



*A leading co-educational preparatory school for children aged 2-13 years*



Lent Term Calendar  
2026

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Mr Andrew Swiney BA (Hons), IPGCE	Alternate DSL, E-Safety Lead

## GOVERNING BODY

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Philip Howell	Chair of Governors, OBH
Camilla Ewart	Governor, OBH
Paul Ferguson	Governor, OBH
Fergus Wells	Governor, OBH
Gareth Parker-Jones	Head Master, Rugby School
Dean White	Chief Operating Officer, Rugby School
Charlotte Marten	Group Director of Safeguarding, Rugby School
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Miss Scarlett Bradshaw	Gap Assistant
Mrs Rosie Donald BSc (Hons), SPLD7	Deputy SENCO, Learning Success Teacher, Head of the OBH Farm, ELSA
Mr Graham Drury BSc (Hons), PGCE	Deputy Head Pastoral, Head of Geography
Mrs Kate Drury BSc (Hons), QTS	Assistant Director of Sport, Form Tutor
Mrs Gemma Gillott MA (Cantab), PGCE	Deputy Head Academic, Head of Learning Success, SENCO
Mrs Chloé Hayes BSc (Hons), PGCE	Year 3 Teacher
Mr Steven Hayes BEd (Hons) (Cantab)	Director of Senior School Admissions, Head of History & RS
Mrs Hilary Jacklin BA (Hons), BDA Cert.	Learning Success Assistant
Miss Christina Joannides BSc (Hons), QTS, TEFL	Learning Success & EAL Teacher
Miss Matilda Lumley	Sports Coach
Miss Sophie McGlade BA (Hons), PGCE	Head of CDT
Miss Maddie McLoughlin	Gap Assistant
Mrs Jen Miller BSc (Hons), PGCE	Head of Maths, Form Tutor
Mr Rob Miller BA (Hons), PGCE	Maths Teacher, Form Tutor
Miss India North	Gap Assistant
Mrs Nicola Nunn BA (Hons)	Learning Success Teacher
Mr Nicholas Pascalides BMus (Hons), PGCE, MED	Year 4 Teacher
Mrs Sarah Pertwee, RSADip, MontDip, IPGCE	Learning Success Teacher , Head of the OBH Farm
Mrs Hannah Phillips IPGCE	Teacher of Games, 1:1 Learning Success Assistant

Miss Laura Pooley MA	Teacher of Latin & English
Mrs Elizabeth Railton	1:1 Learning Success Assistant
Mrs Caroline Rice BA (Ed) (Hons)	Head of Middle School, Year 3 Teacher
Mrs Julia Rivington BA (Hons), PGCE	Head of English, Form Tutor
Mr Gareth Sanders BA (Hons), PGCE	Head of Science, Form Tutor
Madame Hélène Santaniello GTP	Head of French, Form Tutor
Mr Andrew Swiney BA (Hons), IPGCE	Head of Boarding & Computer Science Teacher, E Safety Lead
Mr Kingsley Went BA (Hons), IPGCE, MEd	Director of Sport, Form Tutor
Miss Alice Wilson BSc (Hons), MSc, PGCE	Year 4 Teacher
Miss Baylee Wolhuter	Gap Assistant

## PRE-PREP

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Miss Rebecca Devine BSc (Hons), PGCE	Interim Head of Pre-Prep, Year 1 Teacher
Mrs Emma Barrett City & Guilds L3	Year 1 Teaching Assistant
Mrs Jane Brown BTEC	Year 2 Teaching Assistant
Mrs Alice Driscoll BSc (Hons)	Nursery Teacher, Nursery Lead
Mrs Fiona Laphorne NVQ L3	Reception Teaching Assistant
Mrs Lucy Lee BA (Hons), QTS	Key Stage 1 Co-ordinator, Year 2 Teacher
Mrs Luisa Letts BA (Hons), PGCE	Year 2 Teacher
Mrs Juliette Morrison BA (Hons), PGCE	Reception Teacher
Mrs Harriet Pollard	Reception Teacher
Mrs Jenny Sibley NVQ L3	Nursery Teaching Assistant
Mrs Anna Williams BSc (Hons), PGCE	Reception & Year 1 Teaching Assistant
Mrs Claire Wilson	Nursery Teaching Assistant

