Oldway Primary School

Welcome Meeting

Wednesday 1st July 2026

Senior Leadership Team

Emma Bamber
Head of School

Chris Hallett
Deputy Head of School

Laura Bateman
SENCO

Hannah Fox
Assistant Head
Y5/6

Zoe Milligan
Assistant Head
Y2/3/4

Eve Edworthy
Assistant Head
YN/R/1

Eva Rowe
Designated Safeguarding Lead

Lindsay Chalk
Family Support Worker

Reception Team:

Eve Edworthy
Assistant Head of Lower School
Preston Sands
Class Teacher

Emma Child
Class teacher
Goodrington Sands

The Early Years Curriculum

Prime areas:

- Communication and Language
- Physical development
- Personal, social and emotional development

Specific areas:

- Literacy
- Mathematics
- Understanding the World
- Expressive Arts and Design

Characteristics of Learning:

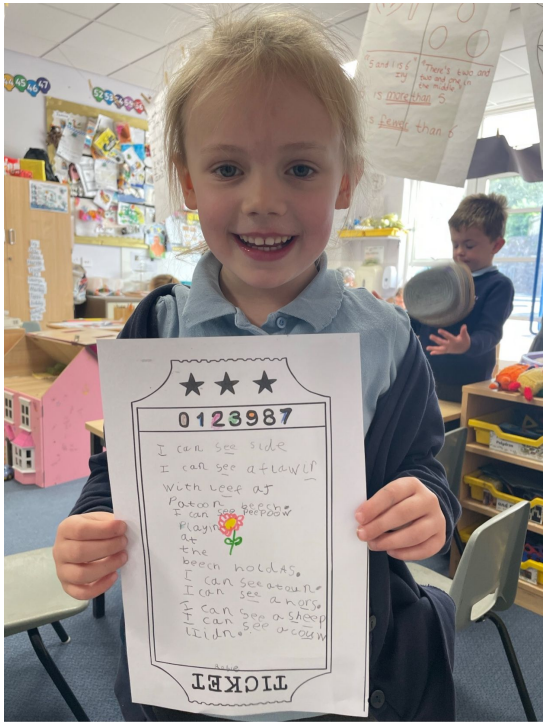
- Playing and exploring
- Active learning
- Creating and thinking critically

The School Day

- Registration
- Focused Literacy or Understanding of the World input.
- Continuous provision/ Guided groups
- Phonics-Read Write Inc Scheme
- Lunch 11:30-12:30
- Focused Maths Input
- Continuous Provision/guided groups
- Snack time (free fruit and milk)-access throughout the day.
- Teeth Cleaning
- Story and Rhyme Time

