



At the heart of learning in our community

Occold Primary School News

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A message from Miss Rowe

A very warm welcome back to everyone and a special welcome to our new children and families. I do hope that you had a relaxing summer holiday and made the most of the glorious weather.

Our teachers and teaching assistants have done a wonderful job making the children's classrooms attractive learning environments for the new term and we are all excited to begin this year's learning journey with our new classes.

I am pleased to announce that we have a new member of staff joining our team this year. Our new teaching assistant, Miss Thomas, will be supporting in Fox Class.

We are very lucky to have a brilliant Friends of School committee who fundraise for the school. If you are interested in helping the Friends of School then please do contact the office or speak to Rachel or Matt Oxley-Owen (co-chairs).

Our first parents' evening of the academic year will be in October. Mrs Jackson will be in contact closer to the time to organise appointments.

Looking forward to an exciting term and year ahead!

Notice Board

- PE is on Tuesdays for Rabbit and Hedgehog class and Wednesdays for Otter and Fox class. Please can children come to school in their school information and bring their PE kits with them to change into. Can I also remind you that PE kits should be black shorts/ jogging bottoms and a school PE top in the colour of your house. In colder weather please wear a green school tracksuit top or a school jumper.
- Year 4, 5 and 6 will be going swimming on Fridays this half term. All children need to wear their swimming clothes underneath their uniforms please to ensure that they can get changed very quickly. Don't forget swimming hats, towels and underwear for afterwards.
- Year 1 and 2 will be doing outdoor learning on Friday mornings this half term. Please come to school in suitable clothes for the weather. They will continue in wet weather so please bring wellies and coats as well as school uniform to change into afterwards.
- Year R and 3 will be staying in school with their class teacher this half term.
- Year 5 and 6 brass lessons will start on Wednesday so those of you that already have an instrument please bring it in.