

Overview of Oughty Owls

As you know, we are happy to be able to offer our own Before and After School Care provision, called Oughty Owls as part of our extended hours. We aim to provide continuity and security for children through a range of fun activities and opportunities for all children from Reception to Year 6, within the familiar setting of the school building.

The provision is run by high quality, qualified staff who are able to supervise and care for the children in ways that reflects the outstanding practice seen in the rest of school. The children have fun and develop skills according to their individual needs and abilities.

This is a not for profit organisation and all surplus funding is reinvested in Oughty Owls and a donation made to the school for the use of the facilities.

Times and Costs (term time only)

Morning session	7:30am-8:50 am	£ 7.00
Afternoon session	3.15pm-6:00 pm	£13.50
Combined sessions		£18.00

Activities

The children have access to a range of activities each morning and afternoon.

Key Stage 1 bubble activities on offer include the following:-

- EYFS based activities linked to class learning
- Construction games and toys
- Problem-solving games and activities
- Roleplay / home corner
- Small world toys
- Literacy and Maths games and challenges
- Outdoor play both in the mornings and afternoons
- Malleable play
- Sand and water pits
- Arts and crafts
- Cultural events and activities
- Science and exploration activities
- Just Dance and Movie Nights
- Cookery and baking
- Construction
- Jigsaws
- And a comfy and quiet reading area

Key Stage 2 bubble activities on offer include the following:-

- Class-linked topics
- Religious events
- Awareness events

- Key dates
- Sewing and needlework
- Knitting and crocheting
- Arts and crafts
- Outdoor activities including hockey, cricket, basketball, netball, football, skipping and hula hoops
- Disco nights
- Film nights

The range and quality of activities that we offer reflects the high standards we have as a school and the many awards we have received over the years.

Resources

- Board games – Monopoly, Scrabble, Sorry, Rubics Race
- Arts and crafts
- Construction – magnetics, Lego, K'nex, Meccano
- 6 in 1 table – pool, air hockey, table tennis, darts, basketball and archery
- Jewellery making – rings, earrings and headbands
- Card games – Uno, playing cards, Top Trump
- Marble run
- Hot Wheels, cars and carpark set, flexi tracks
- Dominoes and Chess

Food and snacks

We ensure that there is a range of freshly prepared breakfast and snack options provided for the children.

They can choose from a range of breakfast options for example:

- Cereal, toast, fruit and yoghurt
- Fruit juice, milk and water

After school we will offer the children a range of healthy snacks for example:

- Sandwiches, pizza, wraps, vegetable sticks, fruit and toast
- Fruit juice, milk and water

Please make sure that we are aware of any allergies or cultural or religious dietary requirements.

Payment

Payments are required monthly in advance for sessions and we accept Child Care Vouchers. The full amount is payable for each session even if your child arrives late or leaves early for any reason. If your child is unable to attend Oughty Owls for any reason, due to staffing ratios no substitute bookings or refunds can be made. All booking forms must be completed prior to your child/ren starting the club and we will require confirmation that the school records, contact information, medical details etc. are correct.