

Overstone Park School Essential information Autumn Term 2024

<u>A WARM WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL. WE HOPE THAT</u> <u>YOU HAVE HAD A SAFE SUMMER BREAK.</u>

The term resumes on Monday 2nd September 2024

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

Prep School	-	<u>8.45am to</u>
<u>3.15pm</u>		
High School	-	<u>8.45am to</u>
<u>3.15pm</u>		

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.

<u>Homework</u>

<u>Pre-Preparatory Homework</u> – To be collected on Tuesdays and to be returned on Mondays.

<u>Reception & Preparatory Classes</u> – 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 timetable will be sent out on Monday 2nd September 2024.

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 -<u>25 minutes per night</u> Year 3 & 4 - <u>1 hour per night</u> Year 5 & 6 - <u>1 hour 15 minutes per night</u>

<u>Year 7 – Year 11</u>

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.

<u>Physical Education</u> 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 Wednesdays (Fortnightly)

Speech & Language Tuesdays and Thursdays (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.

<u>Games and extra-curricula sports – Year 7 to Year 11</u>

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.

Winter uniform is worn from Monday 28th October 2024. New pupils may wear the winter uniform from 2nd September.

Overstone Park School

School uniform

The wearing of school uniform is compulsory.

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 cannot be purchased from the school.

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

Fledglings day nursery and Pre-School

Uniform

Long light grey trousers - 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 navy blue polo shirt.

Navy blue polo shirts (female and male) £10.50

Tunic (female) - £29.00

We have introduced a new checked pinafore which is unique to the school. The current school tunic can be worn for a further two terms. These are in stock.

Summer uniform - The nursery school summer dress is worn.

Jumpers - (unisex) £22.00

We have introduced a new school jumper. Your child can wear the current one for a further 3 terms until July 2025.

Slip overs In Stock.

Plain Navy coat (unisex) In Stock.

Physical Education

PE shorts £9.00

White school polo shirt - £10.50. Not yet in stock.

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 The wearing of school blazers is compulsory. All sizes in Stock.

School Blazer (male) - £42.00 The wearing of school blazers throughout the summer is compulsory.

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

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

In Stock

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 Will be in stock from 9th September 2024.

PE polo shirt - 11.50 Will be in stock for 9th September 2024.

Royal blue shorts £9.00 In stock.

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 In stock.

School skirt- 24.00 In Stock.

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.

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

The wearing of school blazers throughout the summer is compulsory.

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 In stock.

Gold tie (female) £8.99 In stock.

School jumper - (unisex) £24.00

We have introduced a new school jumper. Your child can wear the current one for a further 3 terms. Your child can wear the current one for a further 3 terms until July 2025.

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 In stock.

School Blazer (male) - £48.00 In stock.

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 On order

White Skorts (female)- £12.50 On Order

Royal blue sports socks one size (unisex) £7.00

Accessories In Stock.

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

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Age 5-6 upto 11-12 - £29.00

Age 11-12 and 13 -£34.00

Adults size - £42.00

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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.

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

The wearing of school blazers throughout the summer is compulsory.

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 In stock.

Gold tie (female) 8.99 In stock.

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School Blazer (female) - 48.00 In stock.

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. <u>Mobile phones must not be brought into school.</u> We reserve the right to confiscate mobile phones if they are brought into school.

Please ensure 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 <u>beginning of each academic year</u> 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.

OPTIONS & ACTIVITIES

Ballet/Tap/ Modern Dance	Wednesday	Pre-Prep – Year 6
Piano	Tuesday	Year 1 – Year 11
Swimming	Wednesdays	Year 1 – Year 6
Drums	Monday	Year 1 – Year 11
Rhythm- Performing Arts	Wednesday	Year 1 – Year 11
Senior/Junior Band	Thursday	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	ТВА	Years 3 – 11.

Please select the options required for your child/children for the <u>Autumn Term 2024</u>

	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 v	weeks)
	Trumpet Trombone	£60.00 (Group – 10 week £60.00 (Group – 10 v	•
	Cornet	£60.00 (Group – 10 v	weeks)
	Saxophone	£60.00 (Group – 10 v	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 <u>one term's</u> <u>written notice</u> before a child can be withdrawn from an option.

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