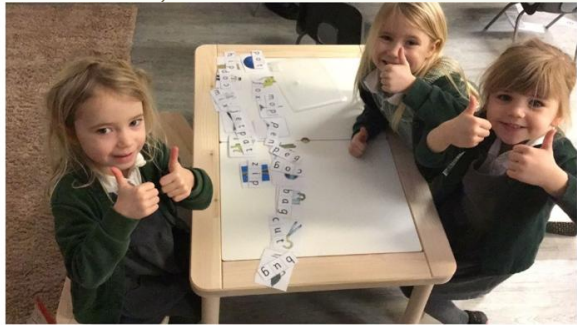


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New Intake Meeting 2026

Exploring solar energy with our solar fountain



Making Bara Brith today



Reception Staff Team



Mrs Baggott



Mrs Fuse



Miss Morgan

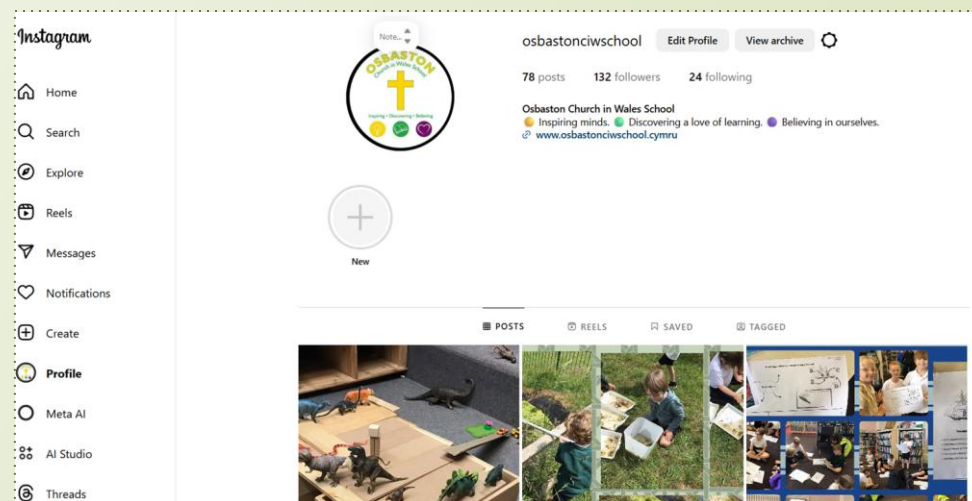
*Keeping up to date with school news and information

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14106 is our unique school number



@osbastonciwschool
This is a closed account that is only accessible to our school community



Seesaw



I will set up a class account which is secure and can only be viewed by the parents and teachers of your child's class.

During the week staff will upload photos and videos of the types of learning and experiences your child is taking part in during their days in school. This is a wonderful way of being a 'fly on the wall' and an insight into what they have been learning.

When letters are sent home, please download the Seesaw app and scan the QR code given on the form, this will link your app to the class account. You have a parent login and a child login



School Lunches



All pupils in school are entitled to receive a free school lunch every day. Children can bring a packed lunch if they choose.

Meals are cooked on site and are served from our kitchen and servery in Lower School

There are a choice of hot options each day.

If your child has any dietary needs (medically diagnosed than preference), please let us know and we will put you in touch with the LA Catering Team.



Talk to your child about their lunch choice. We do try to encourage pupils to vary the meals they eat each day.

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PRIMARY SCHOOL MENU

AVAILABLE DAILY

BREAD AND FRESH FRUIT

JACKET POTATOES VARIOUS TOPPINGS

SALAD BAR

ANY ALLERGIES OR SPECIAL DIETARY REQUIREMENTS, PLEASE INFORM THE CATERING SERVICE

WEEK 1

MONDAY

Cod, Salmon or Plant ☒ Finger Wrap
Mashed Potato or Paprika Baked Wedges
Tomato Ketchup
Cucumber Sticks
Fruity Puff Slice

TUESDAY

Margherita Pizza ☒
with Chips or Chef's Special Tomato Pasta ☒
with Garlic Bread
Vegetable Pick & Mix
Banana Split
Chocolate Crunch

