



Friday 22nd April 2022
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St Osyth Church of England Primary School News

'Love one another as I have loved you.'

Dear Parents and Carers,
It is lovely to see the children back to school after the Easter Holiday. It is also great to have some lovely weather!

The summer term is usually the time when children have to undertake all sorts of government set assessments (tests). Our approach to all of these is very simple:

1. Provide children with the best possible teaching all the time.
2. Support the children so that they approach assessments as an opportunity to show how great their learning is and so not to feel under any undue stress.
3. Run government set assessments as if they are just a part of the things that we normally do in school, as much as is possible within the 'rules' the government set.

Here is a summary of the various government assessments that will take place this term. If you have any questions or queries about them, in relation to your child, please speak to your child's class teacher.

What	Who	When	Format
KS 2 SATs	Year 6	9th to 12th May	Formal tests
Multiplication	Year 4	6th to 24th June	Online test
Times Tables			Similar to some parts of Times Tables
Check			Rock Stars
KS 1 SATs	Year 2	Before the end of May	In class assessments and ongoing teacher assessment
Phonics Screen	Year 1	6th to 10th June	Verbal assessment
			Similar to a normal phonics session.
EYFS Profile	Reception	Ongoing	Ongoing teacher assessment

Links to government guides about KS 1 and KS 2 SATs and the multiplication times tables check.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/key-stage-1-and-2-national-curriculum-tests-information-for-parents>

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/1031901/2022_Information_for_parents_Multiplication_tables_check.pdf

*Best Regards,
Mr M Carter-Tufnell*

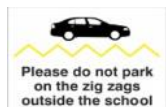
School dinners - bookings can now be made until the May half term

Dinner bookings need to be made online, please select your meal choices and add the items to the basket before proceeding to the checkout. If your child is eligible for free school meals or universal infant free school meals you also need to complete the checkout process but you will not be charged.

If you think you may be eligible for free school meals please contact the school office for a form.



Everyone is reminded not to park on the zig zag lines outside school and also to be considerate to all our neighbours and not to block their driveways.



All children must have a full **named** PE kit in school every day.

PE Kit: Black shorts,

White t-shirt, Plimsols



Additional items allowed for outside: Plain tracksuit bottoms, top and trainers

Children can wear a Fitbit (or similar) to school, but it is their responsibility to keep it safe during the day.

All Watches, Fitbits and earrings need to be removed for P.E. lessons

School Uniform



Our full uniform policy can be accessed on our website:

<https://st-osyth.essex.sch.uk/key-information/uniform/>

Alternatively, hard copies can be requested from our school office.

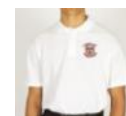
New Prices from 1st April 2022



Lost Property

Please ensure that all uniform is named, in order for it to be returned to your children.

This also applies to coats and lunch boxes.



Breakfast Club is open from 7.45am for **all ages**, costing **£3.00 per session**.

Please accompany your children into the school office, the children have breakfast and a chance to play.

If you unexpectedly need to use Breakfast Club your child can be booked in on arrival, but payment must be made before the end of the day.

These sessions must be booked and paid for on school money in advance.



Club News

Summer clubs will start next week, Please check your messages to see if your child has been registered on a club they requested.

If your child is unable to attend an afterschool club please let the office staff know in advance.

Otherwise you will get a phone call to find out where they are.

This is for the safety of our children, particularly those who have permission to walk out at the end of the school day.



Clubs start w/b 25th April 2022

All clubs are for registered children only

Clubs finish at 4pm, unless otherwise stated

See below for collection details

	Club	Years	From	To	Lead by
Monday	Athletics	1&2	25.04.2022	23.05.2022	Mr Carvalho
Monday	Student & Eco Council	Invite only	25.04.2022		Mrs Ryan
Tuesday	Tennis	3&4	26.04.2022	12.07.2022	Mr Carvalho
Tuesday	Gardening & Chickens (10)	2	26.04.2022		Miss Gildersleeves
Tuesday	Multi- Skills	EYFS	26.04.2022		Miss Esparon
Tuesday	Rounders	5&6	26.04.2022		Miss Oxley
Wednesday	Handball (16)	3&4	27.04.2022	17.07.2022	External Coach
Thursday	Girls Football	3&4, 5&6	28.04.2022	19.05.2022	Mrs Antoniou
Thursday	Athletics	5&6	28.04.2022	14.07.2022	Mr Carvalho
Thursday	Weaving & Sewing (12)	3&4	28.04.2022	14.07.2022	Mrs Walton-Steed
Thursday	French	EYFS	28.04.2022	14.07.2022	Mrs Rivas-Long / Mrs Kirk
Friday	Cricket (16)	5&6	29.04.2022	15.07.2022	External Coach

Dates for your Diary

- Monday 25th and Tuesday 26th April - Royal Coronation Day - Year 1 and 2
- Monday 2nd May - Bank holiday - No School
- Monday 9th May to Thursday 12th May - Year 6 SATs week
- Monday 23rd May to Friday 27th May 2022 - Year 6 Isle of Wight residential trip
- Thursday 26th May - Non pupil day
- Friday 27th May to Friday 3rd June - Half Term
- Wednesday 8th and Thursday 9th June - year 5 Pioneer day Trip
- Friday 22nd July - Last day of term