

# OSWESTRY SCHOOL

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Elizabeth Ashby, Victoria Bateman, Lucy Belcher, Hannah Bick, Anna James, Abigail Jones, Danielle Jones, Cyrus Lam, Dikko Lawal, Thomas Llewellyn, Victoria Martoccia, Polly Morgan, Andrew Parker, Katherine Stockdale, Martha Twigg, Desiree Wong, Shenna Wong

***Heads of Houses***

BURNABY (Mr Croft and Mrs Turner)

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DONNE (Mr Jones and Mrs Morris)

Ben Draper and Katherine Stockdale

OSWALD (Mr Watson and Mrs Lentink)

Oliver Clarke and Victoria Martoccia

SPOONER (Mr and Mrs Eve)

Dikko Lawal, Abigail Jones and Martha Twigg

## WEEK 1

<p><b>SUNDAY 7 September</b> Football ISFA 6-a-side tournament (Winchester)</p>
<p><b>MONDAY 8 September</b> <b>STAFF INSET</b> Executive committee meeting (archive room) 4pm</p>
<p><b>TUESDAY 9 September</b> <b>STAFF INSET</b> Boarders return by 7pm</p>
<p><b>WEDNESDAY 10 September</b> School starts 8.45am Sixth form induction for one and a half weeks Football 'A' XI v Wrekin College (h) 2.15pm</p>
<p><b>THURSDAY 11 September</b> Year 12 learning performance workshop (PHC) am</p>
<p><b>FRIDAY 12 September</b> Prefects training day (Welshpool) all day</p>
<p><b>SATURDAY 13 September</b> Hockey 1st XI, U15 v Moreton Hall (h) 1.30pm</p>

## WEEK 2

<p><b>SUNDAY 14 September</b> Chapel preacher Mr Evanson, 6.15pm</p>
<p><b>MONDAY 15 September</b> Year 12 leadership challenge Sixth form barbecue, 6.30pm</p>
<p><b>TUESDAY 16 September</b></p>
<p><b>WEDNESDAY 17 September</b> Hockey 1st XI, U15 v Welshpool, astroturf (a) 3.45pm Football 1st XI, U15, U14, U13 v Welshpool HS (a) 3.45pm Cross-country senior house competition</p>
<p><b>THURSDAY 18 September</b> CCF field day for new recruits Boarding staff meeting (archive room) 4.40pm</p>
<p><b>FRIDAY 19 September</b> Cross-country junior house competition</p>
<p><b>SATURDAY 20 September</b></p>

