

EVENTS CALENDAR 2025/6 Parent Events are highlighted in blue

September 2025

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| Primary House event – wear house colour T shirts to school (Y1- Y6). | Thursday 4 th September | |
| Online Workshop for Arabic parents – link sent via email – Ms Nehad | Thursday 4 th September | EYFS & KS1 07.45-08.30 KS2 08.45-09.30 Secondary 10.45-11.30 |
| Parent invite to new Parents to Oryx, Welcome meeting with Mrs. Smith. Email details to follow. Parent sign-up required. | Sunday 7 th September | 07.30-08.30 Auditorium (entry via Gate 5) |
| Online Safety Event for Students (secondary) | Monday 8 th September | Various times |
| Online Safety Event for Students (Y5& Y6) | Tuesday 9 th September | Various times |
| Duke of Edinburgh celebration event | Tuesday 9 th September | 14.15-16.00 (entry via Gate 5) |
| ASA Open House. Led by Mr Kelly & Mrs Taylor. | Tuesday 9 th September | 14:15 – 15:15 Sports Hall (entry via Gate 5) |
| Year 1 open afternoon – parents welcome | Wednesday 10 th September | 13.00 – 14.00 Entry via gate 5 Gates open at 13.00 |
| Y12 trip to Meryl Water Park (girls) | Wednesday 10 th September | |
| Y12 trip to Meryl Water Park (boys) | Thursday 11 th September | |
| Online Workshop for Parents (Arabic) – using the learning App (Part 1) Ms Nehad | Thursday 11 th September | 07.30-08.30 Teams link to follow via email |
| FS1 & FS2 Parent workshop The Early Years framework. What is my child learning in Early Years? Online - led by Mrs Franklin (Phase Lead) | Thursday 11 th September | 08:00 – 09.00 Teams link on Dojo |
| Year 1 & Year 2 Parent workshop – What does my child learn in KS1? Online - led by Mr. Mistry (Phase Lead) | Thursday 11 th September | 09:00 – 10.00 Teams link on Dojo |
| Year 3 & Year 4 Parent workshop – What does my child learn in lower KS2? Online - led by Mr. Mistry & Ms. Curry (Phase Leads) | Thursday 11 th September | 10:00 – 11.00 Teams link on Dojo |
| Year 5 & Year 6 Parent workshop – What does my child learn in Upper KS2? Online - led by Ms. Curry (Phase Lead) | Thursday 11 th September | 11:30 – 12:30 Teams link on Dojo |
| Y2-Y7 Oryx factor | Thursday 11 th September | Various times Auditorium |
| PSA safeguarding training | Sunday 14 th September | Lecture Room |

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| Year 6 Open Afternoon for Parents | Sunday 14 September | 13:00 – 13:50 (entry via Gate 5) Gates open at 13.00 |
| Year 5 Open Afternoon for parents | Monday 15 th September | 13:00 – 13: 50 (entry via Gate 5) Gates open at 13.00 |
| Y12 University Workshop | Monday 15 th September | TBC |
| Y13 University Workshop | Tuesday 16 th September | TBC |
| Year 4 Open Afternoon for parents | Tuesday 16 th September | 13:00 – 13:50 (entry via Gate 5) Gates open at 13.00 |
| Year 3 Open Afternoon for parents | Wednesday 17 th September | 13.00-13.50 (entry via Gate 5) Gates open at 13.00 |
| Online Workshop for Arabic Parents – using the learning App (part 2) Ms Nehad | Thursday 18 th September | 07.30-8.30 Teams link to follow via email |
| Year 2 Open Afternoon for Parents | Thursday 18 th September | 13.00-13. 50 (entry via Gate 5) Gates open at 13.00 |
| Artificial Intelligence (AI) Workshop for Parents. Details via email to follow – Parent sign-up required. Mr Hughes | Thursday 18 th September | 13:00 – 13: 50 Auditorium (entry via Gate 5) Gates open at 13.00 |
| Primary House Assemblies Y1-Y6 | Sunday 21 st September – 25 th September | Auditorium |
| Year 10 Parent Workshop- preparing for GCSEs | Monday 22 nd September | 15:15 – 16:00 Auditorium(entry via Gate 5) |
| Year 11 Parent Workshop- preparing for GCSEs | Tuesday 23 rd September | 15:15 – 16:00 Auditorium(entry via Gate 5) |
| Canvas Workshop for Parents in Year 1 and new Parents (Y1-Y6). Online - led by Mr Mistry. | Thursday 25 th September | 08:00 – 09:00 Teams link on Dojo |
| Canvas Workshop for new parents (Y7-Y13) online Mr. Goodall | Thursday 25 th September | 09:15 – 10.00 Teams link to follow via email |
| ASA's start (T1) | Sunday 28 th September | Various places 14.15-15.00 |

