

Old Oak Primary School Update





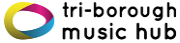
Friday, 13th September 2024

Dear families,

We have had a fantastic first week back and the children are certainly settled into their new routines. The school feels calm and all the children are engaged in learning! This week, many of our year 5 and 6 children started supporting the younger children in the playground and during lunchtimes, they are very mature and we are lucky to have such wonderful role models in key stage two.

Autumn Term Clubs:

The following clubs will run during Autumn Term from 3.30pm – 4.30pm in a 10 or 12 week block. All clubs are run by external providers, who specialise in their field.

Club	Day	Year group	Dates	Cost
Multisports QPR 	Tuesday	Year 4-6	17/9, 24/9, 1/10, 8/10, 15/10, 22/10, 5/11, 12/11, 19/11, 26/11, 3/12, 10/12	£50 for 12 weeks
Speak Up Drama 	Wednesday	Year 1-6	25/9, 2/10, 9/10, 16/10, 23/10, 6/11, 13/11, 20/11, 27/11, 4/12	£70 for 10 weeks
Street Dance Elevate Arts 	Thursday	Reception-Year 3	19/9, 26/9, 3/10, 10/10, 17/10, 24/10, 7/11, 14/11, 21/11, 28/11, 5/12, 12/12	£60 for 12 weeks
Multisports QPR 	Friday	Reception-Year 3	13/9, 27/9, 4/10, 11/10, 18/10, 8/11, 15/11, 22/11, 29/11, 6/12, 13/12	£50 for 12 weeks
Drumming 	Friday	Year 3 – 6	27/9, 4/10, 11/10, 18/10, 8/11, 15/11, 22/11, 29/11, 6/12, 13/12	£40 for 10 weeks

Signs ups can be completed through Parent Pay, with the exception of Speak Up Drama, which can be completed directly through Teri at her website: [Book a Class – Speak Up Drama Workshops](#)

If you have any problems with Parent Pay, please contact the school office. If you wish to pay in instalments, this can be set up for you by speaking to Front Desk.

Meet the New Teacher: We would like to invite parents/carers into school to meet the team who will be working in your child/ren's class, share information about the year ahead and answer any questions you may have. The dates for these are as follows and we look forward to seeing you then:

Reception Peach	Monday 23 rd September	2.30pm
Year 1 Olive	Tuesday 24 th September	2.30pm
Year 2 Acacia	Tuesday 24 th September	2.30pm
Year 3 Chestnut	Tuesday 24 th September	2.30pm
Year 4 Magnolia	Tuesday 24 th September	2.30pm
Year 5 Aspen	Tuesday 24 th September	2.30pm
Year 6 Willow	Wednesday 25 th September	2.30pm

Cake Sales and Pre-Loved uniform: We will be having a regular cake sale and pre-loved clothes sale at the end of every term. We have so much lost property that's never collected and/or families donate uniform, please come and see what you can find for your child/ren and buy a cake at the same time! The first one will take place on **Wednesday 13th November at 3.20pm.**

A reminder: Please LABEL all uniform and coats, so many go missing and it's impossible to return without names.

End of the day: Just a reminder that if you come into the gates, particularly Key Stage 2, that you spread out so the adults can see you so they can dismiss your child. Lots of adults congregate which makes it very crowded - if you are collecting Year 4 or 5, please move further into the playground. We must see you before we can let your child go so please make it easier for everyone.

Vacancies: We are looking for someone to work with us in the school over lunch times. This role, Mid-Day Meals Supervisor, would mean you support the children eating lunch and will spend time in the playground supervising the children and encouraging play. If you are interested, please see Joanne on front desk - she will provide you with a job description and application form. The closing date is Wednesday 18th September 2024.

Flu Vaccinations: All children are due to receive their annual nasal flu vaccination. This year, the NHS are offering all children the quick and painless nasal spray flu vaccine. However there is a pork gelatine free alternative available as an injection. The vaccination is totally free and recommended for all school aged children. Please complete the form linked below to sign up and give/refuse consent. It is important all families sign up, even if you do not wish your child to receive the vaccination or if they have received it elsewhere.

<https://nwl.schoolvaccination.uk/flu/2024/hammersmithandfulham>

The dates for the vaccinations at school are:

First Session: - Tue 08 Oct at 8:30:00 AM until 12:00:00 PM

Second Session: Thu 07 Nov at 12:30:00 until 15:00:00 PM

Term Dates: Please see the new dates attached, they have been available on the website since July. Please remember to only book holidays out of term time. Good attendance is vital for your child/ren to succeed and the local authority work closely with us to monitor attendance of all families. We met with our attendance officer from the local authority this week and she will be supporting us to achieve the required attendance percentage that is set nationally and provide support to some of our families whose children miss a lot of school. It is vital your child/ren are in school every day unless they are unwell.