Continuous Provision

Outdoor Learning Environment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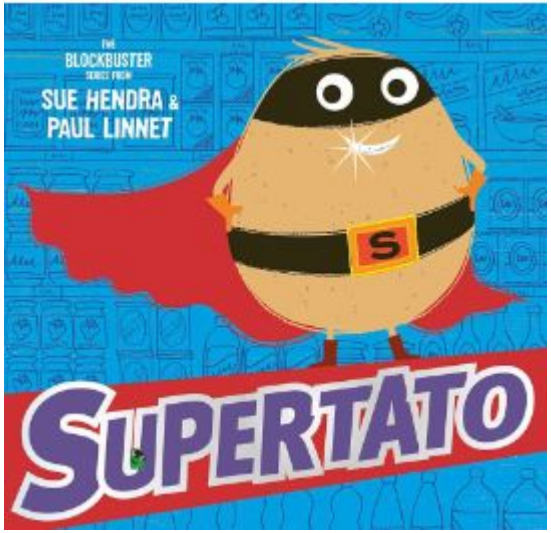
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SUE HENDRA & PAUL LINNET
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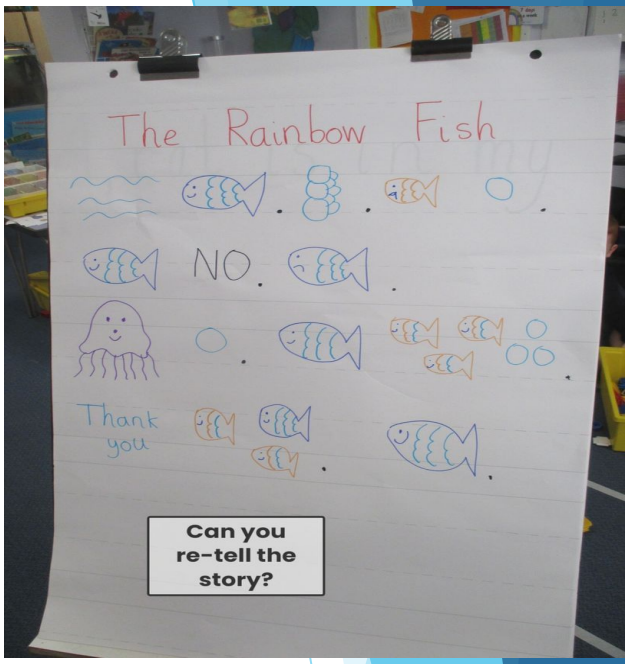