### WEEK 3

**SUNDAY 21 September**

Chapel preacher and celebrant Ven A Sadler, 6.15pm

**MONDAY 22 September**

**BS, BCS, ICT** field trip to Cadbury World for years 11 and 13  
**Year 13** mock interviews for two weeks

**TUESDAY 23 September**

**Art** Spencer Holland ceramic workshop for year 8

**WEDNESDAY 24 September**

**Hockey** U15/U14 v Tettenhall, astroturf (a) 2.30pm  
**Football** 1st XI, U15, U14, U13 v Llanfyllin HS (a) 3.45pm

**THURSDAY 25 September**

**Art** workshop: chinese dragons for years 5 to 9  
**CCF** 24-hour exercise for years 10 to 13, 3pm

**FRIDAY 26 September**

**Art** workshop: chinese dragons for years 5 to 9  
**CCF** 24-hour exercise

**SATURDAY 27 September**

## WEEK 4

### **SUNDAY 28 September**

### **MONDAY 29 September**

**Headmaster's committee** meeting (archive room) 4.40pm

### **TUESDAY 30 September**

**Photographs** Ward-Hendry individual portraits for the whole school (PHC) all day

**Hockey** U13 v Marches School, astroturf (a) 3.15pm

**Executive committee** meeting (archive room) 6.30pm

### **WEDNESDAY 1 October**

**Year 12** time management and value added

**French** years 11 and 13 exchange group departs

**Football** senior girls house competition

**Football** north Shropshire U16 8-a-side girls tournament, grass (Thomas Adams) 2.30pm

**Football** U16, U13, U11 v Kingsmead School (h) 3pm

**Recital series** John Lill, piano (PHC) 7.30pm

### **THURSDAY 2 October**

**Curriculum review committee** meeting (archive room) 4.40pm

### **FRIDAY 3 October**

**Football** U11 v Gobowen (a) 3.15pm

**Netball** U11 v Gobowen (a) 3.15pm

### **SATURDAY 4 October**

**OPEN MORNING** 9.30am-12 noon

**Harvest thanksgiving** service for years 5 to 8 (chapel) 9.15am

**Football** 1st XI, U15, U14, U13 v North Cestrian GS (h) 10am

## WEEK 5

**SUNDAY 5 October**

**Chapel** preacher and celebrant Ven A Sadler, 6.15pm

**MONDAY 6 October**

**AR&R committee** meeting (archive room) 4.40pm

**TUESDAY 7 October**

**Hockey** U13 v Ellesmere College (a) 3.15pm

**Social evening** for staff and parents of new pupils (PHC) 7pm

**WEDNESDAY 8 October**

**French** years 13 and 11 exchange group returns

**Sixth form** health and welfare part one

**Netball** U14 county tournament (SGHS)

**Football** senior girls and boys house competitions

**THURSDAY 9 October**

**Staff** meeting (biology lab) 4.40pm

**Edcom** meeting (archive room) 6pm

**FRIDAY 10 October**

**Football** junior girls house competition

**Decimus society** meeting with Mr Justin Hugheston-Roberts, topic to be announced (archive room) 7.30-10pm

**SATURDAY 11 October**

**Shropshire festival of verse and prose**

**Football** 1st XI, U15, U14 v Grange GS, Hartford (h) 10.15am

**Football** 2nd XI, U13 v Grange GS, Hartford (a) 10.15am

## WEEK 6

<p><b>SUNDAY 12 October</b> Chapel preacher and celebrant Ven A Sadler, 6.15pm</p>
<p><b>MONDAY 13 October</b></p>
<p><b>TUESDAY 14 October</b> Football U11 v St Oswald's RC (h) 3pm Netball U11 v St Oswald's RC (h) 3pm Heads of departments meeting (archive room) 4.40pm</p>
<p><b>WEDNESDAY 15 October</b> Football 1st XI, 2nd XI v King's Chester (a) 2.15pm Hockey 1st XI v King's Chester (h) 2.30pm Hockey U16 v Marches School (h) 3.15pm</p>
<p><b>THURSDAY 16 October</b></p>
<p><b>FRIDAY 17 October</b> Sixth form lecture by Philip Bradbourn MEP (PHC) Football U11 v Gobowen (h) 3.15pm Netball U11 v Gobowen (h) 3.15pm Sixth form theme night</p>
<p><b>SATURDAY 18 October</b> Hockey U16 v Abbey Gate (h) Netball U16, U13, U12 v Abbey Gate (h)</p>

