

OAK BITES 11th February 2025

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Dear Parents/Guardians

Year 3

There is no news specific to Year 3.

Year 4

A reminder that Year 4 are taking part in tree **planting at Knowle Park on Thursday, 13th February**, during the school day – this will not impact swimming.

Each year 4 class will visit the site to plant trees, and as the area will be muddy, we kindly ask that **all children bring wellies to school on the day**. Children should wear their school uniform jumpers but may choose sensible, comfortable trousers. We also strongly recommend bringing a **spare pair of trousers** to change into afterwards for comfort.

If you haven't done so already, please log into Arbor to give consent. We are introducing an ongoing consent option for local school visits—ticking this will reduce the need to complete forms for each trip.

Year 5

There is no news specific to Year 5.

Year 6

YEAR 6 MOVIE NIGHT – TONIGHT!

Wyvern have an event on site this evening so we recommend that no additional cars enter the gates if at all possible. Thank you for your support with this.

Year 6 - Play leaders this week

Just a reminder that this week's play leaders have been cancelled. This means children will need to either bring a packed lunch from home or order a school dinner with their teacher in the morning.

PSA NEWS

- **YEAR 6 MOVIE NIGHT - TUESDAY 11 FEBRUARY.** See Year 6 section for details.

General information - all pupils, all year groups

Spare clothing



Thank you to those of you who have already donated spare pants and socks for the children. We are now asking for further help with donations of PE items – i.e. leggings, tracksuit bottoms and shorts aged 10 – 14. We really do appreciate your help and support with this. Thank you!

Site vehicle usage

Much progress has been made over the past year to improve site safety and security. This has made a great deal of difference to all campus users and has made the campus a safe and pleasant place to move around.

One aspect that we are noticing more frequently now, is that when vehicles are accessing the site and waiting to collect children of all ages at different times of the day, the vehicles engines are often left running. Whilst this might be convenient for the vehicle users it is creating necessary noise and pollution on our campus. We therefore would ask that if you are authorised to drive on site or use the site for a legitimate reason, vehicle engines are switched off once you are stationary and parked in a safe place.

Thank you for your cooperation

Provisional dates for the year: These are subject to change and will be added to/amended over time.

Spring Term Dates 2025

Spring 1

7 February: INSET DAY

10 February: Y6 World War 2 day

11 February: Y6 Movie Night

14 February: Announce house winners

17 – 21 February: Half term

Spring 2

24 February: Y5 Stubbington Week

27 February: Y4 Movie night

3 March: Year 7 Notification Day

4 March: Y 3 – 5 Parents Evening 4 – 7pm

5 March: Y 3 – 5 Parents Evening 4 – 6pm

6 March: World Book Day

**7 March: Winning house Iced bun and dress down day –
(moved to avoid the Y5 Stubbington trip)**

12 March: Y5 Movie Night

25 March: Class photos

26 March: Y3 Movie Night

27 March: Invitation Relay

4 April: Read Aloud Assembly Final

Remaining Inset days: 2024-2025

Friday 27th June 2025

Summer term dates to follow.