WEDNESDAY

Roast Chicken or Green Pea Fritter ☒
Yorkshire Pudding
Roast & Boiled Potatoes, Gravy
Vegetable Pick & Mix
Cheese, Crackers, Apple

THURSDAY

Beef Bolognese with Pasta & Crusty Bread or Mexican-Style Quesadilla ☒ with Herby New Potatoes
Vegetable Pick & Mix
Very Berry Fool

FRIDAY

Sweet Soy Chicken or Tofu ☒
Steamed Rice or Noodles
Asian-style Vegetables
Hulk Cake
Glass of Milk

WEEK 2

Battered Fish Fillet, Salmon Fingers or Green Pea Fritter ☒
Chips or Red Pasta
Baked Beans / Peas
Cheddar Cubes, Fruit Wedges

Pasta Bolognese ☒ or Mac & Cheese ☒
Garlic Bread
Vegetable Pick & Mix
Carrot Cake

Pork Loin or Plant Balls ☒
Yorkshire Pudding
Roast & Boiled Potatoes, Gravy
Vegetable Pick & Mix
Peach Melba Crunch

Build Your Own Taco Bar
Beef or Plant ☒ based filling, Cheese to sprinkle, Red Tomato Rice or Steamed Rice
Sweetcorn
Chocolate Brownie

Curry Club Korma, with Golden Pilau Rice & Naan Bread, or Cauliflower Cheese Fritter ☒ with Herby Potatoes & Naan Bread
Vegetable Pick & Mix
Raspberry Ripple Yogurt

WEEK 3

Cod, Salmon or Plant ☒ Fingers
Katsu Curry Sauce
Steamed Rice or Noodles
Asian-style Vegetables
Apple & Elderflower Crunch

Chef's Special Tomato Pasta ☒ or Oven Baked Lasagne ☒
Garlic Bread
Vegetable Pick & Mix
Chocolate Cake

Roast Chicken or Crunchy Cauliflower Wings ☒
Yorkshire Pudding
Roast & Boiled Potatoes, Gravy
Vegetable Pick & Mix
Dips & Dunkers

Meat or Plant ☒ Balls with Tomato Sauce
Pasta & Crusty Bread
Vegetable Pick & Mix
Sunshine Cake & Custard

Curry Club Mild Dal ☒ with Golden Pilau Rice & Naan Bread or Cheesy Broccoli Corn Slice ☒ with Paprika Baked Wedges
Roast Cauliflower
Blueberry Swirl Yogurt

APRIL 2026

MAY 2026

JUNE 2026

JULY 2026

SEPTEMBER 2026

OCTOBER 2026

☒ Vegetarian ☒ Vegan

Please scan QR code for further details or visit our website: www.monmouthshire.gov.uk/school-meals

This menu has been analysed by Welsh Local Government Association and is certified compliant with the Healthy Eating in Schools Regulations 2013.

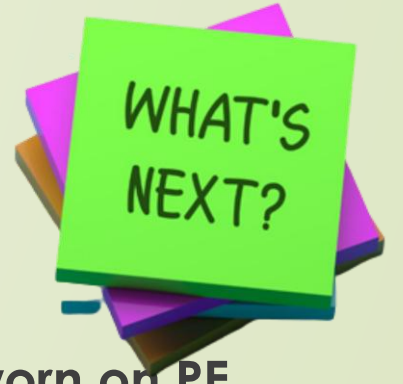
Next steps - we will...

- ❑ Contact nurseries and arrange a date to visit children and talk to staff, or for children to come to us if a visit is not possible
- ❑ Hold two 'Stay and Play' visit sessions - for parents and children to visit the class on Tuesday 16th & 23rd June 3.30-4.00pm
- ❑ Welcome pre-school children visiting school on Wednesday 1st July for the morning (9.15am-11.15am). This will enable your child to get to know the other children in their class, the staff and their new setting. They will need to bring a **named healthy snack and bottle of water**. Meet and collect from the Lower School hall
- ❑ Children start school on Wednesday 2nd September and attend for 3 mornings or afternoons, which you will be informed of ASAP
- ❑ All children will attend school full time from Monday 7th September
- ❑ Inform you of any other important information through Schoop, so please download the app and select Reception 2026

You will need to...

