



Oldbury Park Primary RSA Academy

Weekly Words 4

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Dates for your diary (Additions / changes in **bold italics**)

Fri 4 Oct	9.15am KS1 (incl Reception) Harvest Parent Assembly
Tue 8 Oct	Magistrate in to talk to Year 5
Wed 9 Oct	6pm Year 6 Parent Information Session re Residential Trip
Fri 11 Oct	9.15am KS2 Harvest Parent Assembly
Tue 15 Oct	Magistrate in to talk to Year 6
Thu 17 Oct	Beech's Year 1s visit Snoezelen
Wed 16 Oct	2.30-3pm Jade Morgan – Family Support Worker Drop in Session
Fri 18 Oct	9.15am KS1 (incl Reception) Parent Assembly
	Year 5 Cross Country Event at Pitmaston Park
Mon 21 Oct	Global Citizenship Week
	No clubs this week
	Parent Consultations after sch
Wed 23 Oct	Parent Consultations after sch
Thu 24 Oct	Maple's Year 1s visit Snoezelen
Fri 25 Oct	Break up for Half-Term Holiday
Mon 4 Nov	Back to School
Wed 6 Nov – Fri 8 Nov	Year 6 Residential at The Pioneer Centre, Cleobury Mortimer
Wed 13 Nov	Nasal spray flu vaccination for Years Reception to 6.
Thu 14 Nov	Holly's Year 1s visit Snoezelen
Fri 20 Dec	1.30pm Break up for Christmas
Mon 6 Jan	Teacher Training Day – no children in school
Tue 7 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 Easter holiday
Mon 20 Apr	Back to school
Fri 8 May	Bank Holiday Monday
Fri 22 May	Break up for half-term holiday
Mon 1 Jun	Back to school
Fri 17 Jul	Break up for summer holiday
Mon 20 Jul	Teacher Education Day No children in school today

Clubs this week Week 4 Forest School

Mon	30	Sep	Year 1/2 Maple Class (Mrs Iqbal) Forest School
Tue	1	Oct	RC (Mrs Cartwright) Forest School Ed Jones (Choir Conductor) visiting to sing with Year 3 and 4
Wed	2	Oct	Walk to School Wednesday RH (Miss Hall) Forest School 2.30pm Jade Morgan – FSW - Drop in
Thu	3	Oct	-
Fri	4	Oct	9.15am KS1 (incl Reception) Harvest Assembly for Parents 3TM (Mrs Marks) Forest School

Attendance

Week Ending: 20th September 2019

Class	Percentage	Total number of children arriving late to school
3TM	100 - Well Done	66 This was 56 last week.
4S	98.97	
Holly	98.93	
RC	98.17	
6M	98.00	
5T	98.00	
4C	97.78	
RH	97.56	
Beech	97.04	
5W	96.33	
Maple	96.07	
6H	91.67	
3JM	90.83	
MAB	78.75	

Harvest Assemblies

Leading up to the Harvest Assemblies on the next two Fridays, we would be extremely grateful for gifts of non-perishable items for our display and for us to donate to the Worcester Food Bank.

Dear Parents

Thank you all so much for your support to raise money for Oscar today. What an amazing result!! We will let you know the total amount as soon as we can.

I hope your child feels settled in school now. Please do come and see me if there is anything you wish to discuss.

Have a lovely weekend.

Sarah Boyce

Arriving at School in the Morning

Now that the children are settling into a routine, please leave your child where the Leadership Team stand, and pass on any messages to them so that the staff at the door can concentrate on making your child feel welcome as they come into school. Many thanks.

Year 6 Residential Information Session for Parents

Please come along at 6pm on Wednesday 9th October, to hear about the Year 6 trip coming up just after the half-term holiday.

We desperately need Lunchtime Supervisors!

Please contact the school office for more information.

Forest School

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Friday
Week 1 : 7 th Oct	Year 1/2 Holly Class (Mrs Pritchard / Mrs Jackson)	RC (Mrs Cartwright)	RH (Miss Hall)	Year 1/2 Beech Class (Mrs Stallwood)
Week 2 : 14 th Oct	Year 1/2 Maple Class (Mrs Iqbal)	RC (Mrs Cartwright)	RH (Miss Hall)	3JM (Mr Mills)
Week 3 : 21 st Oct	Year 1/2 Holly Class (Mrs Pritchard / Mrs Jackson)	RC (Mrs Cartwright)	RH (Miss Hall)	Year 1/2 Beech Class (Mrs Stallwood)
Week 4 : 30 th Sep	Year 1/2 Maple Class (Mrs Iqbal)	RC (Mrs Cartwright)	RH (Miss Hall)	3TM (Mrs Marks)

ALDI Vouchers

As you may be aware, ALDI (one of our local supermarkets) has started an initiative to promote sport and physical activity in schools. For every £30 spent, ALDI will give customers a sticker (these will have a picture of a famous sports player on) to bring into school. We have to put the stickers onto a poster. For each poster completed, we will receive a bag of sports equipment to be used in school. In addition to this, we will be entered into a national draw, where 20 lucky schools win £20,000 to support PE and sport in school!

Thank you to those who have already brought stickers into school. We will be collecting them, so would appreciate any donations. They can be sent in with your child, dropped at the office or handed to a member of staff.

The closing date is 3rd November, so vouchers need to be in school before this date.

Thank you in advance of your support.

Year 3 Stone Age Wow Day

Year 3 began their topic with a 'Wow!' experience, taking on the role of archaeologists to piece together clues and discover what it was like to live in the Stone Age. During the day, the children discovered Stone Age poo, full of nutritious foods from the Stone Age period. They then went to Forest School to search for ancient cave paintings, finding out about how cave people communicated, hunted and the animals they might have come across. Finally, the children became inventors and tried their hands at carving tools and weapons from a modern day alternative to stone (soap). It was an exciting way for the children to throw themselves into our topic and we look forward to exploring it more over the coming weeks.

Please use the topic letter we sent out to investigate areas at home. Many thanks Mr Mills and Mrs Marks.



PTA News

We have lots coming up in the next few weeks, so keep an eye on weekly words and the Facebook page.

Christmas card designs have started at school and letters went home this week. The designs will come home with your child and you can order items up until **11th October at the latest** due to getting orders completed on time. Please take money and order form into school with all details filled in!

We are looking for donations of teddy bears for our popular stall at the Christmas Fayre, so if you have any clean, good condition teddies (no toys please) looking for a new home please bring them into school and we will take them off your hands!

Dates for your diary (so far):

- **06.11.19 – AGM meeting** – a chance to discuss the past year for the PTA. Details of time and location to follow. All welcome.
- **13.11.19 – Pamper evening** – we will be hosting a pamper evening with various stalls and treats. Letters to follow with full details **NEXT WEEK!**
- **15.11.19 – Bake-a-cake day for Children in Need** - our popular cake day returns. Letters to follow.
- **29.11.19 – PTA wear you own clothes day** - children can wear their own clothes to school in exchange for donations for the Xmas Fayre – details to follow.
- **06.12.19 - Christmas Fayre** – the planning begins!

As always 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!

Tell us what you think!

If you have previously completed this, we would be grateful for you to please complete it again as it is a new set of data for the new academic year. Thank you.

Please let us know what you think of our school. The 'Parent View' questionnaire, designed by Ofsted, is available online for all parents and carers to record their thoughts and impressions about our school. If you have five minutes to spare, please access the questionnaire and answer the questions about your child at Oldbury Park. This information can be used by Ofsted during an inspection but it is always valuable feedback to us so that we can make your child's time at Oldbury Park the best that it can be!

Please click on this link to complete the questionnaire: <https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/>