



**Ormiston
Sudbury
Academy**

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FORTNIGHTLY PARENT BULLETIN

15th November 2024

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Friday 22nd November – PD Day. No students in the Academy.

Anti-Bullying Week - All students have had a recent assembly regarding this and will spend some time in tutor-time working on the topic and through some scenarios.

You may find the link [HERE](#) useful in understanding bullying and how to support your child if bullying should be an issue. At OSA we aim to ensure all students understand bullying and the differences between this and other behaviours and fall-outs, how to report, how to get support and manage situations that arise. Children don't always "get it right" but we aim for children to learn and grow to become inclusive, tolerant and kind without resorting to bullying behaviours.

If there is an issue you are aware of concerning your child, please do not hesitate to contact your child's Head of Year or Pastoral Manager as soon as possible.

GCSE Certificates for Year 11 Leavers 2024 are now available to collect from Reception from 8:30-3:45 (Monday & Friday) and 8:30-4:15 (Tuesday to Thursday) during term time - If students are unable to collect them in person, the person collecting them on their behalf will need a letter from the student, naming them as having permission to collect – the letter will need to be signed by the student whose certificates are being collected please.

Go4Schools - please follow the link [HERE](#) to allow student's passwords to be re-set if necessary.

Public consultation meeting for new education building (Ormiston Sudbury Academy) – 26th November. Please see [HERE](#) for more details.

Year 7 mobile phones - It has come to our attention that some students may not be following the academy expectations of handing their mobile phone to their tutor daily. This is disappointing as we are trusting them to do this correctly. Please can you support the academy by discussing the importance of students handing their phones in every morning. If a student is seen using a mobile phone during the academy day, we will confiscate the phone and contact you to come and collect the phone. Students will then be sanctioned with an internal or external suspension.

Thank you for your ongoing support, any questions or queries regarding this, please contact your child's tutor in the first instance.

NEWS, EVENTS AND TRIPS

FORTHCOMING EVENTS – November 2024

Monday 18th - OAT Boys Football Festival (Y7) – Norwich City Football Club (all day)

Tuesday 19th - U13 Boys Futsal – Stowmarket

Wednesday 20th – U14 Boys Basketball – Samuel Ward, Haverhill

Thursday 21st - U13 Girls Futsal - Stowmarket

STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

CLUBS/COMPETITIONS

Please find all lunchtime club information [HERE](#)

Please find all after school club information [HERE](#)

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Please see [HERE](#) to view The Suffolk Parent Carer Forum Newsletter

HPV Vaccinations (Year 8 students) – please follow the link [HERE](#) to register your son/daughter

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR YEAR 10 and 11 STUDENTS/PARENTS/CARERS ON POST 16 EDUCATION

Year 10 Parents work experience information.

Following on from last week’s tutorials on work experience, you should have received the following letter [HERE](#) with future details on our work experience programme.

To help with sourcing placements the following Padlet has been created to inform you of opportunities as they arise at local organisations. [Work Experience](#)

If you have any questions regarding work experience, please email Careers Adviser Miss Boreham at hboreham@ormistonsudbury.co.uk

Career Guidance/Next Steps meetings

Our Academy Careers Adviser, Miss Boreham, will be arranging meetings with all Year 11 students to help support them with their career journeys and their next steps onto Further Education or Apprenticeships. If you would like to attend a meeting with your child/young person, please email hboreham@ormistonsudbury.co.uk

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