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Dear Parent/Carer,

Please see below for some key information:

Our New Website is Live!

We're pleased to launch our new website: www.onedegreeacademy.org. It's now easier to navigate, with quick access to MCAS, Tapestry and other key platforms. Use the translate function at the top of the page to view it in different languages. We'll be adding more over time, so if you have feedback, please email: parents@onedegreeacademy.org

Good Luck Camila!

Camila is about to start her next big adventure of being a mum. She has started her maternity leave today! We are so incredibly thankful for the love and support she has given to all of our Early Years students over the past two years and know that she is going to be a rockstar parent! We can't wait to meet baby Oliver and welcome him into the ODA family in a few years time.



Scholastic Book Fair - Author Visit

An exciting addition to this year's book fair will be a visit from Stewart Sutters who is the author of *Stewbot and the Stolen Tooth Fairy Wings*. The book is an illustrated adventure story aimed predominantly at children between the ages of 7 and 9. Stewart will be visiting ODA on Wednesday 21st May and will be at the fair offering signed copies of his book.

Year 6 SATS

Congratulations to our Year 6 scholars who completed their KS2 SATs this week! The scholarship and effort on display was quite simply outstanding. Each and every student showed their best self and we are exceptionally proud of them. Well done Year 6!

Year 2 SATS - next week

Our Year 2 scholars will be taking the non-statutory KS1 SATs next week. Although not statutory, these assessments are used as evidence towards their end-of-year teacher assessment and also help identify gaps that can be addressed in the weeks preceding their reports. Please make sure that students are well rested and in school. We wish all in Year 2 good luck!

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Minecraft

Minecraft has come up recently in conversations between ODA staff and students (both older than and younger than 7). Minecraft has a PEGI (Pan European Game Information) rating of 7 which means that it is unsuitable for students under the age of 7. We would also suggest that, as with all online games, parents and carers should be vigilant and aware of the risks associated with unsupervised access to the internet. For more detailed guidance, please refer to the information here about Minecraft and key things to watch out for.

Mathletics

We're sorry that no Mathletics certificates were issued last week. Mathletics have updated and changed their site and as a result, Jamie was locked out! All has now been resolved and certificates printed for the last 2 weeks for all students getting 1,000 points or more in either/both weeks.

Lavender Blu Holiday Club (27-30 May)

Please <u>click here</u> for the Lavender Blu Holiday Club flyer.

Y6 Secondary transfer and free school meals

For parents of children currently receiving means tested free school meals in Year 6 and transferring to secondary school in September 2025, please <u>click here</u> for important information from Enfield Council.

Key Dates: What's coming up?

Click here to be directed to the parent calendar on our website.

Home Learning Videos

Nursery & Reception: These are available on Tapestry.

Y1-6: Click here for the latest home learning video from the teaching team.

Don't forget to follow us on Instagram @1DegreeAcademy to see photos of our week!

Many thanks, ODA

Helpful numbers and websites

Childline: 0800 1111

NSPCC helpline: 0808 800 5000

Multi Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH): 0300 500 80 90

Barnardos: 0800 008 7005

LGBT+ switchboard: 0300 330 0630

Kooth: www.kooth.com - support service for student wellbeing



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