



# Oldbury Park Primary RSA Academy

## Weekly Words 6

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

Mon 21 Oct	Global Citizenship Week No clubs this week <b><i>Deadline for Y6 Hoodie orders</i></b> <b><i>Police to visit Reception</i></b> Parent Consultations after sch
Wed 23 Oct	Parent Consultations after sch
Thu 24 Oct	Maple's Year 1s visit Snoezelen
Fri 25 Oct	No Assembly for Parents today Break up for Half-Term Holiday
Mon 4 Nov	Back to School
Wed 6 Nov	2.30-3pm Jade Morgan – FSW
Wed 6 Nov – Fri 8 Nov	Year 6 Residential at The Pioneer Centre, Cleobury Mortimer
Fri 8 Nov	No Assembly for Parents
Wed 13 Nov	Nasal spray flu vaccination for Years Reception to 6.
Thu 14 Nov	Holly's Year 1s visit Snoezelen
Fri 15 Nov	Children in Need PTA Bake-a-Cake Day <b><i>9.15am KS2 Parent Assembly</i></b>
<b>Tue 19 Nov</b>	<b><i>Year 6 to University for PE</i></b> <b><i>NSPCC Assemblies</i></b>
<b>Wed 20 Nov</b>	<b><i>2.30-3pm Jade Morgan – FSW</i></b>
<b>Fri 22 Nov</b>	<b><i>9.15am KS1 Parent Assembly</i></b> <b><i>Year 6 Indoor Athletics - CWLC</i></b>
<b>Tue 26 Nov</b>	<b><i>Year 6 to University for PE</i></b> <b><i>NSPCC workshops with Y5 and 6</i></b>
<b>Wed 27 Nov</b>	<b><i>6-8pm PTA Wrapping Night</i></b>
<b>Thu 28 Nov</b>	<b><i>Last swim for Year 4 this term</i></b>
<b>Fri 29 Nov</b>	<b><i>9.15am KS2 Parent Assembly</i></b> <b><i>PTA Non-uniform for donations</i></b>
<b>Mon 2 Dec</b>	<b><i>PTA Christmas Shop</i></b>
<b>Tue 3 Dec</b>	<b><i>Year 6 to University for PE</i></b>
<b>Wed 4 Dec</b>	<b><i>2.30-3pm Jade Morgan – FSW</i></b>
<b>Fri 6 Dec</b>	<b><i>3.30-5.30 PTA Christmas Fayre</i></b>
<b>Tue 10 Dec</b>	<b><i>Year 6 to University for PE</i></b>
<b>Fri 13 Dec</b>	<b><i>Christmas Jumper Day</i></b> <b><i>11am Year 5 and 6 Carol Service at St Clements Church</i></b>
<b>Tue 17 Dec</b>	<b><i>Christmas Dinner / Party Day</i></b> <b><i>Year 6 to University for PE</i></b>
<b>Wed 18 Dec</b>	<b><i>9.30am KS1/Reception Nativity</i></b> <b><i>11am Y5/6 sing Carols at Sanctuary House</i></b> <b><i>1.45pm Year 3/4 Production</i></b>
<b>Thu 19 Dec</b>	<b><i>9.30am Year 3/4 Production</i></b> <b><i>2pm KS1/Reception Nativity</i></b>
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 2 Forest School

Mon	14	Oct	<b><i>Fire Brigade to visit Reception</i></b> Year 1/2 Maple Class (Mrs Iqbal) Forest School
Tue	15	Oct	Magistrate in to talk to Year 6 RC (Mrs Cartwright) Forest School
Wed	16	Oct	Walk to School Wednesday <b><i>Year 4 WOW Day – see below</i></b> RH (Miss Hall) Forest School 2.30-3pm Jade Morgan – Family Support Worker Drop in Session
Thu	17	Oct	Year 6 WOW Day Beech's Year 1s visit Snoezelen
Fri	18	Oct	9.15am KS1 (incl Reception) Parent Assembly Yr 5 Cross Country Event - Pitmaston Park 3JM (Mr Mills) Forest School

### Attendance

Week Ending: 4<sup>th</sup> October 2019

Class	Percentage	Total number of children arriving late to school
<b>RH</b>	<b>99.16 - Well Done</b>	74
5T	98.67	
4C	98.15	
Beech	98.15	
Maple	97.86	
3JM	97.60	
Holly	97.50	
5W	97.33	
4S	97.24	
6M	96.00	
RC	95.63	
3TM	91.74	
6H	91.03	
MAB	78.75	

### Open School – Week 21<sup>st</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> October

This is for parents of children who would like to come to Oldbury Park. Please call the office for an appointment

### Reception - Tapestry

All the children's Tapestry accounts are now live. You should have received an email to activate your account. Please let a member of staff know if you have not received an email. We hope Tapestry will provide you with opportunities to talk to your child about what we are doing in school. You are also able to upload your own observations. We would love to see any learning that the children enjoy at home. Thank you for your support. The Reception Team

### Young Voices

News coming very soon! Still waiting for date confirmation.

