



# Old Oak Primary School

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## Year 1 Spring Term Newsletter 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,  
Welcome back to the Spring Term at Old Oak Primary.

This table shows the weekly events in school.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Activities in school	Music Computing			PE	Library PE
Your child will need	Book Bag	Book Bag	Book Bag Reading Books	Book Bag	Book Bag Library Books

**PE:** The children will have 2 PE sessions a week. Please ensure your child comes to school in the correct PE Kit – Trainers, dark shorts/ leggings/tracksuit bottoms, plain white/navy T-shirt. Mike from QPR will be running football lessons on a Friday and Ms McCartney will teach PE on a Thursday. This term **Thursday** PE will be dance. The children may be required to take their shoes off. Please ensure the children are wearing footwear they can remove and put back on, easily.

**Water bottles:** It is vital that each child brings a water bottle to school each day, to ensure they stay hydrated. Please ensure your child has a water bottle with their name on it.

**Homework:** Homework will continue to be set on Seesaw on Fridays with the aim of completing the tasks by the following Wednesday.

**Reading:** It is so important to read as much as possible at home – thank you for continuing to support your child’s reading. Reading books (hard copy and E books) and library books will be sent home on a **Friday**. Please encourage your child to read to you and discuss the book together.

**E- books:** Please remember to use the home e-code (found in the reading record books) that will enable you to access a rhino reader e-book on Twinkl. This e-book will be based on the book your child is reading in class. E-book codes will be changed fortnightly, we would also like parents to add a comment next to the codes in your child's reading record book. Please let us know if you are having trouble accessing this.

**Music:** The children will have a weekly singing assembly and a weekly music session. The children’s Music session will continue to take place on a Monday with Emily.

**Curriculum Map:** The included sheet gives details of what your child will be learning this term. The IPC units we will be covering are ‘Treasure Island’ and ‘Earth Our Home’.

**Year 1 Phonics:** In June, the children will have a Phonics Screening, where they will be expected to read a variety of words based on the phonics sounds they have learnt this year. If you have any questions on this please do not hesitate to contact us.

Thank you for your continued support,  
Ms Crane and Mrs Khalil