## ADMINISTRATIVE

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Mr Dominic St John Parker	Interim Director of Finance
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Mrs Danielle Dickson	PA to the Headmaster
Mrs Lucy Dyson BA (Hons)	Head of Admissions
Mrs Debra Gooderham	Accounts Assistant, Matron
Mrs Caron Peirson	Assistant Bursar
Mr John Sibley	IT Manager
Mrs Linda Williams BEd (Hons)	School Administrator, EVC, Head of Activities

## ESTATE

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Mr David Mitchell	Estate Manager
Mr Alan Whitered	Deputy Estate Manager
Mr David Blacknall	Groundsman
Mrs Helen Jacques	Minibus Driver
Mr Michael Johnson	Estate Officer
Mr Chris Sturgeon	Estate Assistant

## CATERING & DOMESTIC

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Mrs Janice Pryke	Events & Domestic Manager
Mrs Lindsey Gridley	Temporary Head of Events & Domestic Team
Mrs Ewa Sak	Head Chef
Mr Tristan Hasler	Deputy Head Chef
Mrs Beverley Gooderham	Chef
Miss Dawn Brinkley	Domestic Assistant
Mrs Donna Dickson	Domestic Assistant
Mrs Yasmin Grocott	Domestic Assistant
Mrs Julie Jackson	Domestic Assistant
Miss Rebecca Jackson	Domestic Assistant
Mrs Joan Jenner-Akehurst	Kitchen Assistant
Miss Claire Keeble	Domestic Assistant
Mrs Nicola Malton	Domestic Assistant
Mrs Corina Tanjala	Kitchen Assistant

## INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC STAFF

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Mr Fabian Baird GTCL	Drums & Tuned Percussion Teacher
Mr Peter Clegg	Guitar Teacher
Miss Sarah Gallop BA (Hons)	Singing Teacher
Mrs Cecilia Passmore LRAM, ATCL	Piano & Strings Teacher, Interim Director of Music
Miss Sharon Preece	Singing Teacher
Mr John Randall	Drums & Music Technology Teacher
Miss Julie Rout BA (Hons)	Clarinet, Saxophone & Piano Teacher
Mrs Julia Seymour Blackburn GMus	Flute & Piano Teacher
Mrs Rebecca Welham BA (Hons)	Cello Teacher
Mr Ollie Wyatt	Brass Teacher

## VISITING STAFF

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Mr Louis Appleby	Tennis Coach
Miss Megan Bradley	Dance Teacher
Mrs Hannah Brown	Speech & Language Therapist
Mr Ray Chin	OBE Coach
Mr Simon Clarke	Clay Shooting Coach
Mrs Antonia Cobbold	Educational Psychologist
Mr Larry Kretzmann	Rugby Tots
Pastor James Martin	Independent Listener
Mr Joshua Mumford	Tennis coach
Mr James Owens	Mini Athletics
Mr Nick Paley MA	Drama Peripatetic Teacher
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## FORM TEACHERS/TUTORS

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Lent 2026

Please refer to SOCS for up to date information on team selection, match cancellations and any other changes. After 11:30, alterations to matches will be sent via SMS text and email.

