



Oldbury Park Primary School

Weekly Words 25

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Dates for your diary

(Additions / changes in **bold italics**)

Mon 1 Apr	3.30pm Home cricket match vs Pitmaston for Y3/4 boys + girls
Wed 3 Apr	Year 4 Trip
Thu 4 Apr	Last Swimming Session - Year 4
Fri 5 Apr	9.15am KS2 Assembly
	Year 5 Rotary Quiz
Mon 8 Apr	6-8pm PTA Chocolate Bingo
	3.30pm Home football match vs Hollymount for Y6
Mon 8 Apr	3.30pm Home cricket match vs Pitmaston for Y5/6 boys
	2.15pm Year 6 shared reading session for parents
Tue 9 Apr	2.15pm Year 6 shared reading session for parents
Wed 10 Apr	2.15pm Jade Morgan (FSW)
	Year 4 Parent Workshop
Thu 11 Apr	"Iron Lung" in School
Fri 12 Apr	No Parent Assembly
	Break up for Easter Holiday
Mon 29 Apr	Teacher Training Day – no children
Tue 30 Apr	Children back to school
Thu 2 May	Polling Day in School
	Year 4 Swimming Starts
Mon 6 May	Bank Holiday: no children in school
Tue 7 May	Year 2 SATs for the next 3 weeks
Mon 13 May	Year 6 SATs this week
Fri 24 May	Break up for Half-Term Holiday
Mon 3 Jun	Back to School
Thu 13 Jun	6.00 for 6.45 Arena Song + Dance
Fri 21 Jun	Teacher Training Day – no children
Fri 19 Jul	Last day of term for children
Mon 22 Jul	Teacher Education Day
Mon 2 Sep	Teacher Education Days
Tue 3 Sep	No children in school
Wed 4 Sep	Children back to school
Fri 25 Oct	Break up for Half-Term Holiday
Mon 4 Nov	Back to School
Fri 20 Dec	Break up for Christmas

2020 Dates

Mon 6 Jan	Back to School
Fri 14 Feb	Break up for Half-Term Holiday
Mon 24 Feb	Back to School
Fri 3 Apr	Break up for the Easter Holiday
Mon 20 Apr	Back to School
Fri 22 May	Break up for Half-Term Holiday
Mon 1 Jun	Back to School
Mon 20 Jul	Break up for Summer Holiday

Year 5 Football vs Hollymount

On Monday, boys in Year 5 were the latest team to play a friendly football match. The game proved to be extremely tight and the boys showed excellent team spirit and determination to come back from being a goal down, twice. Dan (from distance) and Nathan scored the two goals. However, Hollymount scored a decisive winning goal and ended up 3-2 winners. The boys represented the school well and will benefit from the experience of playing together. Mr Williams.

Clubs on this week

Balance Bikes for R/Y1 this week

Waste Week

Mon	25	Mar	Willow Forest School
Tue	26	Mar	Only one Crossing Patrol in the morning
			Oak Forest School
Wed	27	Mar	Walk to School Wednesday
			2KJ Forest School
			2.15pm Jade Morgan (FSW) to see parents– please ring ahead for appointment
Thu	28	Mar	3M Forest School
Fri	29	Mar	PTA Non-Uniform for chocolate donations for Chocolate Bingo
			9.15am KS1 Assembly
			Ash Forest School

Attendance

Week Ending: 8th March 2019

Class	Percentage	Total number of children arriving late to school
Oak	99.64 Well Done	55
3M	99.29	
5M	98.33	
2KJ	98.26	
Ash	97.08	
Willow	96.79	This was 65 last week. Please keep trying to be in school on time! Thank you.
4A	96.00	
2LJ	95.22	
MAB	95.00	
6W	95.00	
5S	93.67	
3C	93.10	
4M	92.76	
6h	90.32	

Attendance

Week Ending: 15th March 2019

Class	Percentage	Total number of children arriving late to school
4A	98.33 Well Done	127
5S	98.00	
Ash	97.08	
3M	96.79	
4M	95.86	
Oak	95.71	This was 55 last week! This is a terrible dip. Please let school know if there is a particular reason why you are late regularly. Thank you.
5M	95.67	
3C	95.52	
2LJ	94.78	
6H	94.52	
6W	94.33	
MAB	92.50	
2KJ	92.17	
Willow	91.07	

British Science Week 11th March

Last week, the Oldbury Park Science Ambassadors launched British Science Week in Monday's whole school assembly, announcing the national theme of 'Journeys'.

