

Weekly Information Bulletin

Friday 7th January 2022



Welcome back and **Happy New Year**, we hope that you all had a restful break. It was nice to see so many of our students back to school this week.

Thorpe Class

This week we welcomed Mrs Fowler as the new class teacher for Da Vinci class. The students have decided that they would like to change their class name and this class will now be known as Thorpe Class after the artist Mackenzie Thorpe. The class have started the term by researching this artist and have been enjoying producing some lovely artwork.



Numicon Maths Session 12.01.2022 - date change

On Wednesday 12th January we will be running our third parent & carer programme session which is Numicon Training. Numicon is used in school to support students with maths and this session will show you how this is used so you can support your child with this at home. If you would like to attend this session please see information on [how to book yourself](#) onto this session.

Independence Questionnaire for all students

At the Iffley Academy we know how important independence is to our students. Michelle Whitehead our 6th Form Gallery Lead would like to find out a bit more about your child's specific circumstances around independence and what we can do as a school in all year groups to support our families. Please could you take a moment to complete this [Questionnaire](#). Your responses will better inform us on how we can tailor our program for the needs of our students.

Termly Outcome Plan virtual meetings - Tuesday 18th & Wednesday 19th January

A letter was sent to parents & carers this week inviting them to book a virtual zoom appointment to discuss termly outcome plans. These appointments will be with your child's class teacher. If you would like to book a virtual appointment please do so via parentmail. If you need any further information please contact reception.

COVID-19 Update

Young people aged 12 to 15 in England are now being offered a second dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine at a minimum of 12 weeks from the first dose. Parents can book vaccinations for their child, if aged 12 or over, through the [NHS booking system](#). It may be that we are able to offer a second vaccine here at Iffley, however the details are not yet available. We continue to encourage you to take regular LFD tests which are available through reception.

Oxfordshire Family Support Network

Oxfordshire Family Support Network are running a number of free online workshops and events in January. You can find further information on these events in their recent Newsletter, link to this newsletter is below.

<https://mailchi.mp/313406481fde/oxfsn-newsletter-december-2021>

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Lunch Menu Week Commencing 10th January

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal	BBQ Chicken	Gammon Chops	Roast Pork	Beef Bolognese	Pepperoni Pizza
Vegetarian	BBQ Tofu	Vegetable Tower	Roast Pepper Frittata	Quorn Bolognese	Cheese & Tomato Pizza
Served With	Herb Potatoes Sweetcorn	Dauphinoise Potatoes Peas	Roast Potatoes & Mixed Vegetables	Pasta Sweetcorn	Chips & Baked Beans
Pudding	Treacle Sponge & Custard	Shortbread	Mandarin Cheesecake	Ginger Bread	Chocolate Cornflake Cakes

There is a daily alternative of: Jacket Potato topped with either beans, cheese or tuna. Baguette/Sandwich filled with either cheese, ham or tuna.

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 12th January 2022	Parents & carers - Numicon Maths Session 3.30pm - date change
Tuesday 18th January 2022	Termly Outcome Plan evening
Thursday 27th January 2022	Parents & carers - Sound Reading Phonics Session 3.30pm
Thursday 17th February 2022	Parents & carers - E-Safety overview session 3.30pm
Friday 18th February 2022	End of Term
Monday 28th February 2022	Start of Term
Thursday 10th March 2022	Parents & carers - Autism Social Stories Session 3.30pm
Thursday 31st March 2022	Parents & carers - Next steps in education session 3.30pm
Thursday 7th April 2022	End of Term 2
Monday 25th April 2022	Start of Term 3
Tuesday 26th April 2022	Termly Outcome Plan evening
Thursday 28th April 2022	Parents & carers - Restorative Approach session 3.30pm
Monday 2nd May 2022	Bank Holiday
Saturday 21st May 2022	Belazu Family Fun Day 11.00 - 3.00
Friday 27th May 2022	End of Term
Monday 6th June 2022	Start of Term
Tuesday 12th July 2022	Meet the teacher event
Tuesday 19th July 2022	End of Term 3