



OLD TOWN INFANT SCHOOL & NURSERY

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WEEKLY BULLETIN: Friday 12th September 2025

Monday 15 th September 2025	Drama club after school – bookings made via Arbor. <i>Children to be dismissed from the hall.</i>
Tuesday 16 th September 2025	Year 1 P.E day – children to attend school in their P.E kit Football Club after school – bookings made via Arbor. <i>Children to be dismissed from the hall.</i>
Wednesday 17 th September 2025	Reception and Year 2 P.E day – children to attend school in their P.E kit Archery Club after school – bookings made via Premier Education. <i>Children to be dismissed from the hall.</i>
Thursday 18 th September 2025	Nursery and Year 2 P.E day – children to attend school in their P.E kit 'Getting to know you' Teacher meetings after school 1540-1700. <i>Please sign up at your classroom door</i> Hockey Club after school – bookings made via Premier Education. <i>Children to be dismissed from the hall.</i>
Friday 19 th September 2025	Reception and Year 1 P.E day – children to attend school in their P.E kit

Headlines

- Can I say a HUGE thank you to the team at {my}Dentist Poole (on Parkstone Road). They are pleased to offer an NHS registration spot to any child attending Old Town Infant School and Nursery who does not currently have one. For any parents wishing to enquire, they are welcome to email: Poole1-TCO2@mydentist.co.uk or via WhatsApp on 07597 896540.
- We currently have two vacancies live at the moment. We are looking for a Midday Supervisor to join our lunchtime team and a cleaner to join our afterschool site team. Please visit <https://www.oldtowninfantschool.co.uk/vacancies/> for more information.
- If you arrive at school after the gates have been locked, please enter through the main office.
- If your child needs to take a dose of prescribed medicine during the school day, (4 x a day only) please come to the main office where you will need to fill in a form with one of our first aiders. Please do not send medicine into school in book bags. Please be aware that we are unable to administer Calpol to children unless prescribed as part of a medical plan.

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- Please can all items of clothing including: School uniform, hats, coats, PE kit, lunch boxes, drink bottles etc. be clearly named. It makes it much easier to reunite them with the right person if they are lost.
- The school cannot accept liability for bicycles and scooters left on the school grounds. The gates and bike/scooter parks are locked during the day between 9am and 3pm, but at all other times they may be insecure and unattended, so please take bikes and scooter home at the end of each day. Please remember bikes and scooters should not be rode in the playground.
- Please remember to send in a coat each day – the weather is currently unpredictable.
- To keep children safe & healthy, please turn your engines off when parked on the road outside school.

Key dates

- Whole School 'Getting to Know You' sessions: Thursday 18th and Thursday 25th September 2025 **Reception and Nursery sign up sheets will go out on Monday morning now that classes have been finalised 😊**
- Half Term: Monday 27th October to Friday 31st October 2025.
- Parents Evenings: Tuesday 18th and Thursday 20th November 2025
- Reception Nativity: Monday 15th December 2025, 0915am
- Year 1 and 2, 'An Old Town Christmas' at St James' Church: Tuesday 16th December 2025
- Trip to Lighthouse Pantomime: Wednesday 17th December 2025
- Visit from Santa: Thursday 18th December 2025
- End of Term at 1315: Friday 19th December 2025
- Health Week: Week commencing 14th April 2026
- Sports Day: Friday 17th April 2026: Nursery and Reception (am), Year 1 and 2 (pm)
- Old Town Community Picnic: Friday 1st May 2026, 1200-1400

Do I need to keep my child off school?



Chicken Pox Until all spots have crusted over	Conjunctivitis No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Diarrhoea & Vomiting 48 hours from last episode	Glandular Fever No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Hand, foot & mouth No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Impetigo Until lesions are crusted & healed or 48 Hours after commencing antibiotics
Measles or German Measles 4 days from onset of rash	Mumps 5 days from onset of swelling	Scabies Until after first treatment	Scarlet Fever 24 hours after commencing antibiotics	Slapped Cheek No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Whooping Cough 48 Hours after commencing antibiotics
	Flu Until recovered	Head Lice No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Threadworms No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Tonsillitis No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	

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KARATE SESSIONS



MONDAY Carey Hall, Wareham
BH20 4BG

WEDNESDAY Edith Lyle Hall
Poole BH15 1JF

THURSDAY Bournemouth School
for Girls BH8 9UJ

SATURDAY Twin Sails School
Poole BH15 4AX



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