# **Weekly Information Bulletin**

### Friday 3rd October 2025



#### **Celebrating Attendance - Every day counts!**

As the colder weather sets in, we know that we all become more susceptible to seasonal illnesses. While this is understandable, we really want to encourage our students to be in school as much as possible. Government guidance is clear that good attendance is key to keeping students safe, helping them to achieve their best, and building the resilience they need for the future.

To support this, next term, we are introducing a new Attendance Recognition and Reward Scheme. Each class team will nominate student(s) who have either shown excellent attendance, made clear improvements, or shown determination to attend even when not feeling 100%.

All nominees will be considered, and one will be selected each term to receive a voucher. This is our way of recognising effort, encouraging good routines, and celebrating progress together.

#### **Termly Outcome Plan Evening - 14.10.25**

On Tuesday 14th October we will be holding our termly outcome plan evening for parents and carers here at Iffley Academy.

Bookings went live on ParentMail on Tuesday 30th September 2025 at 9.00am. We use an appointment booking system on our ParentMail application to book time slots for our termly outcome plans evening.

We are able to offer an after school club for students if you book a parents evening appointment before 4.30pm on Tuesday 14th October. If you would like your child to attend the after school on this date please complete the afterschool section when you book your appointment.

#### Frankie's fundraiser for Teenage Cancer Trust

In October Frankie is doing a read-a-thon for Teenage Cancer Trust in memory of Evie-Mae. Evie-Mae attended Iffley Academy and sadly passed away in the summer, Evie-Mae had been ill for a number of years, fighting cancer.

Frankie is going to read a little bit every day, starting with Evie the Brave, a story inspired by Evie herself. If you would like any further information please click this <u>link</u>.



#### End of Term Assembly - Save the Date 19.12.25

We will be inviting parents and carers into school on Friday 19th December for our end of term assembly to celebrate students' achievements for this term.

We will be holding two assemblies one at 9.30 for classes Blake, Warhol, Kirby, Haring, Monet, Dali, Miro, Aardman & Robinson. The second assembly will be held at 11.15 and this will be for classes, Murakami, Kusama, Hirst, Banksy, Kahlo, Burgerman and Tula classes.

We will be finishing at the earlier time of 1.00pm on this day.



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Dates for your diary				
Tuesday 14th October 2025	Termly Outcome Plan Evening			
Thursday 23rd October 2025	End of Term			
Friday 24th October 2025	INSET Day			
Monday 3rd November 2025	Start of Term			
Friday 19th December 2025	End of Term One - finish time of 1.00pm			
Monday 5th January 2026	INSET day			
Tuesday 6th January 2026	Start of Term Two			
Friday 13th February 2026	End of Term			
Monday 23rd February 2026	Start of Term			
Friday 27th March 2026	End of Term Two			
Monday 13th April 2026	Start of Term Three			
Monday 4th May 2026	Bank Holiday			
Friday 22nd May 2026	End of Term			
Monday 1st June 2026	Start of Term			
Thursday 16th July 2026	End of Term Three			

Lunch Menu Week Commencing 6th October							
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
Main Meal	Vegetable stir fry Df V	Beef Chilli Df Gf	Roast Chicken <sub>Df Gf</sub>	Pork sausages <sub>Df</sub>	Southern Fried Chicken		
Vegetarian		Vegetable chilli Df V Gf	Plant based stew	Quorn sausages Df V	Southern fried quorn		
Served With	Noodles Df V Carrots Df V Gf	Rice Sweetcorn Df V Gf	Roast Potatoes Gravy Peas & Carrots	Mashed potato Carrots Df V Gf	Chips Coleslaw Df V Gf		
Pudding	Gingerbread biscuit	Banana cake & custard	Berry cheesecake	Chocolate cornflake cake	Millionaire shortbread		
There is a daily alternative of: Jacket Potato topped with either beans, cheese or tuna. Baguette/Sandwich filled with either cheese, ham or tuna.							

#### **6th Form Tuck Shop**

As part of the 6th Form Employability course students will be opening the Iffley Tuck Shop.

This tuck shop will be open weekly on a Thursday during break time, this will be open to students and staff. Snacks and fresh fruit will be available and prices will vary from 40p - £1.00. We are only able to accept cash payments. There will be options available to cater for allergies.

Iffley tuck shop will be starting on Thursday 16th October.

Students have undertaken training in allergens, food safety and hygiene.

