



## Old Oak Primary School Update – Friday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2023

Dear families,

### **Old Oak School Library Refurbishment Complete!**



The school library has been refurbished with new furniture and new books. This was shared with the children yesterday, but the grand opening is next week, when our friends from Shepherds Bush library will be in school to formally open the library for the children. We hope that the books are stimulating and this will provide more opportunity to find the right book for your child.

We work with Shepherds Bush library a lot throughout the year and will collaborate again for World Book Day and Pyjamarama. They have a very good selection of books and run great events for children so please check their webpage regularly or sign up for a regular newsletter.



### **\*FRIENDS OF OLD OAK- MEETING\***

Due to other local authority commitments, the date for the next Friends of Old Oak Steering Group meeting is next Friday 13<sup>th</sup> January, at 9.30am.

### **\*PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL- SCHOOL MONEY\***

Please act on the activation email for *School /Money* to set up your new account. Anyone that needs help with this please contact the main reception and we can arrange support for you.

### **\*FAMILY GROUP – UPDATE\***



**Small changes can make a big difference-“we work as a team towards our goals” (Old Oak Parent)**

Family Group (FG) is designed to support children to reach their full potential in several areas of their development. In FG, parents/carers

come into school each week to work together with their children. We talk, play, listen, have fun and work on change. Families help families, sharing ideas and learning from each other.

Families come for all sorts of different reasons and for different lengths of time- one great reason to come is to spend some special time with your child

FG at Old Oak takes place every Thursday from 9:00 to 11:00. For more information please ask in the school office or contact Monica Jato on **07577 054 054** or [thetransformationalspace@gmail.com](mailto:thetransformationalspace@gmail.com)

Monica Jato - FG Facilitator at Old Oak Primary School

Monica has more than sixteen years' experience working with adults, children and young people in different settings and within different roles. She is very passionate about FG and is highly motivated and committed to work with children and their families together to make positive changes happen.

#### **\*ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY\***

We will begin again to update you on attendance and punctuality from next week.

#### **\*DATES FOR THE DIARY\***

**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> January** – Chestnut Class visit the Saatchi Gallery

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> January** – Multisports club ( Year Rec - 3 ) begins again. All children have been allocated a place in the third group and have been waiting since September.

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> January** – Imperial student in school to observe Year 3

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> January** – football clubs (boys training) begins again

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> January** – football club (girls training) begins again

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> January** – Drumming Club begins again

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup> January** – Multisports Club (Year 4-6) begins again. All children have been allocated a place in the third group and have been waiting since September.

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> January – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> January** – Year 6 attend the *Into University* Programme

Have a happy and peaceful weekend.

Mrs Beardsworth and Mr. Brown