**Key**

P - Parents welcome to attend

**WEEK 1****Monday 5<sup>th</sup>**

08:30 - 17:00	Staff Inset
15:00 - 17:00	U11 & U13 Netball & Boys Hockey Pre-Season Training
15:00 - 17:00	Secondhand Uniform Shop Open P
17:00 - 17:30	Boarders may return

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup>**

	Theme of the Week 'New Beginnings'
08:20	Lent Term begins
09:00 - 09:20	Headmaster's Assembly

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45	House Meetings
14:00 - 16:20	U11 & U13 Fixtures - see SOCS for details P

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup>**

13:00 - 15:00	Year 2 Swimming, Hadleigh
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**Friday 9<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45	Hymn Practice
09:00 - 10:30	Parent Buddy Meeting P
10:00 - 11:30	Baby & Toddler Group P
14:00 - 16:00	U9 House Cross Country

**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup>**

08:45 - 09:55

Year 7 &amp; 8 House Cross Country

09:55 - 11:05

Year 5 &amp; 6 House Cross Country

12:10 - 12:45

Next Steps Assembly: Rachel Bailey, Headmistress of  
Benenden School P

12:45 - 16:00

Lunch &amp; Saturday Activities

13:30 - 15:30

Art Scholars Portfolio Workshop

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup>**

Weekend Boarding Activity - Clip 'n' Climb

**WEEK 2**

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup>**

Theme of the Week 'Energy Saving Week'

08:30 - 09:30

Whole School Parent Coffee Morning P

08:45 - 16:20

Year 6 Sleeping Dogs Sculpture Workshop

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

Headmaster's Assembly

18:30 - 19:30

World of Work Talk

**Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

School Council Meeting

14:00 - 16:20

U11 & U13 Fixtures - see SOCS for details P

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

U11 & U13 County Cross-Country Finals, Woodbridge School (P)

13:00 - 15:00

Year 2 Swimming, Hadleigh

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

Celebration Assembly

09:00 - 10:30

Nursery 2 Immersive Science Morning

10:00 - 11:30

Baby & Toddler Group P

14:00 - 16:00

U9 Fixtures - see SOCS for details P

14:00 - 15:10

Year 1 & 2 'Wish Upon a Star' Art Mini Workshop

16:20

Home Weekend Begins

**Saturday 17<sup>th</sup>**

Weekend Boarding Activity - Norwich Day Trip & Sainsbury's Centre

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup>**

Weekend Boarding Activity - Cinema and Lunch in Bury St Edmunds

**WEEK 3****Monday 19<sup>th</sup>**

Theme of the Week 'Martin Luther King Jr Day'

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

Headmaster's Assembly

17:40

Year 6 - 8 Boarding Taster Night

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

House Meetings: Launch of the House Photography Competition

14:00 - 16:20

U11 & U13 Fixtures - see SOCS for details P

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup>**

13:00 - 15:00

Year 2 Swimming, Hadleigh

15:10 - 16:20

House Chess Competition

16:30 - 17:30

Learning Success Revision session for Parents 'Revision Matters' (P)

18:00 - 19:30

Headmaster's Supper Group One

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

Hymn Practice

09:45 - 12:00

Open Morning P

10:00 - 11:30

Baby & Toddler Group P

14:00 - 16:00

OBH U9 Hockey & Rugby Festival P

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup>**

12:10 - 12:45

Next Steps Assembly: Julie Lodrick, Headmistress of Tudor Hall School P

12:45 - 16:00

Lunch & Saturday Activities

13:30 - 16:15

OBH U11 Hockey & Netball Festival P

**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup>**

Weekend Boarding Activity - Sadler Wells East & V&A Storehouse

**WEEK 4**

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup>**

Theme of the Week 'RSPB Birdwatch'

08:30 - 15:30

Nursery 'Big Birdwatch Day'

08:45 - 09:45

Year 3 Phone Free Childhood Parent Coffee Morning P

10:00 - 15:00

Year 3 - 8 workshops with Astronomer & Author  
Dr Matt Bothwell

**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

Headmaster's Assembly

16:30 - 17:15

Year 3 - 8 Informal Concert P

18:30 - 19:15

Year 3 - 8 Informal Concert P

**Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

School Council Meeting

08:30 - 12:00

Year 2 trip to Wagamama

14:00 - 16:20

U11 & U13 Fixtures - see SOCS for details P

**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup>**

13:00 - 15:00

Year 2 Swimming, Hadleigh

15:10 - 16:20

House Chess Competition

**Friday 30<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

Celebration Assembly

10:00 - 11:30

Baby & Toddler Group P

14:00 - 16:00

U9 Fixtures - see SOCS for details P

16:20

Home Weekend Begins

16:30 - 21:00

OBH Winter Ball

**Saturday 31<sup>st</sup>**

Visiting group from Shanghai arrives

Weekend Boarding Activity - Cambridge Day trip

**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup>**

Weekend Boarding Activity - Laser Tag

**WEEK 5****Monday 2<sup>nd</sup>**

Theme of the Week 'Winter Olympics'