**WEEK 7**

**SUNDAY 19 October**

**Chapel** preacher and celebrant Ven A Sadler, 6.15pm

**MONDAY 20 October**

**TUESDAY 21 October**

**Netball** U16 county tournament (Ludlow)

**Executive committee** meeting (archive room) 6.30pm

**WEDNESDAY 22 October**

**Year 12** learning styles

**Hockey** senior girls house competition

**Football** senior and U15 house competitions

**Grades** meeting (staff room) 4pm

**THURSDAY 23 October**

**FRIDAY 24 October**

**Drama** house competition (PHC) am

**Hockey** junior house competition

**Football** U13 house competition

**HALF TERM** begins 4.30pm

**SATURDAY 25 October**

**HALF TERM**

**Recital series** Esbjerg Ensemble (Holy Trinity Church) 7.30pm

**WEEK 8**

**SUNDAY 26 October**  
**HALF TERM**

**MONDAY 27 October**  
**HALF TERM**

**TUESDAY 28 October**  
**HALF TERM**

**WEDNESDAY 29 October**  
**HALF TERM**

**THURSDAY 30 October**  
**HALF TERM**

**FRIDAY 31 October**  
**HALF TERM**

**SATURDAY 1 November**  
**HALF TERM**

**WEEK 9**

<p><b>SUNDAY 2 November</b> <b>HALF TERM</b> boarders return by 7pm</p>
<p><b>MONDAY 3 November</b> <b>School begins</b> 8.45am</p>
<p><b>TUESDAY 4 November</b> <b>Hockey</b> U13 v King's Chester (a) 2.30pm <b>Executive committee</b> meeting (archive room) 6.30pm</p>
<p><b>WEDNESDAY 5 November</b> <b>Sixth form</b> health and welfare part two <b>Netball</b> U19 county tournament (Wrekin College) <b>Netball</b> U15, U13 north Shropshire tournament (Grove) 1.30pm <b>Football</b> 1st XI, 2nd XI, U15 v Royal Wolverhampton (h) 2.45pm</p>
<p><b>THURSDAY 6 November</b> <b>Mathematics</b> senior challenge <b>Parents evening</b> for years 5 and 6 (PHC) 7pm</p>
<p><b>FRIDAY 7 November</b> <b>Football</b> U13 v Royal Wolverhampton (a) 2.45pm</p>
<p><b>SATURDAY 8 November</b> <b>Hockey</b> 1st XI, U15 v Ellesmere College (a) 9.30am</p>

**WEEK 10**

**SUNDAY 9 November**

**Chapel** preacher and celebrant Ven A Sadler, 6.15pm

**MONDAY 10 November**

**TUESDAY 11 November**

**Headmaster's armistice assembly** (PHC) 10.45am

**Hockey** U13 girls north Shropshire 7-a-side tournament (SJT) 1.30pm

**Scholarship** meeting (archive room) 4.40pm

**Information evening** for prospective sixth form (PHC) 7pm

**WEDNESDAY 12 November**

**Hockey** 1st XI v Ellesmere College 2nd XI (h) 2.15pm

**Hockey** U15/U14 v Ellesmere College U14 (h) 2.15pm

**Football** 1st XI, U15, U14 v Shrewsbury School (h) 2.15pm

**THURSDAY 13 November**

**FRIDAY 14 November**

**Football** junior girls house competition

**SATURDAY 15 November**

**Governors** meeting (archive room) 9.30am

**Football** 1st XI, U15, U14, U13 v Abbey Gate College (h) 10am

**Hockey** U16, U14 v Bedstone College (h) 2pm

## WEEK 11

**SUNDAY 16 November**

Chapel 6.15pm

**MONDAY 17 November****TUESDAY 18 November**

**Football** U11 v St Oswald's RC (h) 3pm

**Netball** U11 v St Oswald's RC (h) 3pm

**WEDNESDAY 19 November**

**Football** U15 6-a-side house competition

**Football** 1st XI, 2nd XI v Malvern College (h) 2.45pm

**Hockey** 1st XI, U15 v Wrekin College (a) 3.15pm

**THURSDAY 20 November**

**Biology and chemistry** GCSE modules for years 10 and 11, am

**Boarding staff** meeting (archive room) 4.40pm

**FRIDAY 21 November****SATURDAY 22 November**

**Bellan House** ball

**WEEK 12**

**SUNDAY 23 November**

**MONDAY 24 November**

**Internal examinations** for years 5 to 10 begin  
**Choir** rehearsal (St Oswald's Church) 4.30pm

**TUESDAY 25 November**

**WEDNESDAY 26 November**

**The Flying Theatre** Roméo et Juliette revisité, 11am-12.10pm  
**Football** 1st XI, 2nd XI v Shrewsbury Sixth-Form College (h) 2pm  
**Hockey** 1st XI v Shrewsbury School (h) 2.15pm  
**Swimming** north Shropshire gala (Moreton Hall) 2-4pm

**THURSDAY 27 November**

**Football** U12 girls 5-a-side north Shropshire tournament (SJT) 3.30pm

**FRIDAY 28 November**

**Readers** rehearsal (St Oswald's Church) 1pm  
**Choir** rehearsal (St Oswald's Church) 4.30pm

**SATURDAY 29 November**

**FOUNDER'S DAY**

**Netball** 1st VII v Old Oswestrians, 2pm  
**Hockey** 1st XI v Old Oswestrians, 2pm  
**Football** school team v Old Oswestrians, 2pm