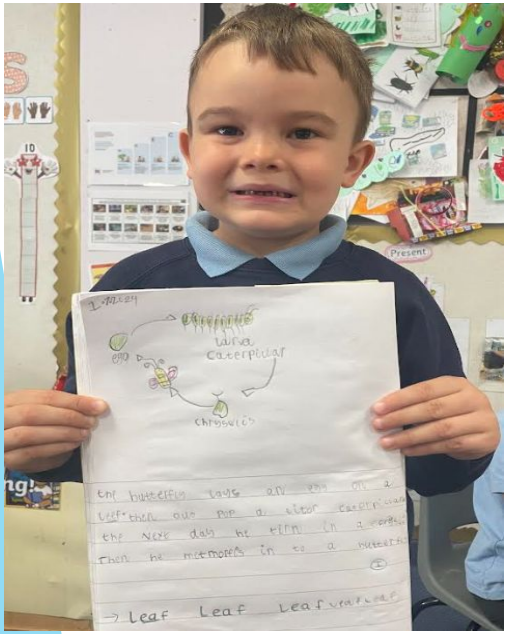

The Rainbow Fish
NO
Thank you
Can you re-tell the story?

Literacy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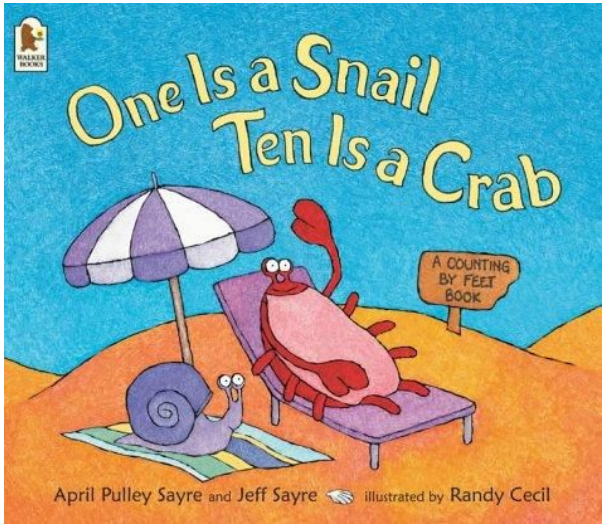
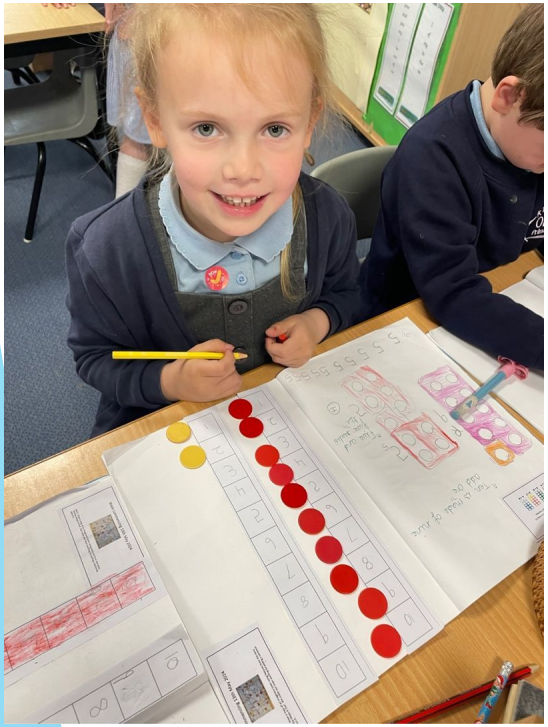