08:15 - 16:00

U11 Boys County Hockey, Framlingham College P

18:30 - 19:15

Year 8 revision begins

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

Headmaster's Assembly

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

Pastoral Assembly

14:00 - 16:20

U11 &amp; U13 Fixtures - see SOCS for details P

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup>**

13:00 - 15:00

Uppingham Orchestral Music Day

10:30 - 18:00

Year 5 Drama Workshop, The Ley's

13:00 - 15:00

Year 2 Swimming, Hadleigh

15:10 - 16:20

House Chess Competition

16:30 - 19:30

Year 3 &amp; 4 Parent Meetings P

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup>**

08:00 - 16:00

U11 Girls IAPS Netball, St Joseph's School P

08:15 - 16:00

U13 Boys County Hockey, Ipswich School Sports  
Centre P

08:25 - 08:45

Hymn Practice

10:00 - 11:30

Baby &amp; Toddler Group P

14:00 - 16:00

U9 House Touch Rugby

**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup>**

12:10 - 12:45

Next Steps Assembly: Chris Townsend, Head of  
Felsted School **P**

12:45 - 16:00

Lunch & Saturday Activities

13:30 - 16:15

OBH U13 Hockey & Netball Festival **P**

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup>**

Weekend Boarding Activity - London Day trip



**WEEK 6****Monday 9<sup>th</sup>**

Theme of the Week 'Children's Mental Health & Safer Internet Day'

18:20 - 19:00

Year 8 revision continues

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

Headmaster's Assembly

16:30 - 19:30

Year 5 & 6 Parent Meetings P

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

School Council Meeting

10:30 - 20:30

'Oliver!' Theatre trip

14:00 - 16:20

U11 & U13 Fixtures - see SOCS for details P

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup>**

Visiting group from Shanghai departs

13:00 - 15:00

Year 2 Swimming, Hadleigh

15:10 - 16:20

House Chess Competition

18:00 - 19:30

Headmaster's Supper Group Two

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup>**

08:00 - 16:00

U13 Boys Hockey IAPS, Ipswich School Sports Centre P

08:25 - 08:45

Celebration Assembly

08:45 - 15:45

Reception 'Kindness' Immersive Day

10:00 - 11:30

Baby & Toddler Group P

14:00 - 16:00

U9 Fixtures - see SOCS for details P

16:20

Half Term begins

**WEEK 7**

**Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup>**

19:00 - 19:30

Boarder's may return from 19:00

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup>**

Theme of the Week 'Chinese New Year'

Year 7 & 8 Exam Week

08:20

Term resumes

08:30 - 11:05

House Chess Competition

15:30 - 18:00

Nursery & Pre-Prep Parent Meeting week begins P

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup>**

**Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup>**

Entries close for House Photography Competition

08:30 - 15:30

Year 2 'Africa Day'