School Uniform: It is now available the first **FRIDAY of EVERY MONTH.**

Dates for the Academic Year: Please find attached the **dates for the academic year** ahead in terms of events, celebrations and other dates that you need to know about and to keep free if you are able. We always appreciate your support and it always means a lot to the children if they see family supporting them in school, even if it is once or twice. Class assemblies will be taking place on Wednesdays, these will be starting soon once the children have settled fully into their new class and you are always welcome to attend.

For photos of the week, please check the school's Instagram page.

Have a great weekend

Mrs Beardsworth and Mr. Brown

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Instagram

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Old Oak Primary School 2024 - 2025



Term dates 2024-2025

	First day of term	Half term	Last day of term
Autumn term 2024	Tuesday 3rd September 2024	Monday 28 th October – Friday 1st November 2024	Friday 20th December 2024
Spring term 2025	Tuesday 7 th January 2025	Monday 17 th – Friday 21 st February 2025	Friday 4 th April 2025
Summer term 2025	Wednesday 23rd April 2025	Monday 26 th May – Friday 30th May 2025	Tuesday 22nd July 2025

Staff training days – school closed- 5 days

Autumn term 2024	Monday 2 nd September, Friday 25 th October 2025
Spring term 2025	Monday 6th January 2025
Summer term 2025	Tuesday 22 nd April 2025 , Friday 23rd May 2025

Bank holiday – school closed

Summer term 2025	Monday 5 th May 2025
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Old Oak Events 2024/2025

More information will be given about each event closer to the time:

Month	Date	Event	Time
Oct	Wednesday 16 th	Year 6 Class Assembly	10.10 - 10.30am
	Tuesday 22 nd	Black History Party	3.30 - 4.30pm
	Wednesday 23 rd	Year 5 Class Assembly	10.10 - 10.30am
	Friday 25 th	Staff Training Day	School Closed
Nov	Wednesday 13 th	Cake sale/Pre-loved uniform sale	3.20pm
	Friday 15 th	Children In Need	
	Wednesday 20 th	Year 4 Class Assembly	10.10 - 10.30am
	TBC	Wick Court Fundraiser	3.30 - 4.30pm
Dec	Wednesday 4 th	Year 4 Class Assembly	10.10 - 10.30am
		Festive Movie Night: Year 1-6	3.30 - 4.30pm
	Tuesday 10 th	Winter Disco	3.30 - 4.30pm
	Thursday 12 th	Christmas Jumper Day	
	TBC	Christmas Lunch	
	Tuesday 17 th	Nativity	10am
	Thursday 19 th	Class Parties	
	Friday 20 th	Last day of Autumn Term	School finishes 1.30pm
Jan	Monday 6 th	Staff Training Day	School Closed
	Tuesday 7 th	First day of Spring Term	
	Wednesday 22 nd	Year 2 Class Assembly	10.10 - 10.30am

Feb	Wednesday 5 th	Year 1 Class Assembly	10.10 - 10.30am
	Wednesday 12 th	Reception Class Assembly	10.10 - 10.30am
Mar	Thursday 6 th	World Book Day	
	Wednesday 12 th	Year 6 Class Assembly	10.10 - 10.30am
	Wednesday 19 th	Year 5 Class Assembly	10.10 - 10.30am
	Wednesday 19 th	Year 4 Class Assembly	10.10 - 10.30am
	Friday 21 st	Red Nose Day	
	Wednesday 19 th	EYFS Ducking Disco	3.30 - 4.30pm
	Wednesday 26 th	Mother's Day Breakfast	8.15 - 8.45am
Apr	Wednesday 2 nd	Year 3 Class Assembly	10.10 - 10.30am
	Friday 4 th	Last day of Spring Term	School finishes 1.30pm
	Tuesday 22 nd	Staff Training Day	School Closed
	Wednesday 23 rd	First day of Summer Term	
May	Wednesday 7 th	Year 2 Class Assembly	10.10 - 10.30am
	Friday 16 th	Pyjamarama	
	Wednesday 21 st	Year 1 Class Assembly	10.10 - 10.30am
	Friday 23 rd	Staff Training Day	School Closed
June	Wednesday 11 th	Father's Day Breakfast	8.15 - 8.45am
	Wednesday 18 th	Reception Class Assembly	10.10 - 10.30am
July	Tuesday 8 th	Summer Fair	3.30 - 4.30pm
	Friday 18 th	Year 6 Family Picnic	2.00 – 3.00pm
	Monday 21 st	Year 6 Leaver's Play	5.30pm
	Tuesday 22 nd	Year 6 Leaver's Assembly	1.00pm
	Tuesday 22 nd	Last day of Summer Term	School finishes 1.30pm