October 2025

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| Online parent workshop EYFS (FS1 & FS2) curriculum with Ms. Franklin | Thursday 2 nd October | 08:00 – 09:00 Teams link on Dojo |
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| Class 5A Assembly – Parents welcome | Thursday 2 nd October | 13:15 – 13:45 Auditorium Gate 5 opens at 13.00 |
| PSA Teacher Appreciation Day | Sunday 5 th October | |
| New Zealand University Fair | Sunday 5 th October | |
| World Mental Health Day. Students & staff can come to school dressed in Green. | Monday 6 th October | |
| Sixth Form University Fair- US Universities | Monday 6 th October | |
| Year 7S, 7U, 7W Parent Form Tutor Meetings | Monday 6 th October | 08:00 – 15:00 Scheduled meetings |
| Year 7D, 7K, 7R Parent Form Tutor Meetings | Tuesday 7 th October | 08:00 – 15:00 Scheduled meetings |
| Sixth Form University Fair- Canadian Universities | Tuesday 7 th October | |
| School Photos | Wednesday 8 th - Thursday 16 th October | |
| Arabic Exams | 14 th -23 rd October | |
| D of E Practice Girls | Wednesday 15 th -16 th October | |
| Year 11 Parent Teacher Student Meetings | Monday 20 th October | 14:30 – 18:00 |
| Cancer Awareness (Pink Day). Students & staff can come to school dressed in Pink. | Tuesday 21 st October | |
| PSA coffee morning - Pink Day | Tuesday 21 st October | 7:45-8:45 |
| D of E Practice Boys | Wednesday 22 nd – 23 rd October | |
| Primary Parent Online Workshop. FS2-Y2 parents welcome – How we teach Phonics in school Mr Mistry | Thursday 23 rd October | 08:00 – 09:00 Teams link on Dojo |
| Term 1 Mid-Term Break | Sunday 26 October – Thursday 30 October 2025 | |

| November 2025 | | |
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| Students return to school | Sunday 2 nd November | |
| Sixth Form Parent Teacher Student Meetings | Monday 3 rd November | 14:30 – 17:30 |
| Class 1F Assembly – Parents welcome | Tuesday 4 th November | 13:15 – 13:45 Auditorium Gate 5 opens at 13.00 |
| Class 3E Assembly – Parent Welcome | Wednesday 5 th November | 13:15 – 13:45 |