One Is a Snail Ten Is a Crab
A COUNTING BY FEET BOOK
April Pulley Sayre and Jeff Sayre
illustrated by Randy Cecil

Maths



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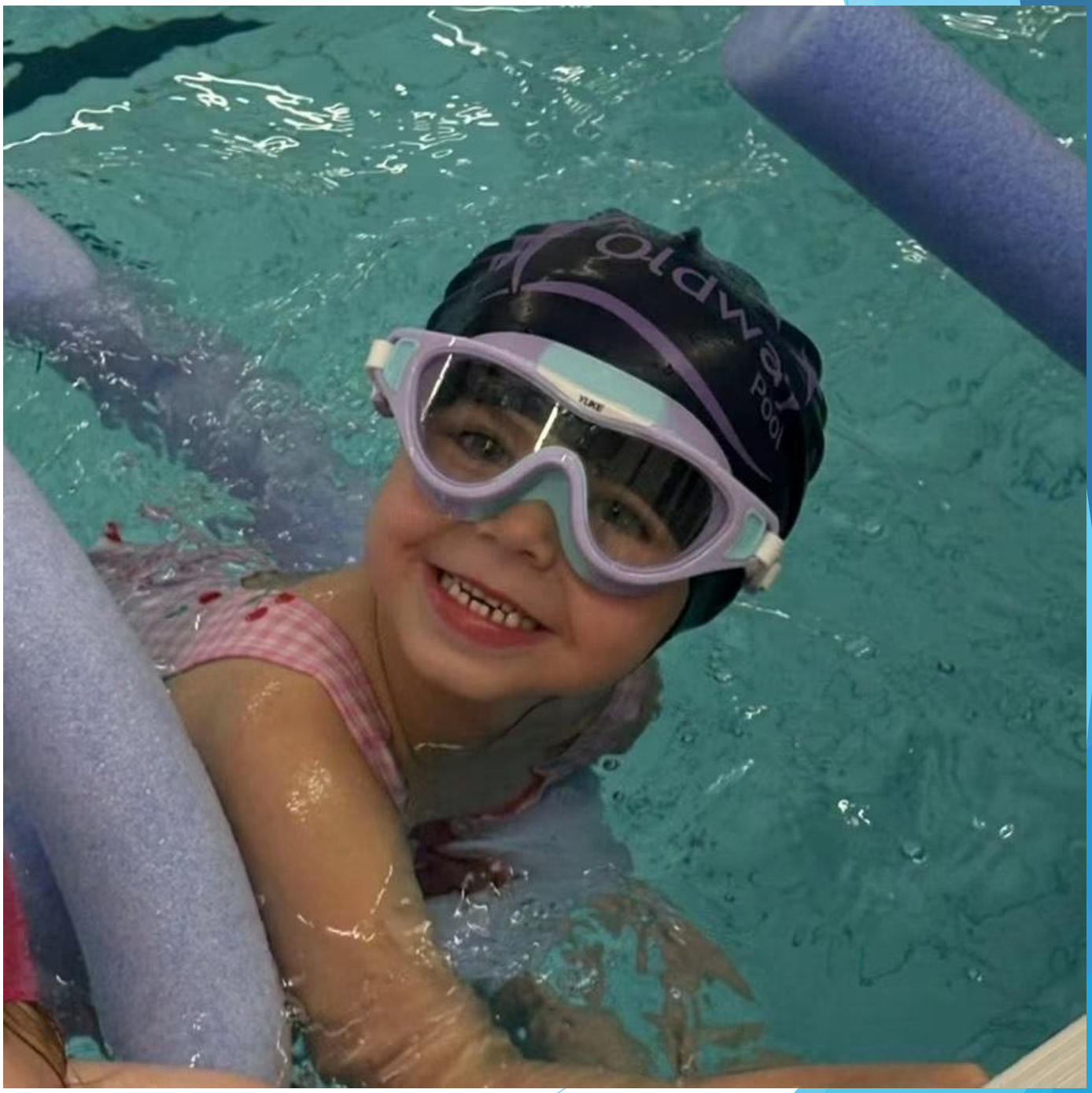
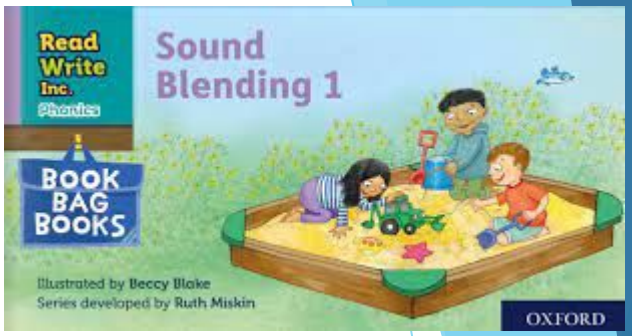
Oldway Wild Learning (OWL)

