



# Osborne Primary School Newsletter Spring Issue 1 - 09.01.23

## HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents/Carers,

Firstly I would like to wish you all a very Happy New Year! It has been lovely to welcome our children and families back to school for a new year of exciting learning together.

We continue to encourage our parents/carers to support us by:

- ensuring children are at school and on time EVERY day
- ensuring children are in correct school uniform
- helping children with homework and reading at home
- attending parent sessions at school

Good attendance and punctuality is vital at school so that children do not develop gaps in their learning. I have shared information on the reverse of this newsletter from the Health and Safety Executive outlining guidance on when children need to be kept out of school due to illness.

I would like to thank you for your ongoing support and look forward to another term of exciting learning opportunities.

Best wishes,

Mrs Lisa Dodd

Headteacher



## CONGRATULATIONS

A huge congratulations to Mrs Hills and her family on the safe arrival of their beautiful baby girl Theia. Theia arrived before Christmas, a little earlier than expected! Mrs Hills and Theia are both well and even managed to pop into school to wish us all a Happy New Year!



## REMINDER ABOUT SCHOOL TIMES

REMINDER: CHANGED FROM JANUARY. SCHOOL NO LONGER CLOSES TO CHILDREN AT MIDDAY ON A FRIDAY. THE SCHOOL GATES STILL OPEN AT 8.45am AND OUR NEW TIMES FOR EVERY SCHOOL SCHOOL DAY ARE :

Reception & Year 1: 8.50am - 3.20pm

Year 3, 4, 5 & 6: 8.55am - 3.25pm

## IMPORTANT: SCHOOL COMMUNICATION



Please be aware that all communication with parents will be sent out via Marvellous Me. Where possible, letters will also be added to the school website and updates will be added to Twitter.

It is important that parents access and check Marvellous Me so that you don't miss out on important communication. Please see us at school if you need help to access Marvellous Me.



## CONTACT US

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## USEFUL CONTACTS

Childline: 0800 1111

NHS: 111

Samaritans: 116123

Victim support: 0808 1689111

Anxiety UK: 03444775774

MIND (Mental Health Charity): 0300 1233393

Drinkaware: 0300 1231110

Erdington Foodbank: 07474683

# GUIDANCE FROM THE HEALTH AND SAFETY EXECUTIVE ABOUT WHEN CHILDREN SHOULD BE ABSENT FROM SCHOOL

## When should my child return to school/childcare?



<b>Chicken Pox</b> When scabs are dry	<b>Conjunctivitis</b> No need to stay out*	<b>Diarrhoea or Vomiting</b> 48 hours after the last episode	<b>Flu</b> 5 days after start of illness	<b>Glandular Fever</b> No need to stay out*
<b>Hand, foot &amp; mouth</b> No need to stay out*	<b>Head Lice</b> No need to stay out*	<b>Impetigo</b> When scabs are dry or 24 hours after starting antibiotics	<b>Measles</b> 4 days after rash appears	<b>Mumps</b> 5 days after swelling appears
<b>Scabies</b> After first treatment	<b>Scarlet Fever</b> 24 hours after starting antibiotics	<b>Slapped Cheek</b> No need to stay out*	<b>Threadworms</b> No need to stay out*	<b>Whooping Cough</b> 5 days after starting antibiotics or 21 days after start of illness

This information is based on the Management of Infectious Diseases in Schools guidance document.

\*No need to stay out if child is well but school or childcare provider should be informed.

## EXTRA CURRICULAR CLUBS AT OSBORNE FOR SPRING TERM 2023

MONDAY: REC & KEY STAGE 1 MULTI-SPORTS CLUB (£1 PER WEEK)

TUESDAY: DRAMA CLUB (COMING SOON - DETAILS TO BE CONFIRMED)

WEDNESDAY: KEY STAGE 2 BASKETBALL (£1 PER WEEK)

THURSDAY: WHOLE SCHOOL CHOIR (FREE)

FRIDAY: KEY STAGE 2 BOXING (£1 PER WEEK)

### KEY INFORMATION

ALL CLUBS WILL RUN FROM 3.25PM - 4.25PM & WE AIM TO BEGIN CLUBS NEXT WEEK. LETTERS WILL BE SENT OUT THIS WEEK.

PLACES WILL BE ALLOCATED ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED BASIS.

CHILDREN WILL BE ALLOCATED A PLACE FOR THE SPRING TERM.

AFTER EASTER, DIFFERENT CLUBS MAY BE OFFERED.

CHILDREN WHO ATTENDED A CLUB IN AUTUMN TERM WILL NEED TO SIGN UP AGAIN.

PAYMENTS FOR CLUBS WILL BE MADE VIA PARENT PAY.

## PE IN SPRING TERM

As a reminder, all children can attend school in their school PE kit on their PE day. This includes: a light blue polo t-shirt, black joggers/shorts, a navy hoody or school jumper and trainers suitable for indoor or outdoors.

There is a change to the timetable for some classes so please see below to see the PE day.

Children in Reception and 4C should attend school in uniform and bring PE/swimming kit with them.

Monday : 1S, 1D, 2H, 3A, 3S

Tuesday: 5W

Wednesday: RD, RH, 4P, 4C (Swimming)

Thursday: 5F, 6G

Friday: 2B, 6F