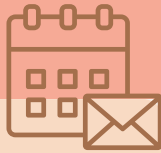


OCCOLD PRIMARY SCHOOL

SEPTEMBER 2024
NEWSLETTER



Diary Dates



Thursday 3rd & Friday 4th Oct
Suffolk Water enrichment sessions for all children (pm)

Wednesday 9th Oct
KS2 Ancient Egyptian workshop

Friday 11th Oct
Individual and sibling photos being taken

Monday 21st - Friday 25th Oct
Occold's Enterprise Week!
More information to follow.

Wednesday 23rd October
Cross Country at Mellis Common
Parents Evening 3:30-6:30

Thursday 24th October
Occold Primary's Farmers Market 2-4pm

Tuesday 5th November
Foxes RE trip to Norwich
More information to follow.

Thursday 7th November
KS2 Big Sing workshop in school

Mon 11th Nov - Fri 15th Nov
Year 6 Hilltop residential

Friday 22nd Nov
KS2 Big Sing at Snape Maltings

A message from Miss Thornton

We've had a brilliant first month back at school. The children have settled in well and have been working hard. It's been a busy month with lots of fun things going on both in and out of the classroom.

I'd like to say a special thank you to the children in Fox Class who have gone above and beyond to help the Reception children at lunch to settle into school. It has been lovely getting to know all our new parents too.



Clubs

Breakfast Club

This runs daily from 7:45am to the start of school day.

After School Club

We now run after school clubs each day. We'd love more children to join!

Mon - Premier Sports Club

Tues - Art Club

Wed - Writing Club

Thurs - Lego & games club

Fri - Sports club

All clubs can be booked via Arbor.

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Rabbits

Our lovely reception children have settled in so well to their classroom in The Burrow. They've enjoyed exploring their new surroundings and making new friends. Year 1 and 2 have welcomed them with open arms! Recently, reception have been working on their fine motor skills to strengthen the muscles in their hands ready for writing!



Otters

Otters ducked down the Deben from its source at Debenham to Woodbridge, noting the changes in the riverbanks, riverbed, wildlife, land use and pollution as they progressed along its route. Back in class, they created some detailed diagrams representing what they saw.



Foxes

Fox Class have been enjoying exploring 'The Island' by Armin Greder. They've been using drama to inspire some brilliant writing from different character's perspectives in the story.



Whole School!

We had a brilliant morning celebrating European Languages Day last week. This year, we explored a 'food' theme and so the children got to sample lots of delicious food from Greece, Italy and Switzerland. Yum!

Thank you to those children who have brought in homework for our 'Europe' display board in Hedgehogs! There is still time if your child would like to make and bring something in from home.



To keep up-to-date with all the exciting things which have been happening in school, visit our Facebook Page 'Occold Primary School'.