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**Overstone Park School**

**Essential information**

 **Autumn Term 2025**

**A WARM WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL**

**The term resumes on resumes on Monday 1st September 2025.**

**Please be aware that the academic school day is as follows:-**

**Prep School - 8.45am to 3.15pm**

**High School - 8.45am to 3.15pm**

**Tea, Homework & After School Activities by arrangement - 3.15pm to 4.00pm.**

**Letters and information are distributed from the front desk at the entrance of the school by the staff member on duty between 8.00am to 8.50am and 3.15pm to 4.00pm.**

**Homework**

**Pre-Preparatory Homework – To be collected on Tuesdays and to be returned on Mondays.**

**Reception & Preparatory Classes – Years 1 to 6**

**Pupils complete tasks reflecting the national curriculum. Homework is sent out on Tuesdays and returned on Mondays.**

**High School Homework**

**The homework will be sent out via Bromcom**

**Reading & Library Books**

**Reception to Year 6**

**Reading books/flash cards are sent home on Fridays, to be brought back on a Monday.**

**Homework allocation time:-**

**Up to year 2 - 25 minutes per night**

**Year 3 & 4 - 1 hour per night**

**Year 5 & 6 - 1 hour 15 minutes per night**

**Year 7 – Year 11**

**A selection of reading and library books and set texts for each term are provided. Literature reviews are**

**required once each book has been read. Pupils must equip themselves with a dictionary and all other**

**essential equipment.**

**Class readers and set texts will be sent out with homework.**

**Physical Education**

**Tuesdays and Thursdays (Afternoons) Pre-Preparatory and**

**Preparatory School**

**Wednesdays and Fridays (Afternoons) High School**

**Performing Arts/Dance Sessions are held on Wednesday and Friday**

**High School Swimming - Friday**

**External Therapists**

**The school’s therapists visit the school for the pupils who require therapy as follows:-**

**School Counsellor Mondays (Weekly)**

**Boxercise - Mondays and Fridays**

**Play therapy- Tuesdays**

**Occupational Therapy Wednesday**

**Speech & Language Tuesday and Thursday(Weekly)**

**Games and extra-curricula sports – Reception to Year 6**

**This is held at lunch break times on Tuesdays and Thursdays.**

**Autumn sports will include Football, Hockey, Rugby, Netball, Basketball & Indoor dance, movement & gym.**

**Games and extra-curricula sports – Year 7 to Year 11**

**Games and sports are held on Wednesday and Friday afternoons. This will include Football, Hockey, Rugby, Netball, Basketball & Indoor dance, movement & gym.**

**Wednesday - Football/Netball/Dance & Movement - Gym**

**Friday - Hockey/Rugby/Basketball**

##### School Uniform

##### We apologise for the delay of the school uniform items from the school outfitters.

**Please find below the school’s uniform requirements for each department.**

**The wearing of school uniform is compulsory.**

**For pupils with sensory needs the alternative option to the full uniform is the school’s winter logo sports wear.**

**Preparatory School alternative**

**School’s royal blue tracksuit**

**White logo polo shirt**

**High School alternative**

**High School logo tracksuit pants**

**White logo polo shirt**

**School logo royal blue hoody**

**Overstone Park School**

**School uniform**

**We are please to inform that we now have a local supplier for school uniform.**

**School uniform can be purchased from the following shop in Northampton:-**

**‘Grandbies’ 26 St Giles Street Northampton NN1 1JA.**

**The shop is owned by the school therefore please contact the school office for any uniform queries and orders that you may have on 01604 969232.**

**Opening hours of the shop:-**

**Mondays -closed.**

**Tuesdays to Saturdays weekly - 10am to 5.30pm.**

**Sundays weekly - 12pm to 4pm.**

**School uniform can also be purchased online.**

**Site address:**

**School uniform cannot be purchased from the school.**

**Please find a list of our school uniform which specifies items of uniform available with prices:-**

**Preparatory School Uniform**

**Light grey long trousers (male) This can be purchased by numerous suppliers and we do not stock this general purchase item.**

**Summer uniform - grey school short trousers are worn with the white polo shirt.**

**The wearing of school blazers throughout the summer is compulsory.**

**Tunic (female)- £29.00**

**We have introduced a new checked tunic which is unique to the school. The current tunic can be worn for a further two terms.**

**Skirt from year 4 - £20.00**

**We have introduced a new checked skirt which is unique to the school. The current skirt can be worn for a further two terms as long as it meets school regulations.**

