





Old Oak Primary School Update

Friday 4th July 2025

Dear families,

The extreme heat at the beginning of the week has cooled off a bit now and it looks like things are calming down. It was really hot in school on Tuesday, and the children coped so well in the circumstances. They were able to stay calm, and though it was difficult to work, they tried very hard to concentrate and do their best. If it gets very hot again, then please remember to dress the children in light clothing to stay as cool as they can.

It was also wonderful to see the visitors in school at our Climate Champions Assembly on Monday morning.

SUMMER FAIR – TUESDAY 8th JULY

We are excited to announce our Summer Fair will take place on the 8th July. This will be a whole school event,



taking place from 3.30 – 4.30pm in the playground. There will be a variety of stalls and activities – please see the attached flyer for more information. We are looking for parent volunteers to help set up and run the stalls. If you are able to help, please see Joanne at front desk. We look forward to seeing you all there!

BRIC A BRAC DONATIONS – STILL COLLECTING

We would be most grateful for donations of any pre-loved toys and books for our Bric a Brac stall. If you are able to donate, please hand to Joanne at front desk. Please note donations should not be broken. All money raised will go towards school funds.

We would also be most grateful for any donations for our bottle stall: drinks, cans, tins jams, shoer gels, perfumes, condiments etc. in an unopened condition.

Thank you!

OLD OAK MARKET - TUESDAY 8th JULY - STILL OPEN!

We hope to have a market at our Summer Fair, showcasing small businesses or those who craft items at home. The cost will be £12 to have a stall and all profit is yours to keep. If you or someone you know in the local area would like to feature at Old Oak Market, please email admin@oldoak.lbhf.sch.uk

ACCESSORIES ON SCHOOL BAGS AND RUCKSACKS

We have noticed that it is becoming popular to have accessories on school bags with keyrings and Labubus coming into school. These are starting to distract the children, causing jealousy and a few have even gone missing. Please keep these objects at home and avoid your child bringing them into school.

<u>SUMMER READING CHALLENGE</u> – <u>https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/</u>

Like every summer, Shepherds Bush library is running the Summer Reading Challenge. Children set a reading goal for the summer – a number of books to read. The library will support you to achieve this. Shepherds Bush library are launching their reading challenge tomorrow, Saturday 5th July at 2.30pm. Please go if you are free tomorrow.



DANCE ENERGY COMPETITION

We are proud and excited that a group of our talented dancers in upper KS2 are performing at the Dance Energy competition on Friday 11th July. The newly formed group have been practising their routine and are ready to showcase it at the event. Prizes up for grabs include free dance lessons and even scholarships at prestigious dance schools!

The show is taking place at Cadogan Hall from 6.30 – 9.30pm. Tickets can be purchased here: <u>DANCE ENERGY 2025 Tickets, Fri, Jul 11, 2025 at 6:30 PM |</u> <u>Eventbrite</u>

STREETDANCE WORKSHOPS

Please explore the street dance sessions which begin at the Family Hub from Thursday, July 31st. Please use this link to book onto the course:

https://forms.office.com/e/xt86bgXyS4



END OF YEAR REPORTS

Next Friday 11th July, you will be receiving your child's end of year school report. This will detail their progress and achievements this year, as well as areas for development. We hope it is a useful document, giving you a clear overview of your child's academic year. However, if you wish to discuss any of the content or have any questions, you can make an appointment with your child's teacher week beginning 14.7.25.

ATTENDANCE:

| Class | Attendance | Lates |
|--------------------|------------|-------|
| Olive class – Yr 1 | 90% | 12 |
| Acacia class Yr 2 | 85% | 2 |
| Chestnut class 3 | 87% | 13 |
| Magnolia class 4 | 87% | 6 |
| Aspen class 5 | 93% | 8 |
| Willow class 6 | 91% | 7 |
| Peach class Rec | 91% | 6 |

The attendance continues to be very poor at the moment. There are a few families with very low attendance and this affects the overall percentage in the class. Perhaps next week we can remove these families from the data and the attendance will look a lot healthier. Lates remain high too.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

| Tuesday 8 th July | Year 4 Mudlarks |
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| | Summer Fair 3.30 – 4.30pm |
| Friday 11 th July | End of year reports distributed |
| | Dance Energy Competition |
| Monday 14 th July | Year 6 Into University workshop |
| Tuesday 15 th July | Meet the new teacher |
| Friday 18 th July | Year 6 Leaver's Party |
| Monday 21 st July | Year 6 Leavers' Play |
| Tuesday 22 nd July | Year 6 Leaver's Assembly |
| | End of term – school finishes at 1.30pm |

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

Have great weekend!

Mrs Beardsworth and Mr. Brown

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FREE ENTRY!

JOIN US FOR LOTS OF FUN! Splash the Teacher Beat the Goalie Old Oak Market Jolly Jars raffle cake sale jewellery stall second hand books bottle stall competitions food stalls and much more!!



Please note all children must be accompanied by an adult Each stall will have various pricing depending on items/activity



We're all looking forward to the school Summer Fair, and this year we're introducing a new Jolly Jars Tombola stall. We'd really appreciate your help to get it up and running.

We're holding a class competition to collect as many filled jars as possible. The class that brings in the most will win a movie hour and a small treat.

Please fill jars with small, fun items like sweets (no nuts, please), small toys, stickers, or simple crafts. If any sweets are halal, please label the jar so we can make that clear at the stall. You're welcome to decorate the jars to make them bright and fun. All jars should be clean and have lids.

If you're not able to fill a jar, empty jars are also welcome.



SUMMER READING CHALLENGE LAUNCH DAY

At Shepherds Bush Library



Join us for an afternoon of fun as we celebrate the start of the Summer Reading Challenge

with arts and crafts.