14:00 - 16:20

U11 & U13 Fixtures - see SOCS for details P

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup>**

09:00 - 14:30

Year 3 Trip to the Fitzwilliam Museum

12:00 - 18:00

IAPS Swimming qualifiers, Ipswich Crown Pools P

13:00 - 15:00

Year 1 Swimming, Hadleigh

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

Hymn Practice

10:00 - 11:30

Baby & Toddler Group P

14:00 - 16:00

U9 Fixtures - see SOCS for details P

19:00 - 21:00

Friends of OBH Quiz & Curry Night P

**Saturday 28<sup>th</sup>**

12:10 - 12:45

Next Steps Assembly: Alastair Land, Head Master of Harrow School P

12:45 - 16:00

Lunch &amp; Saturday Activities

13:30 - 16:30

East Anglian Cross Country at OBH P

**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup>**

Weekend Boarding Activity - Bowling &amp; Cinema

## MARCH

### WEEK 8

#### Monday 2<sup>nd</sup>

	Theme of the Week 'World Book Day'
08:45 - 16:20	Year 8 Henry Moore Sculpture Workshop
16:30 - 20:30	Year 7 & 8 Stargazing trip, Institute of Astronomy

#### Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup>

08:25 - 08:45	Headmaster's Assembly
09:00 - 10:00	Pre-Prep Music Workshop
18:30 - 19:30	World of Work Talk

#### Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup>

08:25 - 08:45	School Council Meeting
14:00 - 16:20	U11 & U13 Fixtures - see SOCS for details P

#### Thursday 5<sup>th</sup>

	World Book Day
13:00 - 15:00	Year 1 Swimming, Hadleigh
15:10 - 17:40	Year 5 - 8 workshop with author Georgia Channon
18:30 - 19:30	World Book Day Celebration with author Georgia Channon in aid of East Anglia's Children's Hospices (EACH) P

#### Friday 6<sup>th</sup>

08:00 - 16:00	U13 Girls IAPS Netball, Ipswich School Sports Centre P
08:25 - 08:45	Celebration Assembly
10:00 - 11:30	Baby & Toddler Group P
14:00 - 16:00	U9 House Touch Rugby
16:20	Home Weekend Begins

#### Saturday 7<sup>th</sup>

Weekend Boarding Activity - Trip to the Seaside

#### Sunday 8<sup>th</sup>

Weekend Boarding Activity - Theatre trip

**WEEK 9****Monday 9<sup>th</sup>**

Theme of the Week 'Pi Week'

09:00 - 15:30

Year 4 trip to West Stow

15:30 - 18:30

Yr 5 - 8 Swimming v Culford (P)

17:40

Year 4 - 6 Boarding Taster Night

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

Headmaster's Assembly

14:00 - 15:10

U11 House Hockey &amp; Netball

15:10 - 16:20

U13 House Hockey &amp; Netball

16:30 - 17:30

Year 3 - 6 Informal Concert P

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

House Meetings

14:00 - 16:20

U11 &amp; U13 Fixtures - see SOCS for details P

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup>**

ABRSM Exams

13:00 - 15:00

Year 1 Swimming, Hadleigh

16:30 - 19:30

Year 7 &amp; 8 Parent Meetings P

**Friday 13<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

Hymn Practice

08:30 - 15:30

Nursery Outdoor Learning Day

10:00 - 11:30

Baby &amp; Toddler Group P

14:00 - 16:00

OBH U9 Mixed Hockey Festival P

19:00 - 20:00

Year 7 &amp; 8 Chamber Concert P

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup>**

International Day of Maths

08:45 - 11:05

Year 5 - 8 training with Culford School Hockey  
Professional

12:10 - 12:45

Next Steps Assembly: Henry Price, Headmaster of  
Oakham School P

13:15 - 15:30

Parent Hockey & Netball Matches P

**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup>**

Weekend Boarding Activity - Suffolk Ski Centre

**WEEK 10****Monday 16<sup>th</sup>**

Theme of the Week 'Sign Language Week'