**Summer uniform- Summer dresses are worn.**

**Sizes 22 and 24 £42.00**

**Sizes 26 and 28 £45.00**

**Sizes 30 and 32 £47.00**

**Sizes 34 and 36 £49.00**

**From year 5 the school’s checked skirt and yellow short sleeved blouse can be worn instead of a summer dress.**

**The wearing of school blazers throughout the summer is compulsory.**

**Long Sleeved Blue Shirt Twin pack (male) £16.00 This can be purchased by numerous suppliers and we do not stock this general purchase item.**

**Boys may wear their white logo polo shirt throughout the summer until 28th October 2025.**

**The wearing of school blazers throughout the summer is compulsory.**

**Long sleeve blue blouse Twin pack (female) £16.00**

**Summer uniform - the school’s yellow short sleeved blouse is worn.**

**Royal Blue Jumper ( unisex) £22.00. Size 24 in stock. Awaiting. Your child can wear the current one for a further 3 terms until July 2025.**

**Slip overs (unisex)**

**Age 11/12 £19.00**

**13/14 £19.00**

**S £24.99**

**M £24.99**

**L £32.00**

**XL £32.00**

**School Blazer (female) - £42.00**

**School Blazer (male ) - £42.00**

**The wearing of school blazers throughout the summer is compulsory.**

**We have introduced a new more affordable blazer. The current blazer can be worn until your child grows out of it.**

**Gold & Blue Striped Tie (male and female ) £7.50**

**Grey Socks (Both) - This can be purchased by numerous suppliers and we do not stock this general purchase item.**

**Grey tights Tights ( Girl)- This can be purchased by numerous suppliers and we do not stock this general purchase item.**

**Plain Navy Blue Coat ( unisex )This can be purchased by numerous suppliers and we do not stock this general purchase item.**

**Physical Education**

**School tracksuit- £19.00**

**PE polo shirt - £11.50**

**Royal blue shorts £9.00**

**High School Uniform**

**Grey Trousers (male ) - This can be purchased by numerous suppliers and we do not stock this general purchase item.**

**Navy blue school trousers (female)- 14.00**

**School skirt- 24.00**

**We have introduced a new checked skirt which is unique to the school. The current skirt can be worn for a further two terms as long as it is knee length meets school regulations of being a plain navy unplaited skirt.**

**Long Sleeved Blue Shirt(male) Twin pack - £22.00 some sizes are in stock however This can be purchased by numerous suppliers and we do not stock this general purchase item.**

**Long sleeved Blue blouse( female)- Twin pack £22.00 some sizes are in stock however This can be purchased by numerous suppliers and we do not stock this general purchase item.**

**Summer uniform- The school’s yellow blouse is worn.**

**Royal blue tie (male) £8.99**

**Gold tie (female) £8.99**

**School jumper - ( unisex) £24.00**

**Slip overs (unisex) are available as an alternative to jumpers.**

**We have introduced a new more affordable blazer. The current blazer can be worn until your child grows out of it.**

**School Blazer (female) - £48.00**

**School Blazer (male) - £48.00**

**Black shoes -This can be purchased by numerous suppliers and we do not stock this general purchase item.**

**Grey socks - This can be purchased by numerous suppliers and we do not stock this general purchase item.**

**Navy blue tights - This can be purchased by numerous suppliers and we do not stock this general purchase item.**

**Plain Navy Blue Coat ( unisex )**

**Physical Education**

**School logo hoodies (unisex)- £21.00**

**We have introduced a new hoddie. The current hoodie can be worn for three terms.**

**PE pants ( unisex)- £22.00**

**We have introduced a new PE pants. The current PE pants can be worn for three terms. They must be the school’s regulation pants.**

**White shorts (male) -£11.50**

**White Skorts (female)- £12.50**

**Royal blue sports socks one size (unisex) £7.00**

**Accessories**

**Backpack -£15.00**

**Book bags -£13.00**

**PE Bag -£8.50**

**Navy blue coats**

**Age 5-6 upto and including 11-12 - £26.00**

**Age 13 and above - £35.00**

**Result Storm-dri jacket by order.**

**Age 5-6 upto 11-12 - £29.00**

**Age 11-12 and 13 -£34.00**

**Adults size - £42.00**

**Please contact the school office should you require further assistance.**

**High School Uniform**

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**Navy blue school trousers (female)- 14.00**

**School skirt- 24.00**

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**Boys may wear their white logo polo shirt until 28th October.**

**Long sleeved Blue blouse( female)- Twin pack 22.00 some sizes are in stock however This can be purchased by numerous suppliers and we do not stock this general purchase item.**