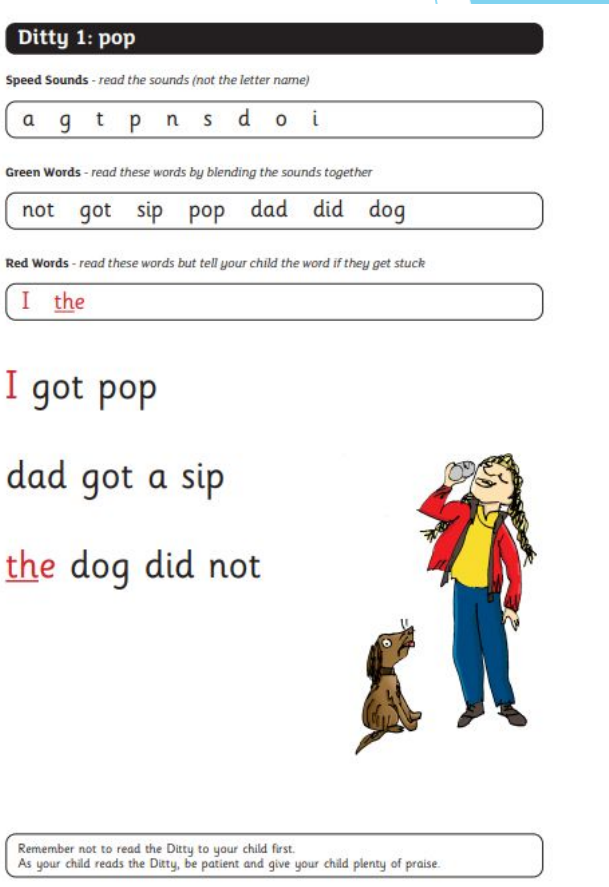
Beach School

Swimming



Read Write Inc



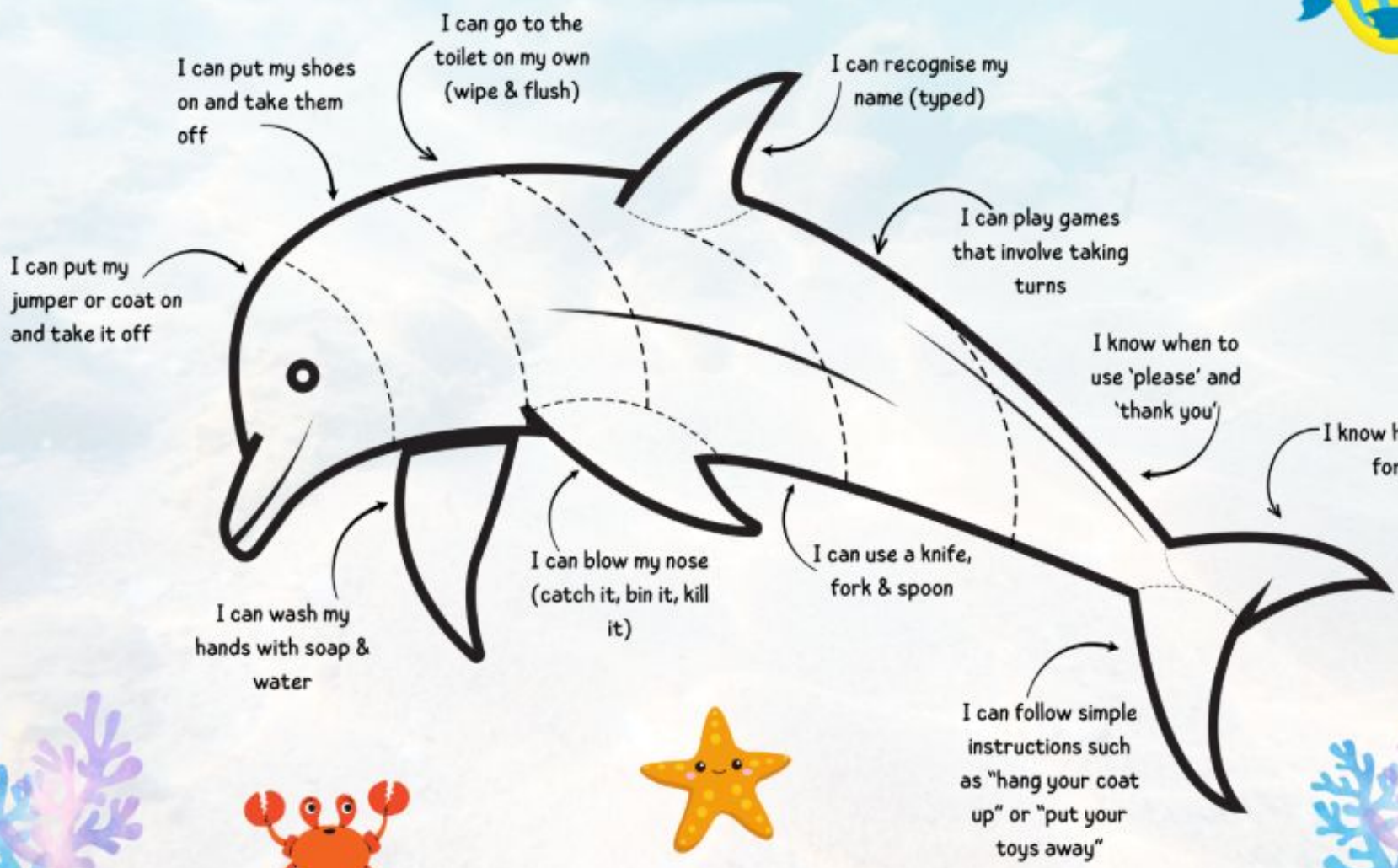


For how to do all these things and more
https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemes-oxford-levels/read-write-inc-phonics-guide/

Ready for September

Ready, Steady, School!

