



27th January 2023

NEWSLETTER

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IN THE LINE FOR 10 TO 9.

School Attendance this week is 90.1%.

Well done to Year 6 who had the best attendance with 98.9%.

HEADLINE NEWS

School will remain OPEN on Wednesday 1st February during the Teachers' Strike. Future strike dates are Tuesday 28th February, Wednesday 16th March and Thursday 17th March. We will keep you up-to-date should there be any change in circumstances before each of these dates.

We are holding Progress Update Meetings for parents / carers on Wednesday 8th February from 2pm until 7pm. Letters are coming out tonight in bookbags for you to choose your time slot. Please return the slip asap and we will try to accommodate your requests.

BIKEABILITY IN YEAR 5

Next week promises to be an exciting time for Year 5 as they take part in Bikeability's level 1 and 2 proficiency training. Each day six children will join in a full day's training to learn this important life lesson.

Check your child's planner for the day when they will be on the scheme and please remember to bring your bike into school on that day, entering and leaving school through the Year 2 front entrance door. Children without suitable bikes will be provided with a bike by the trainers.

School Reading Challenge

Congratulations to everyone who has now completed the two-week Reading Challenge. Mrs Ragan will be handing out prizes next week. Don't worry if you have not yet completed the challenge, there is still time for you to earn your reward. Simply record your reading each night and once you have completed your 2 weeks, you will be eligible to claim your treat! **Keep on Reading!**

Young Voices

The choir are all very excited to perform at the Young Voices concert on Tuesday. If your child is attending the trip then they should come home today with a reminder letter with all the information on you need for the event. Please note all children need to come to school on the day in full school uniform. It is a fantastic event—the children will love it!

SCHOOL MEALS: NEXT WEEK WILL BE WEEK 2 OF THE SCHOOL MENU

Our school meal menu is on our website. We produce a balanced plan as per Government requirements. If you would like your child to have a hot meal every day let the office know. We need 2 weeks notice. Meals are £2.50 per day and payment is online only.

For Free School Meals on grounds of your income, go to Oldham Council website or click on this link: [Free school meals | Free school meals | Oldham Council](#)

EXTRA-CURRICULAR CLUBS THIS HALF-TERM

Monday: Y3-6 Choir—lunchtimes. Full (all year. No permission required).
Y4-6 Fine Art Club. By invitation only.

Tuesday: Y2 Reading Club—3.20—4.15pm (all year).

Wednesday: Y3/Y4/5/6 Lunchtime Running Club (all term). Currently full.

Thursday: Y3-6 Lego Club. Now full.
Y3-6 Computer Coding Club.

TO JOIN A NEW CLUB YOU MUST COMPLETE AND RETURN A PERMISSION SLIP.
AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS ARE FROM 3.20—4.15PM.

Admissions

Within our school we have spaces for pupils in Years 1, 2 and 5. Speak to Mrs Costello for details.

'1-MINUTE MATHS'

Don't forget to download the App to get your children to enjoy some fun maths for just one minute every day. It's a great resource for our younger children.

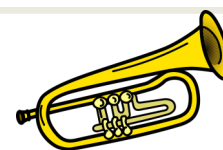
<https://whiterosemaths.com/resources/1-minute-maths#download>

Intrahealth Flu Vaccines

There is a catch-up clinic in Oldham Town Centre at Positive Steps on Wednesday 1st February for children.

Call 0333 358 3397 to make an appointment if you missed when they came into school.

Learn to Play a Musical Instrument with Oldham Music Services:
Brass lessons available - ask at the office for details. £85 per term.



Events This Half-Term

- 7th February at 2.30pm Year 3 Class Assembly for parents/families.
- 8th February @ 1.30pm—6.30pm Pupil Parent Progress Meetings.
- 9th February whole school Commando Joe PE day.
- 10th February Break the Rules Day fundraiser.
- 10th February Break Up for February Half-Term.

SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENT ASSEMBLIES ARE EVERY FRIDAY AT 2.30PM. ALL WELCOME!