**Summer uniform- The school’s yellow blouse is worn.**

**Royal blue tie (male) £8.99**

**Gold tie (female) £8.99**

**School jumper - ( unisex) 24.00**

**We have introduced a new school jumper. Your child can wear the current one for a further 3 terms.**

**Slip overs (unisex) are available as an alternative to jumpers.**

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**School Blazer (female) - 48.00**

##### Belongings

**Pupil’s belongings are housed in their classrooms which are kept locked when not in use. Parents must ensure that all of their child/children’s belongings are labelled with a sewn in or ironed in name tag which are available from Schoolwear Solutions.**

**Standard of Appearance**

**Boys hair must be kept short, tidy and uncoloured / Girls hair must be kept tidy and uncoloured with all hair accessories worn in accordance with school colours (Navy, Royal Blue or Gold).**

**Boys are not permitted to wear earrings and girls may only wear ‘studs’ in pierced ears. Pupils are not permitted to wear makeup or jewellery.**

**Mobile phones must not be brought into school. We reserve the right to confiscate mobile phones if they are brought into school.**

**Please evnsure that school blazers are worn to school. The regulation colour for winter coats is plain Navy Blue.**

**Pupils are not permitted to wear large or ‘ear stretching’ ear rings or piercings on any other parts of the body.**

**Jewellery must not be worn to school.**

**Mobile phones are not permitted in school.**

**Chewing gum is not permitted in school.**

**Skirts must be knee length or below.**

**Make up must not be worn to school.**

**Pupils are also expected to have their natural hair colour.**

**School bags should also be in the school’s regulation colour of Navy Blue or Black.**

##### School Options and Extra-Curricula Activities

**All pupils are required to re-register for options, activities and clubs at the beginning of each academic year or at the beginning of each term if they are choosing the option for the first time.**

**The school requires one terms notice should you wish to withdraw your child from any option or activity.**

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| **OPTIONS & ACTIVITIES** |
| **Performing Arts**  | **Wednesday**  | **Reception to Year 6** |
| **Piano**  | **Tuesday** | **Year 1 – Year 11** |
| **Swimming** | **Wednesdays** | **Year 1 – Year 6** |
| **Drums** | **Monday** | **Year 1 – Year 11**  |
| **Performing Arts** | **Wednesday /Friday** | **Year 7- Year 11** |
| **Senior/Junior Band** | **Friday** | **Years 5 – 11.**  |
| **Choir**  | **Friday** | **High School (Years 3 – 11)**  |
| **Private Singing Lessons** | **Tuesday** | **Year 1 – Year 11.**  |
| **Chess** | **Monday** | **Prep / High School** |
| **Netball/Hockey/Basket Ball/Cross Country Running/ Football/ Rugby** | **Wednesday/Friday** | **Prep School –Year 1-4****High School-Year 5-11** |
| **Trumpet** | **Friday**  | **Years 5 – 11.**  |
| **Trombone** | **Friday** | **Years 5 – 11.**  |
| **Clarinet** | **Friday** | **Years 5 – 11.**  |
| **Cornet** | **Friday** | **Years 5 – 11.**  |
| **Saxophone** | **Friday** | **Years 5 – 11.** |
| **Guitar** | **Friday**  | **Years 4 – 11.**  |
| **Flute** | **Friday** | **Years 4 – 11.**  |
| **Pony Riding** | **TBA** | **Years 3 – 11.**  |

**Please select the options required for your child/children for the Autumn Term 2024**

 **Option Cost Choice**

 **Singing £98.00 (10 weeks) □**

 **Dance £53.00 (10 weeks) □**

 **Piano £108.00 (10 weeks) □**

 **Drums £80.00 (10 weeks) □**

 **Guitar £80.00 (10 weeks) □**

 **Pony Riding TBA (10 weeks) □**

 **Clarinet £60.00 (Group – 10 weeks) □**

 **Trumpet £60.00 (Group – 10 weeks) □**

 **Trombone £60.00 (Group – 10 weeks) □**

 **Cornet £60.00 (Group – 10 weeks) □**

 **Saxophone £60.00 (Group – 10 weeks) □**

 **Flute £60.00 (Group – 10 weeks) □**

 **Tenor Horn £60.00 (Group – 10 weeks) □**

 **Instrument Hire £30.00 (10 weeks) □**

**Extra Curricular Sports N/A (10 weeks) □**

**Choir N/A (10 weeks) □**

**TOTAL OPTION FEES DUE £**

**Child/Children Names: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Payment of option fees will be invoiced termly.**

**Please be reminded that the school requires one term’s written notice before a child can be withdrawn from an option.**