

Principles's Newsletter 13th September 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

It was great to see so many parents/carers join the meeting held by Mrs Griffin about the school residential. Every child attending will benefit from this adventure it will improve our children's confidence, resilience and life skills.

RE: Miss Yasmin will be holding the parent coffee morning on Monday 16th September at 9.30am. We welcome all and look forward to working with you once again.

Let's get reading - BOOM Reader






"If you are going to get anywhere in life you have to read a lot of books." - Roald Dahl

Well done to all the children and families who have logged onto Boom reader. We are pleased to announce the most home reading logs recorded on Boom reader this week.

Position	Name	Reads at home
First Place	Aleena Ahmed Class 8	9 parent reads
Second Place	Zara Yasin Class 10 Iman Fatima Ahmed Class 11	7 parent reads
Third Place	Ibrahim Muhammad Class 1	6 parent reads



Spelling Shed Winners

1.		Raja AHMED	Class 11 24/25, Year 6 - Group 1b Miss Nolan	8,719,744
2.		Amir KHAN CUEVAS	Class 11 24/25, Year 6 - Group 1b Miss Nolan	7,875,956
3.		Husna JAMALL	Class 11 24/25, Year 6 - Group 2 Miss Bradley	5,894,796



TT Rockstars – CELEBRATIONS!

The most accurate Class	Class 11
The most active Class	Class 7
The most improved speed	Aizah Younis Class 7
The most active player	Owais Nadeem Class 11

Word Aware

This week's word is 'wheeze'.

Please encourage your child to use this word when out and about.



Attendance

Superb attendance last week!

Well done to these classes for achieving 95% or above:

Classes 1, 2, 3, 6, 8 and 10.

Class 1 received their waffle treat as they had the highest attendance in school.



Year 5 Secondary School Applications

Please find attached a letter that has been sent out to children in year 5 regarding applications for secondary schools. We will be offering support for any parents/carers who will need support in filling the application form in so please do contact the school office.

Invitation to the opening of Alexandra Family Hub

Families are invited to the opening of **Alexandra Family Hub** with free fun activities for all the family.



Date & time: Friday 20 September at 12noon–4pm

Location: Wildmoor Avenue, Oldham, OL4 5PU.

To find your nearest hub and for more information visit <https://familyhubs.oldham.gov.uk/>

Oldham Way overnight closures

Oldham Way will be closed in both directions until **Thursday 20 September 2024**. We apologise for any inconvenience caused to your commute, but by carrying out the work when traffic is at its lowest levels, we hope to keep disruption to a minimum. The full closure is needed so we can

safely carry out drainage work on Waterloo Street Bridge and also complete remedial work. In addition, EON street lighting will be using the closures to complete essential maintenance which will again minimise further disruption in the future. The closures will be in place from Manchester Road roundabout up to the junction of Prince Street/Oldham Way between **8pm and 5am**. Signposted diversions will be in place.

Oldham Foodbank

With demand for food supplies soaring, Oldham Foodbank urgently needs your help. They rely on donations to support local households, but currently have to purchase 40-45% of their stock. Your contributions can make a big difference.

Right now, they need:

Tinned potatoes
Cooking sauce
Jam
Pasta
Tinned soup
Tinned meat
Washing powder
Shampoo
Shower gel



You can donate via <https://givetoday.co.uk/oldhamfoodbank/> or drop off items at the Foodbank, Monday to Friday between 10am–3pm.

Address:

Oldham Foodbank
Unit J
Prince of Wales Business Park,
Vulcan Street
Oldham, OL1 4ER