ambitious for the Borough so each child has the best education possible. Old Oak will work hard to help him achieve this.

This week we have had another chance to celebrate the music of the school. Laurel and Hazel classes both performed on Wednesday –Laurel singing and playing the recorder, Hazel class singing and playing the ukulele. Then, on Thursday, the Year 6 classes performed a concert with a number of different percussion instruments. The professionalism of the children was so impressive. They did not miss a beat and you could see the concentration and enjoyment on their faces.

Have a good weekend.

Mr. Brown

PARENTS'MEETINGS

On Monday and Wednesday next week there are the meetings for parents to discuss their child's progress. I am so pleased to say that the reception classes, who had their meetings on Thursday, had every parent attend the meeting! It is wonderful to hear that you are showing such an interest in your child's education. I hope we have full attendance next week as well.

UNIFORM

Navy blue is the school colour. So we ask that all headscarves or hair bows are navy blue as well. Many thanks.

Parent Teacher Association Easter Raffle

The PTA will be selling tickets to the Easter raffle from Monday in the playgrounds and in the lower hall before and after school. Please look out for them and buy as many as you can afford. The prizes will be special!

REMINDERS

- PLEASE DO NOT BRING IN NUTS TO SCHOOL. WE HAVE CHILDREN AND ADULTS WITH ALLERGIES TO THEM.
- TIMES TABLES ROCKSTARS To help our children develop their confidence in times tables go to <u>https://ttrockstars.com/</u>

LEGO AT HOME ? YOU DO NOT USE IT ? THEN BRING IT INTO SCHOOL

- SCHOOL UNIFORM- available in the school shop on Wednesdays at 9.00am
- SCHOOL LUNCHES all school lunches must be paid for before your child eats. We cannot support children who choose to eat school lunches on certain days because they like the food.
- **TWITTER! SIGN UP TODAY!** You can download the app free today, and search @Old oakprimary.



- TRIPS WILL NOW BE PAID FOR VIA PARENT PAY. Ask at the office for more details
- PLEASE ENSURE YOUR PARENTPAY LUNCH ACCOUNTS ARE IN CREDIT -Thank you to all parents who ensure their Parentpay lunch accounts are in credit prior to the following week. However, some parents are still not keeping up to date with payments for their children's school meals. The School Business Manager will be writing to parents to whom this applies in April 2019.

DATES FOR THE DIARY Monday, 25th March – parents' meetings Wednesday, 27th March – Willow class assembly Wednesday, 27th March – Elm class parents' meetings Wednesday 27th March – Mother's Day lunch Monday, 1st April – Friday, 5th April – British Values Week Friday, 5th April – last day of term. School closes at 1.45pm **Tuesday, 23rd April** – first day of the summer term