Here are some helpful skills that your child can build before they start school. Use this sheet with your child so they can colour in their progress!



Speech and language for under 5

Speech, Language and Communication Pathway and The Balanced System ®
Transformation

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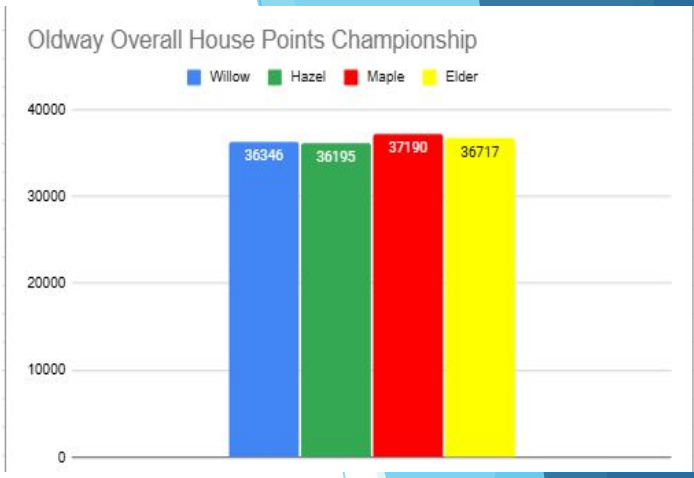
How will I know how my child is doing at school?



- Come in and talk to a member of staff
- Reading afternoon
- House points/lolly or hot chocolate with the head
- Golden phone calls
- Seesaw observations
- Workshops and insite mornings
- Reports to parents – end of year 'Profile'
- Parents evening in Autumn Term and Spring Term
- Friday celebration assembly

Seesaw

Events through the year

- Non-uniform days
- Christmas nativity
- School trips
- Forest School (OWL)
- Beach School-Summer Term
- Insite Day

Drop-off and collection points

- School gates open at 8:30am with children let into the classroom to put their belongings away. Registers start at 8:45am. School will finish at 3:15pm.
- **Please let us know if someone different is picking up your child.**

Keeping in contact:

- Any concerns contact the class teacher via Seesaw.
- There will be a chance at the end of the day to see your class teacher.
- Email: oldwayadmin@rivieraet.co.uk if you need to contact another member of the school team.
- Use the Reading Record when discussing reading
- Information on the school website:

www.oldwayschool.co.uk

Other useful information:

- Absence and holidays
- Medication, asthma forms, inhalers and permissions
- Parent pay