- ❓ Ensure that all forms are completed and handed in to Mrs Kift by email ASAP.
- ❓ Bring your child's birth certificate (original) to school for Mrs Kift to check
- ❓ Log in to Schoop to receive messages from school.
- ❓ Sort items needed for starting school:

- uniform – see prospectus
- short wellies to be kept in school
- PE kit – white t-shirt, black or navy shorts, optional PE hoodie (which is worn on PE days)
- a school bag which is large enough to hold an A4 sheet of paper
- a named water bottle for water, which is brought to school daily
- complete the 'All About Me' book together to bring in to school in September
- name *everything* and *keep renaming* as the year goes on
- have a spare pair of pants in their school bag in case of accidents



Children will need to...

Prepare for their new experiences by...

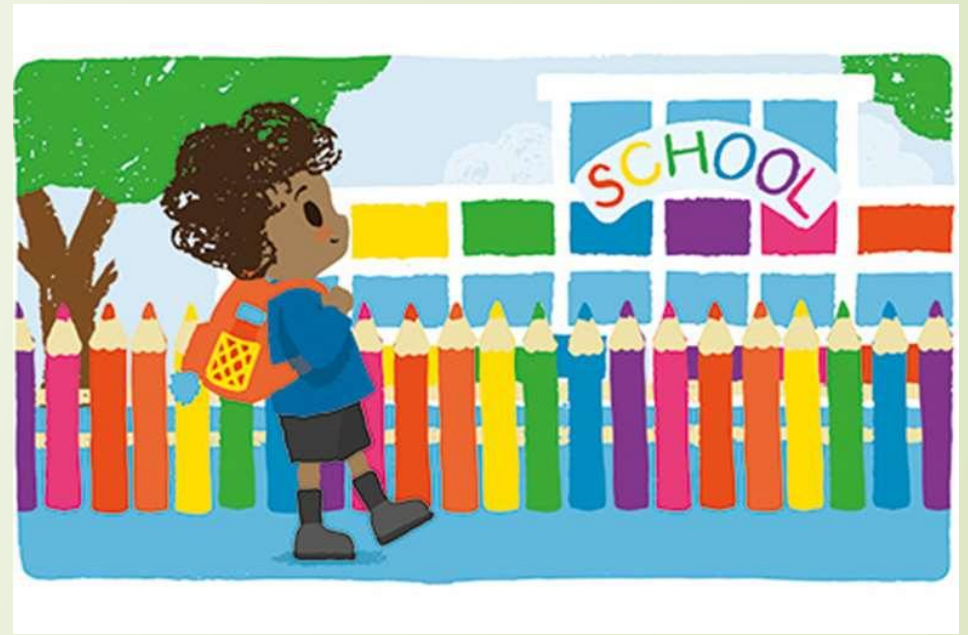
- Talk about starting school with you, any worries or reservations.
- Develop independence in trying to put on shoes, coats, jumpers etc and attempting buttons, zips and putting clothes the right way around.
- Develop self care skills such as toileting and hand washing.
- Attempt to write their name in lowercase letters with a capital to start
- Help to create an 'All About Me' book to bring to school in September
- In September organise their belongings when they arrive in school themselves so that they know if they are having school meals or have brought home sandwiches



Starting in September

Points to help children settle quickly:

- ? Drop off and collect on time.
- ? Have everything they need for the day.
- ? Let children walk up the path and sort their own belongings.
- ? Be consistent – Explain what will happen, where you will be and when you will be back. Start as you mean to go on.
- ? Expect mess! Children have access to soil, pens, chalk, paint, playdough, water, sand and food! Aprons are kept in school but white tops will always come off worse for wear!
- ? Give us a wave at home time. Whilst we get to know you all we would appreciate a little wave through the crowd of adults to spot you.
- ? Let us know if someone else is picking up your child for you. If you have a message please let the office know so that we can focus on getting the children in and settled.



Volunteering in School



*Mrs Jones will be running the next Group A+ training next Friday, 12th June at 2.30pm

3 requirements:

- *Apply for an enhanced DBS (Disclosure and Barring Service)**
- *Complete online Group A Safeguarding training**
- *Provide 2 character references**
- *Complete face to face Group A+ safeguarding training with Mrs Jones within first term of beginning volunteering**

For further information please contact Mrs Kift

Thank you for listening...

Any further questions?

