



Dress

Down

Day

Thursday

18th

June

# Overton CE Primary School

Love - Hope - Faith



## Absence Requests

Please can you provide as much notice as possible for any absence requests. This will enable us to process them in a timely manner. A minimum of 5 working days is required.

## Dates for Week 15<sup>th</sup> - 19<sup>th</sup> June

### Monday 15<sup>th</sup>

- Bikeability Form Deadline [Y6]
- PGL Form Deadline [Y5]

### Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup>

- Karate
- Strings
- Orchestra
- Dodgeball
- Football
- Forest School Tuesday
  - 3.30 - 5.30

### Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup>

- Dance
- Choir - Care Home [Y5&6]
- New Year R Evening 7pm

### Thursday 18<sup>th</sup>

- Dress Down Day
- WW2 Day [Y5]
- Farthers Day - Stay & Play [N]
- Woodwind
- Keyboard
- Wellbeing in the Wilderness
- Kitchen Skills
- Choir

### Friday 19<sup>th</sup>

- Yoga
- Sports Day
- Brass
- Forest School Friday
  - 1.30 - 3.30pm

## SPORTS DAY

Please follow the one way system and congregate on the school field after drop off. Children can be collected at 1.25pm as normal.



## Head Lice

We are experiencing an increase of head lice across the school. Please can you help us contain this. If there are siblings, please treat everyone in the household. All shoulder length hair, both boys and girls must be tied up. We only have a small supply of hair bands for PE emergencies. If your child comes to school without their hair tied back, you will be contacted to bring in a hair tie. Please let us know if your child has lice, so we can make the year group aware as soon as possible. This will be treated with confidence.



## Community Kitchen Garden

An afternoon of Fun Activities for Children at the CKG Friday 26th June from 2-4pm.

Activities include building a Bug Hotel, painting and sowing seeds in clay pots to take home and learning some things about our beautiful, sparkly beetles and painting a stone to look like your favourite one. Children should be accompanied by an adult.

### What and where is the CKG?

Tucked in behind the Red Fort in Winchester Street, Overton there is a Community Kitchen Garden, a place of peace and calm, created for the benefit of local people and run by volunteers. The garden provides much more for the community than simply food. The garden offers both gentle and more vigorous exercise and the opportunity to share knowledge and learn new skills. It offers companionship and a place to make new friends through shared interest and is for people of all ages, abilities and cultures.

The vision for the CKG is to be a place where people can come for fresh, nutritious, flavourful produce and experience the difference in eating food taken from the garden to table on the same day.

The harvest can be taken by volunteers (their payment for time and effort used in caring for the garden), others can ask for what they would like in exchange for a donation. Local food banks and small businesses also benefit from surplus produce. If you are interested in gardening and getting your hands in the soil for an hour or so a week, would you like to be involved as a volunteer or in any other capacity. If so we can be contacted on our Community Kitchen Garden FB page or by email at [communitykitchengarden@gmail.com](mailto:communitykitchengarden@gmail.com)



## Concerned about WhatsApp?

With the exception of YouTube, WhatsApp has always been one of the most popular messaging apps, including for children under 13. This has always been a concern for a lot of different reasons, but out of the blue it seems that Meta have now created a parent-managed service which is really good. Similar to other parent-managed accounts, a parent will pair their device/account to the child's device/account which then gives a lot of flexibility such as:

- No 'view once' messages.
- No location sharing.
- Messages and group invites from unknown contacts sent to the parent for approval.
- Parent notifications, such as new contact added.

Link: [WhatsApp parent-managed accounts - explained.](#)

Link: [How to set up a parent-managed account.](#)

## September 1<sup>st</sup> 2026 is an Inset Day

### Attachments:

- SEN Fun Day
- Cheam Summer Camps
- Stubbington Day Camps

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