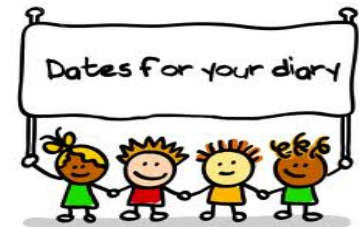


Meet our Eco Warriors!



This year we have registered with Eco-Schools so that we can help our school be more Eco-friendly . We hope to raise environmental awareness and improve the school environment. Our aim is to achieve the Green Flag by achieving bronze and silver awards. The school has voted for an Eco-team 'The Eco-Warriors' who are working hard to become an Eco-school. The Eco-Warriors have proposed for food waste bins in each class and recycling bins around the school. We also had a whole school assembly where we discussed how we can help our school. We talked about switching off lights after we leave a room, walking to school whenever possible and not to drop rubbish. We hope you can discuss the importance of all these things at home and in our environment with your child.



Important dates

Autumn Term 2018

14th December-Christmas Jumper Day

18th December-Christmas Lunch

19th December EYFS Christmas party

20th December-Years 1 and 2 Disco- 4-6pm

21st December-Christmas Assembly

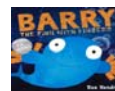
21st December-End of term

Tuesday 8th January-Start of term.

Please note all information regarding dates, policies and the curriculum can be found on our website at

www.odessa.newham.sch.uk

Book Fair



We are excited to announce that there will be a book fair which will be held in the main hall on Wednesday 5th December until Monday 10th December at 3.15pm.

This will be a great opportunity to purchase books for your children to promote a love of reading.

We hope to see you all there!

Clubs

We are now into the second week of our after schools club which have been extremely popular! Currently we are running two after school clubs which are Art and Yoga. Please watch this space as we will be adding other clubs! We would like to thank all of our staff who have volunteered to run the clubs for our children

Ukelele



We're excited to announce that Odessa have partnered with Front Row Music who offer small group ukulele lessons for children in KS1. The children who signed up had their first lesson this week where they learned about the parts of the ukulele and started to learn their first song. If you are interested in signing your child up for ukulele lessons with Front Row Music you can pick up a form from the front office.

Christmas Jumper Day!



On Friday 14th December we will be raising money for the 'Save the Children' charity. Children if they wish are encouraged to come to school in a Christmas jumper for the day! A donation of £1 will be asked and made to help support this wonderful charity . We can not wait to see the children (and staff!) in their jumpers.

PE Kit



A reminder that children need to bring in their PE kit so that they can take part in PE lessons. It is advisable also that for health and safety reasons that children wear appropriate foot wear. Please speak to a member of staff if you have any questions. Thank you for your continued support

Attendance Awards!

Well done to Class 1 this week!

Class 1-98.3%

Class 2-90.8%

Class 3-90.8%

Class 4-92.5%

Class 5-89.1%

Class 6-94.1%

Class 7-94.7%

Class 8-87.9%

Class 9-97.4%

Stars of the week

Congratulations to our stars of the week, who were selected by their teachers . Who will be our stars next week?

Class 4-**Ahmadsha**-For using his letter sounds to write.

Class 5-**Sakina** -For settling quickly to do her work and using her sounds in her writing

Class 6-**Grace**-For great sentences

evaluating her DT moving weather picture

Class 7-**King** - for an excellent piece of writing in his RE book (about Lent)

Class 8-**Yasin** - for trying his hardest with writing his sentences independently!

Class 9-**Crystal**-for giving her best effort to every activity

These children were awarded with our certificates of the week and presented them during our whole school Friday assembly.

Well done for being model pupils at Odessa.

Photos



The children had their photo taken by a professional photographer. Today is the last day that you can order them through the school as they will be delivered on Monday 3rd December.

If you would like to order your photographs after this date then they will need to be purchased online through the photographers website. For further information or questions, please speak to our office team.

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Choice/Fish Choice	Spaghetti & Meatballs in Marinara Sauce Tuna Pasta Bake	Shepherd's Pie Fisherman's Potato Bake	Roast Chicken, Yorkshire pudding, Gravy with roast potatoes Lemon & herb crunchy crusted cod with roast potatoes	Lasagne Fish in Creamy coconut curry with Rice	Jerk Chicken with Rice and Peas Fish Fillet in batter with chips
Vegetarian Choice	Spanish Omelette with Baguette Slice	Vegetable Samosa with rice, Dhal & Raita	Quorn sausages 'Toad in the Hole' with roast potatoes	Veggie Burger in Wholemeal Bun with Salad	Vegetarian Chilli with Chips
Carb and Vegetable Selection	Garden Peas Roasted Vegetables	Sweetcorn Green Beans	Organic carrots Cauliflower	Country Vegetables Garden Peas	Baked Beans Caribbean Slaw
Dessert	Peaches and custard	Chocolate & Orange Sponge with Chocolate Sauce	Scotch Pancakes with fruit & Ice Cream	Lemon & Banana Slice with Custard	Fruit Trifle