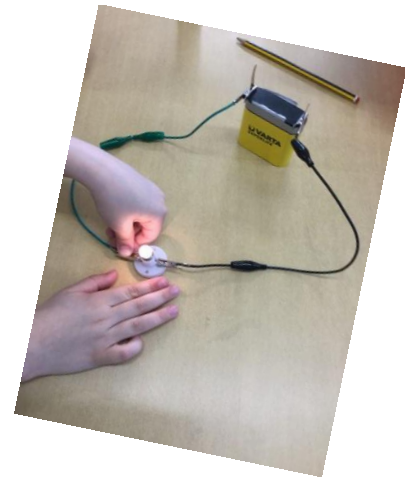
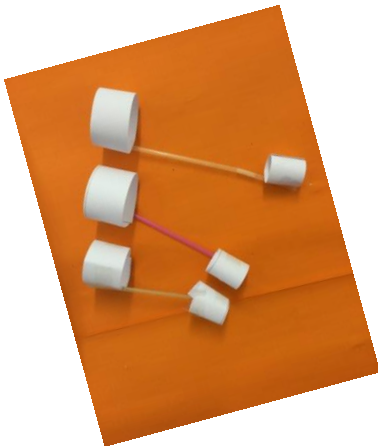
Children had the opportunity through their lessons to explore Journeys in Earth and beyond; Electric Journeys and Journeys through nature.

The whole school decided to do an investigation about 'Make it fly!' focusing on their working scientifically skills. Around school there were planes, gliders and all sorts being tested out indoors and outdoors!

All children have designed a poster individually, pairs or groups, around 'Journeys' and in the next few weeks we look forward to announcing our five finalists to be sent off to the National Science competition.

Through our special focus week, we hope we have inspired the children to THINK SCIENTIFICALLY and to have been on a journey to new knowledge!

Please look out for our photos of Science week in next week's edition of Weekly Words with our five poster finalists! Mrs Jackson Science Co-ordinator



PTA News

Chocolate Bingo Night – Chocolate bingo is exactly what it says it is... playing bingo for chocolate prizes, all in the spirit of Easter!! As no money is involved, children can play which they love to do.

We would love you to come along to this bargain, fun, family friendly event. It promises to be a fantastic night full of fun and chocolate for all the family – you are welcome to bring siblings, grandparents, aunts, uncles, friends – it's open to all. You are also welcome to bring your own drinks and food. There will also be a raffle with some fabulous prizes (not chocolate!) on the night, and each ticket bought will go into a prize fund draw to win an extra special prize. These events have proved very popular in the past!! Tickets on sale from now until 29th March! Spare booking forms in the office.

There will also be a non-uniform day on **Friday 29th March** in exchange for a donation of chocolate (eggs, bars, bunnies, anything chocolatey!!). We really appreciate your support when preparing for these events.

Again we appreciate your support and please visit our Facebook page if you have any questions or you would like to help at any of our events!

Oldbury Park Tigers Football Club

Oldbury Park Tigers Football Club are looking for established and new players aged 5-8 (under 6, 7 and 8) and 9-12 (under 10 and 11) for their existing and new teams. Training takes place at the University of Worcester on a Wednesday at 6-7pm and matches are played on a Saturday morning. There is a development centre at Oldbury Park School on a Sunday morning 10.30am - 11.30am and anyone aged 5-11 can come and join in this for free.

The club is FA regulated and all coaching staff are volunteers who are FA qualified, CRB cleared, safeguarding and first aid trained. We are a friendly club who encourage all children to enjoy football regardless of ability or skill level. Our aim is to make football fun, enjoyable and developmental.

For player ages 11-12 please contact Craig Gourley 07837 531872.

For players ages 9-10 please contact Simon Avery 07791 294213 or Paul Jordan 07876 031141.

For players aged 5-8 please contact Richard Birchley 07591 863826.

If you have a child who would like to join in, but is unsure, please feel free to bring them along to the fun, friendly free Sunday sessions which will help them see if it is right for them. Boys and girls are welcome and we support fairness, equality and diversity within all our teams.

If any parents are interested in becoming coaches, please speak to the relevant coach. A CRB check will be required. Many thanks. Oldbury Park Tigers