

Oyster Park Primary School

Newsletter 26

12th May 2017



Year 5

On Tuesday and Wednesday Year 5 visited Fryston Woods and became deputy rangers for the morning, completing pond life ecological surveys. This involved the children carrying out pond dipping activities where they found all kinds of pond life from larvae to tadpoles and even some fish. Once the children had identified the pond life they recorded their findings. These findings help the rangers to understand the various species that live in our environment.



Year 6 SATs

Year 6 have worked extremely hard during SATs week. They took papers which tested their reading, their grammar, punctuation and spelling, and their maths skills in arithmetic and reasoning. We are so very proud of how they approached the tests with a growth-mindset and with increased confidence. The children gave it their all and that is all we can ask. We must also thank the staff who have worked tirelessly to support all of the children not only during school time but in breakfast club and after school booster sessions. We really value and appreciate their dedication to supporting our children to reach their potential.



To celebrate their achievements we held a celebratory lunch for all the children and the staff. As a reward for their positive attitude to their learning we have booked for two games of ten pin bowling at the Bowlplex, Xscape on Tuesday 23rd May. The children were thrilled with their surprise reward and are looking forward to some friendly competition against the year 6 staff.

Year 6 still have lots of hard work ahead with a focus on achieving their best with their writing assessments. We know they will continue to show perseverance, determination and a positive attitude to ensure they reach their full potential.



Uniform

The wearing of school uniform at all times is a key part of our drive to develop our children's awareness and ability to conform to required standards necessary for when they leave primary school, secondary school and join the workplace. It is an essential part of the school rules.

Our school uniform consists of:

- Royal blue cardigan or sweatshirt
- Black trousers, shorts, skirt, or pinafore dress
- Sensible black shoes (dark trainers)
- white polo shirt
- Blue and white dress (summer option for girls)

Term Dates 2016-2017

Date	Event
Monday 1 st May 2017	Closed for May Bank Holiday
Friday 26 th May 2017	School closes for half term
Monday 5 th June 2017	School re-opens
Thursday 8 th June 2017	Closure day (General Election)
Tuesday 25 th July 2017	School closes for Summer

Term Dates 2017-2018

Date	Event
Monday 4 th September 2017	School opens
Friday 20 th October 2017	School closes for half term
Monday 30 th October 2017	School re-opens
Friday 15 th December 2017	School closes for Christmas
Tuesday 2 nd January 2018	School re-opens
Friday 9 th February 2018	School closes for half-term
Monday 19 th February 2018	School re-opens
Thursday 29 th March 2018	School closes for Easter
Monday 16 th April 2018	School re-opens
Monday 7 th May 2018	Closed for May Bank Holiday
Friday 25 th May 2018	School closes for half term
Monday 4 th June 2018	School re-opens
Wednesday 25 th July 2018	School closes for Summer

We have 5 INSET days to be arranged for staff training in 2017/18

Let's Celebrate



Class	Attendance National average is 96%	Star of the Week	Hall of Fame
Morning Nursery Mrs Coomber	80%	Joshua Grange Riley Anholm Alfie Cobb	
Afternoon Nursery Mrs Coomber	80%	Cherylea Davis Judd Fisher Alfie Straugheir	
RW Miss Woods	90%	Sophia Grange Tyler Hogdson	Logan Edwards
RC	95%	Booke Bilton Jack Ellerker	Tyler Dogson
1T Miss Tonks	89%	Ella Emmassi Chloe Farrar	Olivia Swinson
1MH Mrs Marshall/Mrs Hyde	94%	Alyssa Boyd Isla Chegwin	Christopher Lees
2B Miss Brannon	98%	Abigail Kelly Harley Coulthard	Levi Emmassi
2TW Miss Taylor-White	98%	Olivia Ziaja Kaitlyn Roebuck	Somer Smith
3A Miss Ambler	92%	Chanelle Stride Thomas Warburton	Chloe Kelly
3T Miss Tomlinson	87%	Jay Hardcastle Jacob Towers	Joshua Hawkin
4F Mr Forsyth	95%	Lacie Bell Zara Wilkinson	Evanly Hyde
4C Miss Craven	88%	Tayla Oulton Liam Fox	Ella Scott
5S Mrs Smithson	93%	Ella-Grace Smith Kirsten Moore	Jack Parker
5G Miss Golding	88%	Whole Class	Lily Chegwin
6BK Miss King/ Miss Bennett	100%	Whole Class	Whole Class
6H Mrs Hill	100%	Whole Class	Whole Class