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| | | Auditorium Gate 5 opens at 13.00 |
| Parent Online Workshop- How we teach Maths at Oryx with Mr. Corrie and Mr. McCann | Thursday 6th November | 08:00 – 09:00 Y1 & Y2 09.15-10.15 Y3-Y6 Teams link on Dojo |
| Anti-Bullying Week | Sunday 9th November – Thursday 13th November | |
| Odd Sock Day - all students & staff encouraged to wear odd socks to school | Monday 10th November | |
| Lost and Found Pop up | Monday 10 th November | 2:15-3:00 Auditorium Main entrance |
| World Nursery Rhyme Week | Monday 10 th – Friday 14 th November | |
| Class 1A Assembly- Parents welcome | Tuesday 11 th November | 13:15 – 13:45 Auditorium Gate 5 opens at 13.00 |
| Class 3B Assembly- Parents welcome | Wednesday 12 th November | 13:15 – 13:45 Auditorium Gate 5 opens at 13.00 |
| Year 12 IGCSE Celebration Evening | Wednesday 12 th November | 17:00 – 18:00 Auditorium (entry via Gate 5) |
| Class 5B Assembly- Parents welcome | Thursday 13 th November | 13:15 – 13:45 Auditorium Gate 5 opens at 13.00 |
| World Kindness Day (part of Anti-Bullying Week) all students & staff encouraged wear yellow to school | Thursday 13th November | |
| PSA coffee morning – World Kindness Day | Thursday 13 th November | 7:45-8:45 |
| EYFS Dress Up Day (World Nursery Rhyme Week) | Thursday 13th November | |
| Mock Exams (Y12 & Y13) | Sunday 16 th November – Thursday 4 th December | |
| International Day | Monday 17th November | |
| Class 3A Assembly – Parents welcome | Monday 17 th November | 13:15-13:45 Auditorium (entry via Gate 5) |
| Class 5C Assembly – Parents welcome | Tuesday 18 th November | 13:15-13:45 Auditorium (entry via Gate 5) |
| Class 1D Assembly – Parents welcome | Wednesday 19 th November | 13:15-13:45 Auditorium (entry via Gate 5) |
| Parent online workshop- Assessment and reporting in Secondary Y7-Y13 with Mr Kelly | Thursday 20 th November | 08.00-09.00 Teams link via email |

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| Class 3D Assembly | Thursday 20 th November | 13:15-13:45 Auditorium (entry via Gate 5) |
| Sustainability Uniform Pop up | Sunday 23 rd November | 2:15-3:00 Auditorium Main entrance |
| Year 8 Parent Teacher Student Meetings | Monday 24 th November | 14:30 – 18:00 |
| Class 1E Assembly- Parents welcome | Tuesday 25 th November | 13:15 – 13:45 Auditorium Gate 5 open at 13.00 |
| ASA's end | Wednesday 26 th November | |
| Parent online workshop- Assessment and reporting in Primary FS1-Y6 with Mr Hughes | Thursday 27 th November | 08:00 – 09:00 Teams link on Dojo |

| December 2025 | | |
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| Oryx PSA Gala | Saturday 6 th December | 12-4pm |
| Arabic Exams | Sunday 7 th - 16 th December | |
| Secondary Music Concert TBC | Sunday 7 th December | TBC Auditorium(entry via Gate 5) |
| TT Maths- Rockstars (Y3-Y6) Dress up day | Tuesday 9 th December | |
| Class 5D Assembly – Parent Welcome | Tuesday 9 th December | 13:15 – 13:45 Auditorium |
| Primary Music Concert TBC | Wednesday 10 th December | TBC Auditorium (entry via Gate 5) |
| Class 5E Assembly – Parent Welcome | Tuesday 10 th December | 13:15 – 13:45 Auditorium |
| Secondary Activities Day | Thursday 11 th December | |
| D of E Bronze Award Trek TBC | Wednesday 10-11 th December | |
| Primary & Secondary Reports to Parents | Thursday 11 th December | |
| Parent online workshop- How to support reading at home. FS1-Y6 with Mr Mistry | Thursday 11 th December | 08.00-09.00 Teams link via Dojo |
| Class 1D Assembly – Parents Welcome | Thursday 11 th December | 13:15 – 13:45 Auditorium |
| Primary Parent Consultations | Monday 15 th December | 14:30 – 17:00 |



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| Primary Parent Consultations | Tuesday 16 th December | 14:30 – 17:00 |
| D of E Bronze & Silver Trek TBC | Sunday 14 th - 16 th December | |
| Primary winning House treat day | Tuesday 16 th December | |
| Celebrate Qatar National Day – wear Qatar colours to school | Wednesday 17 th December | |
| End of Term 1 (Winter Break) | Wednesday 17 th December | |
| Qatar National Day – National Holiday (School closed) | Thursday 18 th December | |