08:45 - 16:20

'Oliver! Jr' Tech Rehearsal

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

Headmaster's Assembly

08:45 - 16:20

'Oliver! Jr' Tech &amp; Dress Rehearsals

11:30 - 12:45

U9 House Hockey

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup>**

08:25 - 08:45

School Council Meeting

15:30 - 08:30

Year 1 Time Travel Day

09:00 - 15:30

'Oliver! Jr' Dress Rehearsal

18:30 - 20:00

'Oliver! Jr' Evening Performance P

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup>**

08:45 - 10:00

Pre-Prep Easter Event P

13:00 - 15:00

Year 1 Swimming, Hadleigh

18:30 - 20:00

'Oliver! Jr' Evening Performance P

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup>**

09:00 - 09:55

Final Assembly

10:00 - 11:30

Baby &amp; Toddler Group P

10:30 - 11:00

Easter Egg Hunt

13:30 - 14:00

Pre-Prep Mud Run P

14:00 - 14:30

Parents Practice Mud Run P

14:40 - 14:55

Parents' Mud Run P

15:15 - 15:30

Year 3 &amp; 4 Mud Run P

15:30 - 15:45

Year 5 &amp; 6 Mud Run P

15:45 - 16:00

Year 7 &amp; 8 Mud Run P

16:20

End of Term

# Nursery, Pre-Prep & Middle School

## Clubs with Visiting Staff

### Monday

Miss Megan Dance	Pre-Prep	15:30 - 16:20
	Middle School	16:40 - 17:40

### Tuesday

Tennis Club	Reception	12:00 - 12:30
	Nursery	14:45 - 15:15
	Year 1 & 2	15:30 - 16:20
Miss Megan Cheerleading	Pre-Prep	15:30 - 16:20

### Wednesday

Mini Athletics	Pre-Prep	15:30 - 16:20
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### Thursday

Rugby Tots	Nursery	14:45 - 15:15
	Pre-Prep	15:30 - 16:20

An additional charge applies to these activities. Other activities are available at no extra cost.



# Structure of the Day

## Nursery

08:00 - 08:30	Arrival
08:30 - 11:30	Morning Session
11:30 - 12:30	Lunch
12:30 - 15:30	Afternoon Session
15:30 - 16:20	Home or Clubs*
16:20 - 18:00	Owls* Monday - Thursday, alternate Fridays

## Pre-Prep

08:00 - 08:30	Arrival, Reading
08:30 - 08:45	Assembly/Lessons
08:45 - 10:00	Lessons
10:00 - 10:30	Breaktime
10:30 - 11:45	Lessons
11:45 - 12:30	Lunch
12:30 - 13:15	Playtime
13:15 - 15:30	Lessons
15:30 - 16:20	Home or Clubs*
16:20 - 18:00	Owls* Monday - Thursday, alternate Fridays

\*An additional charge applies to some clubs and Owls.

# Structure of the Day

## Years 3 - 8

08:20	Registration
08:25	Assembly/Form Time
08:45	Lesson 1
09:20	Lesson 2
09:55	Lesson 3
10:30	Break
11:05	Lesson 4
11:35	Lesson 5
12:10	Lesson 6
12:45	Lunch
13:15	Break
13:45	Form Time / DEAR
14:00	Lesson 7
14:35	Lesson 8
15:10	Lesson 9
15:45	Lesson 10

## Middle School

## Years 5 - 8

16:20	Break / Sign out	Prep Break / Snack
16:40	Optional Prep / Clubs	Prep
17:40	Sign out / Change down	Sign out / Change down

## Boarders

18:00	Supper
18:30	Activities
19:30	Years 3, 4 & 5 Snack & Bedtime
19:45	Year 6 Snack & Bedtime
20:00	Year 7 Snack & Bedtime
20:15	Year 8 Snack & Bedtime

# Summer 2026

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Boarders Return:	Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> April between 17.00 - 18.00
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Term Begins:	Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> April from 08.00
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Half Term Begins:	Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May at 16.20
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Boarders May Return:	Sunday 31 <sup>st</sup> May at 19.00
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Term Resumes:	Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June from 08.00
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Summer Term Ends:	Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July at 16.20
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Speech Day:	Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> July
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# Michaelmas 2026

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Boarders Return:	Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September between 17.00 - 18.00
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Term Begins:	Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September from 08.00
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Half Term Begins:	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> October at 16.20
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Boarders May Return:	Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> November at 19.00
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Term Resumes:	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November from 08.00
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Michaelmas Term Ends:	Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> December at 15.00
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