School Uniform

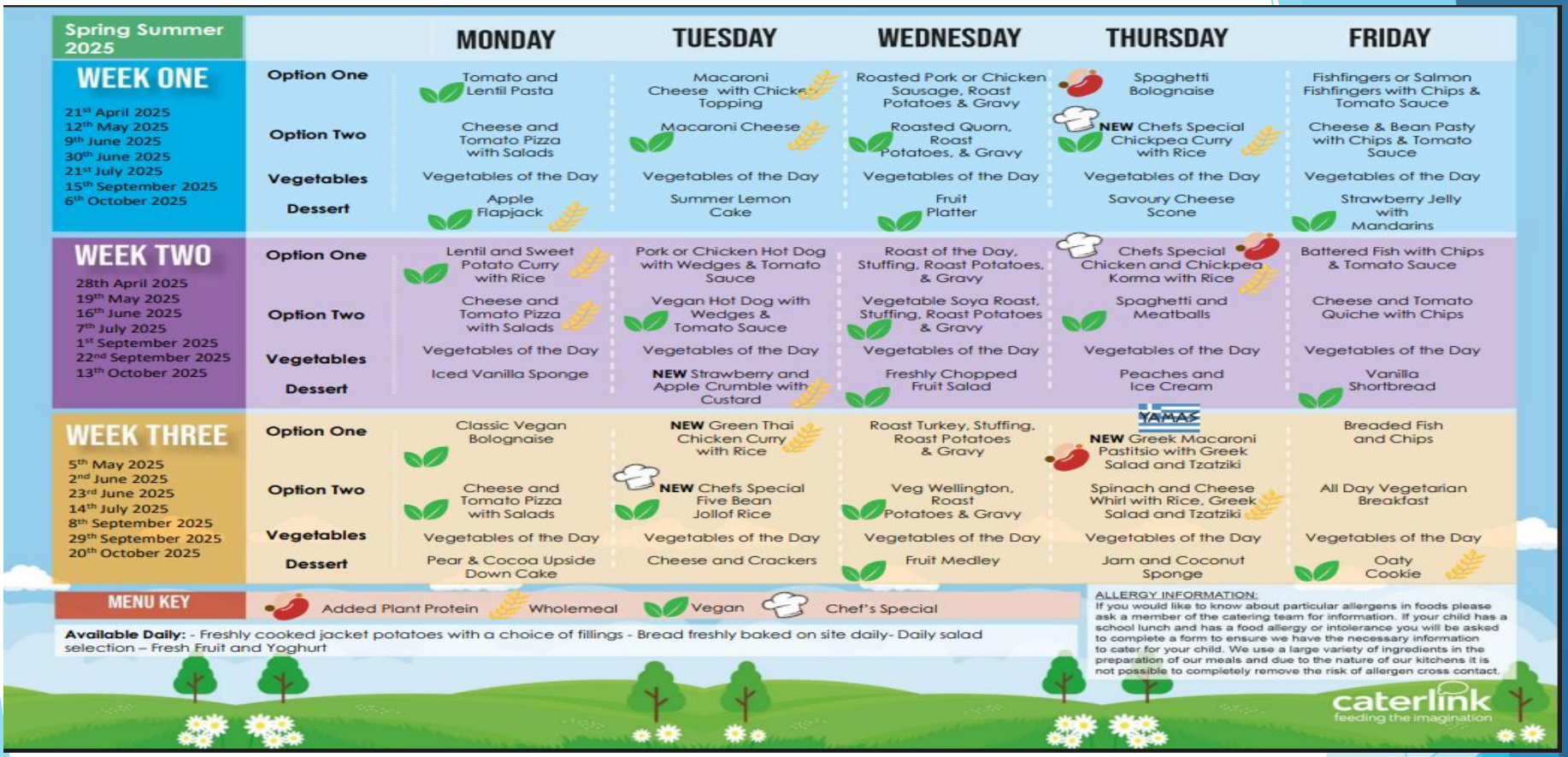
- Winter and summer uniform
- PE Kit (to be worn into school)
- Book bag
- Coats/waterproofs
- Wellies (left in school)
- Water bottles-named

Riviera Schooldays:

https://rivieraschooldays.co.uk/?s=oldway&post_type=product

EVERYTHING NAMED PLEASE!

