

ORMISTON MEADOWS ACADEMY NEWSLETTER

27TH MARCH 2024



A Message from Mrs Moore

Although this half term has been a short one, we have managed to pack in lots of exciting opportunities. We have had lots of visits out of school including Ferry Meadows and Sacrewell Farm and we welcomed a nurse into school to tell us more about her job. We have celebrated many things including World Book Day, Mother's Day and our special winners attending the OAT Awards ceremony in Birmingham. I can't quite believe that Easter is here and we are preparing for our final term in school. I hope you all have a fabulous Easter break and we look forward to welcoming the children back on Tuesday 16th April.











Key Assessment dates for Summer Term

Year 1 will be sitting their **phonics screening** during the week commencing Monday 10th June.

Year 4 will be sitting their **Multiplication Tables Check** week commencing 14th June.

Year 6 will be sitting their **SATs week** commencing Monday 13th May.

Boom Reader

Please take time over the Easter Break to read with your children and log this on Boom Reader. Recent assessments have seen children in all year groups making great progress with their reading and we want this to continue in the Summer term! Please ask your child's class teacher if you need a reminder of your login details.



<u>Attendance</u>

Our current school attendance is 93.5 %. Well done to the children who currently have collected weekly raffle tickets this term. Our academy target this year is to be at least 95% attendance with only 15% of the school with under 90% attendance (over 20 days off for the school year). Please remember to always let the office know your child is too unwell for school. If you have any questions regarding attendance please don't hesitate in contacting myself or Mrs French.

Well done to all the children who collected raffle tickets this term by coming to school every day on time. Congratulations to the winners of our Easter attendance raffle:



1st Prize – Oliver

2nd Prize – Sophie

3rd Prize – Erin

Most Improved - Hugo



PE Days

Please see the updated PE days for Summer Term. As the weather gets warmer children can wear navy, black or grey shorts as part of their PE kits. Please can I also remind you of the importance of bringing a water bottle.

EYFS	Monday	
Year 1	Tuesday	Wednesday
Year 2	Thursday	Friday
Year 3	Tuesday	Friday
Year 4	Wednesday	Friday
Year 5	Wednesday	Friday
Year 6	Monday	Thursday



Ormiston Meadows PTA

A massive thank you to all parents that have supported the PTA this term. They have so many exciting things planned for the Summer Term, such as a whole school talent show, an application form will be coming home soon and 'Freeze Pop Friday' where the PTA will be selling freeze pops on the playground every Friday after school (weather permitting).

Ormiston Meadows Creative Arts Show/Exhibition 2024 Application Form			
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Don't miss the chance to be part of this incredible Celabration of Talent! For any inquiries contact: $Ormitionmeatous TA_Bouttook.com$			
Name of Participant(s):			
Class:			
Parents contact email:			
Would you like to sign up for the Creative Work Exhibition or to participate in the Talent Show? (Please circle answer)			
Exhibition Show			
Please give a brief description of what you plan to do for your creatine work or performances			



The PTA will be holding their next meeting on **Friday 19th April** at 6pm at The Windmill in Orton Waterville for any further parents that are interested in joining the team.

Thank you for your continued support!

A message from Treetops

Our Treetops children have been busy this term, the wet weather did not spoil the fun with our many board games, jigsaw puzzles, small world play, Uno and other similar games and art and craft activities including hand-made Mother's Day cards. We have children from each year group in Treetops, all play together, making friends from other classes. Older children have supported and helped younger ones in games from football to trying chess.

We're looking forward to more opportunities for outdoor play in the summer term, with toys, chalks, water, ball games, skipping and so much more fun!



Come and join us!

Key Dates- Summer Term

- School Opens Tuesday 16th April
- Big Talk SRE Monday 22nd April
- Year 3 Key theatre Thursday 2nd May
- Bank Holiday Monday 6th May
- SATs Week Monday 13th May
- Half Term Monday 27th May