**WEEK 13**

**SUNDAY 30 November**

**Chapel** preacher Mr Evanson, 9.30am

**MONDAY 1 December**

**TUESDAY 2 December**

**Hockey** U13, U12 seven-a-side v Wrekin College, astroturf (a) 2pm

**WEDNESDAY 3 December**

**Hockey** mixed house competition

**Staff** meeting (biology lab) 4pm

**THURSDAY 4 December**

**Ski Aosta 2009** presentation evening (PHC) 7-8.30pm

**FRIDAY 5 December**

**SATURDAY 6 December**

**WEEK 14**

**SUNDAY 7 December**

**MONDAY 8 December**

**TUESDAY 9 December**

**Nativity play and carol service** by Lower School (chapel)

**WEDNESDAY 10 December**

**Hockey** 1st XI v Shrewsbury Sixth-Form College (a) 2.15pm

**Nativity play and carol service** by Lower School (chapel)

**THURSDAY 11 December**

**Grades** meeting (staff room) 4.40pm

**FRIDAY 12 December**

**Sixth form** Christmas party (sixth-form centre) 7pm

**SATURDAY 13 December**

**Boarders** outing

**WEEK 15**

<p><b>SUNDAY 14 December</b> Chapel boarders' carol service, 6.15pm</p>
<p><b>MONDAY 15 December</b> <b>Readers</b> rehearsal (St Oswald's Church) 1pm <b>Choir</b> rehearsal (St Oswald's Church) 4.30pm <b>Boarders</b> Christmas dinner, 7pm</p>
<p><b>TUESDAY 16 December</b> <b>Bellan House</b> pantomime and party day <b>Christmas fair</b> (PHC) 10am-12 noon</p>
<p><b>WEDNESDAY 17 December</b> <b>Bellan House</b> Christmas service (St Oswald's Church) <b>Final assembly</b> (PHC) 1.45pm <b>Carol service</b> (St Oswald's Church) 3.15pm <b>END OF TERM</b></p>
<p><b>THURSDAY 18 December</b></p>
<p><b>FRIDAY 19 December</b></p>
<p><b>SATURDAY 20 December</b></p>

## Daily Timetable

8.45 registration  
8.50 assembly  
9.10 period 1  
9.50 period 2  
10.30 break  
10.50 period 3  
11.30 period 4

<b>Years 5 to 8</b>		<b>Years 9 to 13</b>	
12.10	lunch	12.10	period 5
1.00	registration	12.50	lunch
1.05	period 5	1.40	registration
1.40	period 6	1.45	period 6
		2.20	period 7
		3.00	break
		3.10	period 8

### **Years 5 & 6**

3.50 end of school (Mon, Wed, Thu)  
4.30 end of school (Tue, Fri)

### **Years 7 to 13**

period 9 (not Wed)  
end of school

#### ***Boarders return***

#### ***School starts***

#### ***HALF TERM***

#### ***Term ends***

#### **Lent Term 2009**

Tuesday 6 January by 7pm  
Wednesday 7 January 8.45am  
Friday 13 February 4.30pm to Sunday 22 February  
Wednesday 25 March 12.30pm

#### ***Boarders return***

#### ***School starts***

#### ***HALF TERM***

#### ***Term ends***

#### **Trinity Term 2009**

Monday 20 April by 7pm  
Tuesday 21 April 8.45am  
Friday 22 May 4.30pm to Sunday 31 May  
Saturday 4 July (Speech Day)

#### ***Boarders return***

#### ***School starts***

#### ***HALF TERM***

#### ***Founder's Day***

#### ***Term ends***

#### **Michaelmas Term 2009**

Tuesday 8 September by 7pm  
Wednesday 9 September 8.45am  
Friday 23 October 4.30pm to Sunday 1 November  
Saturday 28 November  
Wednesday 16 December after carol service

#### ***Boarders return***

#### ***School starts***

#### ***HALF TERM***

#### ***Term ends***

#### **Lent Term 2010**

Tuesday 5 January by 7pm  
Wednesday 6 January 8.45am  
Friday 12 February 4.30pm to Sunday 21 February  
Wednesday 31 March 12.30pm

#### ***Boarders return***

#### ***School starts***

#### ***HALF TERM***

#### ***Term ends***

#### **Trinity Term 2010**

Monday 26 April by 7pm  
Tuesday 27 April 8.45am  
Friday 28 May 4.30pm to Sunday 6 June  
Saturday 3 July (Speech Day)