Food and Snacks



Spring Summer 2025		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK ONE 21st April 2025 12th May 2025 9th June 2025 30th June 2025 21st July 2025 15th September 2025 6th October 2025	Option One	Tomato and Lentil Pasta	Macaroni Cheese with Chicken Topping	Roasted Pork or Chicken Sausage, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Spaghetti Bolognaise	Fishfingers or Salmon Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Option Two	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Salads	Macaroni Cheese	Roasted Quorn, Roast Potatoes, & Gravy	**NEW** Chefs Special Chickpea Curry with Rice	Cheese & Bean Pasty with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Vegetables	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day
	Dessert	Apple Flapjack	Summer Lemon Cake	Fruit Platter	Savoury Cheese Scone	Strawberry Jelly with Mandarins
WEEK TWO 28th April 2025 19th May 2025 16th June 2025 7th July 2025 1st September 2025 22nd September 2025 13th October 2025	Option One	Lentil and Sweet Potato Curry with Rice	Pork or Chicken Hot Dog with Wedges & Tomato Sauce	Roast of the Day, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes, & Gravy	Chefs Special Chicken and Chickpea Korma with Rice	Battered Fish with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Option Two	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Salads	Vegan Hot Dog with Wedges & Tomato Sauce	Vegetable Soya Roast, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Spaghetti and Meatballs	Cheese and Tomato Quiche with Chips
	Vegetables	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day
	Dessert	Iced Vanilla Sponge	**NEW** Strawberry and Apple Crumble with Custard	Freshly Chopped Fruit Salad	Peaches and Ice Cream	Vanilla Shortbread
WEEK THREE 5th May 2025 2nd June 2025 23rd June 2025 14th July 2025 8th September 2025 29th September 2025 20th October 2025	Option One	Classic Vegan Bolognaise	**NEW** Green Thai Chicken Curry with Rice	Roast Turkey, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	**NEW** Greek Macaroni Pastitsio with Greek Salad and Tzatziki	Breaded Fish and Chips
	Option Two	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Salads	**NEW** Chefs Special Five Bean Jollof Rice	Veg Wellington, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Spinach and Cheese Whirl with Rice, Greek Salad and Tzatziki	All Day Vegetarian Breakfast
	Vegetables	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day
	Dessert	Pear & Cocoa Upside Down Cake	Cheese and Crackers	Fruit Medley	Jam and Coconut Sponge	Oaty Cookie

MENU KEY: Added Plant Protein · Wholemeal · Vegan · Chef's Special

Available Daily: - Freshly cooked jacket potatoes with a choice of fillings - Bread freshly baked on site daily- Daily salad selection – Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt

ALLERGY INFORMATION:
If you would like to know about particular allergens in foods please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of allergen cross contact.

caterlink
feeding the imagination

School Meals

These are provided by an outside caterer called Caterlink . Meals are cooked onsite in our own kitchen and served fresh. Remember it is free for all children in Reception to Year 2.

Packed Lunch

Children may, if they wish, bring a packed lunch, instead of the cooked meal.

Breakfast Club and After School Club

Before and after school care for your child.

- Breakfast - 7:45am until the start of school.
- After school - end of school until 6:00pm.
- Please fill in the Google expression of interest form.

Clubs - staff and external

- Range of clubs on offer
- Waiting list
- More clubs available for older years
- Opportunities to represent the school

Pupil Premium

- **Free school meal eligibility from Sept 2026**
- Eligible Targeted: This applies to families on Universal Credit with an annual household income of £7,400 or less. Children in this category receive Free School Meals, extra funding for their school (Pupil Premium), access to the Holiday Activities and Food programme (HAF), and school travel assistance.

- Eligible Expanded: This applies to families on Universal Credit with an annual household income over £7,400. Children in this category are entitled to Free School Meals only.
- **Income Support (IS).**
- **Income-based Jobseekers Allowance (IBJSA).**
- **Income-related Employment and Support Allowance (IRESA).**
- **The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit.**
- **Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999.**
- **Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income that does not exceed £16,190).**
- **Working Tax Credit run-on (the payment you get for a further 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit).**
- **Service children.**
- **Adopted from care, special guardianship order and residence order.**
- **Children in care.**

Riviera Education Trust

- Made up of 3 Torbay Schools - Oldway, Roselands and Shiphay
- Working together to share and model best practices.
- Give staff and children opportunities e.g. music and PE lead teachers

Oldway School Fundraisers (OSF)

The OSF has been running for many years at Oldway Primary School. Their aim is to raise funds for the school to benefit all pupils.All the funds raised go directly to improving the school to helping our children. They are always grateful of more volunteers who can help.

Key Dates:

Induction visits

- Stay and Play visits

Class Transition Days

Thursday 2nd July -9:30-11am

Your child's first day: Monday 7th September

Any questions?