Please note lots of **new dates and events** on the calendar.

## **Forest School**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Friday
Week 1 : 11 <sup>th</sup> Nov	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 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Year 1/2 Maple Class (Mrs Iqbal)	RC (Mrs Cartwright)	RH (Miss Hall)	3JM (Mr Mills)
Week 3 : 21 <sup>st</sup> 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 : 4 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Year 1/2 Maple Class (Mrs Iqbal)	RC (Mrs Cartwright)	RH (Miss Hall)	3TM (Mrs Marks)

### **Singing Experience for Year 3 and 4**

On Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> October, Years 3 and 4 were visited by Mr Ed Jones, Choirmaster at Worcester Cathedral. The children were introduced to the art of choir singing and joined in with a number of singing activities. Mr Jones showed the children how the pitch of their voice could be altered and how music can be created without any noise at all. The session was a great introduction to singing in a choir and the children were encouraged to attend sessions at Worcester Cathedral if they are interested. If your child was interested after the session, please contact Mr Jones through this email address: [edjones@worcestercathedral.org.uk](mailto:edjones@worcestercathedral.org.uk)

### **Magistrates Visit to Year 5**

On Tuesday afternoon, the children in Year 5 welcomed two special visitors to school. Mr Poppleton and Mrs Hulland, two local Magistrates, came in to talk to the children about our legal system and some of the scenarios they are faced with. The children heard how magistrates are volunteers but that they deal with criminal cases where they are able to impose fines and even send people to jail. To the children's surprise, they found that from the age of ten children are criminally responsible for their actions and behaviour. The children took part in various role play scenarios and had to speculate as to what action a magistrate might take. All of the children found the talk very interesting and are very grateful to Mr Poppleton and Mrs Hulland for coming in. The Year 5 Team.

### **Year 4 WOW Day**

On Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October, Year 4 will be having a Wow Day to celebrate their learning this half term. As part of the day, we plan to visit the Forest School site. Please send Forest School clothing and wellies with your child on this day. Thank you. Mrs Screen and Ms Condon

### **Year 6 WOW Day**

On Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> of October, Year 6 will be having a WOW day in Forest School!

This will link to our Roaming Wild Topic as we will be learning more about North and South America, as well as taking inspiration from our class book 'The Explorer' for some other activities.

Please can all children bring in forest school kit (long sleeves and long trousers), with wellies and a waterproof coat. As the weather may be getting colder, please pack extra layers for them to put on. Thank you, Year 6.

### **Year 6 Leavers' Hoodies**

Order them from: <https://oldburypark-school.secure-decoration.com/> Samples are available to try on in the office. Deadline for ordering is Monday 21<sup>st</sup> October.

### **ALDI Vouchers... update!**

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 3<sup>rd</sup> November, so vouchers need to be in school before this date.

Thank you in advance of your support. Mr Williams – Assistant Head and PE Co-ordinator.

### **PTA News**

Letters will be coming home next week with information regarding our AGM meeting. It would be great if we could see some new (or old) faces. We can go over the past year and discuss exciting things to come and we would love to welcome new members and ideas!

We are still 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!

The PTA Pamper evening is not far away – tickets are £6 in advance or £7.50 on the night. We have some fabulous stalls, demonstrations and treatments lined up. A great chance to unwind and relax before the madness of Christmas.

**Dates** for your diary (so far):

- **06.11.19 – AGM meeting - 6-7pm, Oldbury Park large hall** – a chance to discuss the past year for the PTA. All welcome. Letter to follow next week.
- **13.11.19 – Pamper evening** – we will be hosting a pamper evening with various stalls and treats.
- **15.11.19 – Bake-a-cake day for Children in Need** - our popular cake day returns. Letter 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 Christmas Fayre – details to follow.
- **06.12.19 - Christmas Fayre** – planning is moving quickly, volunteers welcome...

*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!*