

ORYX INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES GUIDE SECONDARY

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مدرسة اوريكس العالمية



ENHANCED CURRICULUM

“At Oryx International School, we understand the importance of nurturing individual interests and fostering the holistic development of students. That's why our extracurricular activities are carefully designed to provide students with the opportunity to learn, explore, and develop new interests beyond the classroom. After an intense day of classes, these activities allow students to pursue areas of interest that go beyond the traditional curriculum.

From sports to drama, music, art, science, and much more, we offer a diverse array of options that enrich the growth and learning of your children.

These activities not only complement formal education but also inspire creativity, promote teamwork, and foster personal development.”

BRYAN KELLY
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL





Secondary Recreational After School Activities

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Y7-Y9 **KWIK CRICKET**

Tuesday 2.15–3pm

Location Sports Hall

Staff Mr Daya & Mr Kemp

The kids will be able to play Cricket for KS3, promoting their physical activity and sportsmanship skills.



Y7-Y13 **ECO WARRIOR**

Wednesday 2.00–3pm

Location CCFF 14

Staff Ms Rams +1

leading sustainable initiatives, promoting recycling, and fostering a green-conscious community.





Y7-Y9 **CHESS CLUB**

Sunday 2.15-3pm

Location D-SF-16

Staff Mr Dadey & Mr El-Masri

Recreational chess where students learn and play against each other.



Y7-Y9 **BASKETBALL CLUB**

Wednesday 2.15-3pm

Location Basketball court

Staff TBC

Recreation club for students not involved in the school Basketball teams





Y7-Y9 RUGBY

Tuesday 2.15–3pm
Location SPE Pitch
Staff Mr Phillips +1

Introduction to rugby, learning the rules and skills and applying them to games.



Y7-Y9 FOOTBALL - RECREATION

Sunday 2.00–3pm
Location Football Pitch
Staff TBC

Football matches for students **not** involved in the school football teams



Y6&7 YOGA KIDS

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location Dance studio

Staff Ms Hernandez & Ms Di Estefano

Yoga helps them build strength and flexibility but also teaches them mindfulness and relaxation techniques. Plus, it can be a fun and playful activity.



YEAR 5-6-7 ARABIC SECOND LANGUAGE

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location C-FF-16

Staff Ms Amoun & Fihmeyeh Misskee

Basic Arabic language skills (reading, writing, speaking, listening) will be taught according to the student's level of proficiency in Arabic language skills also, the student will also be connected to Arab culture.





Y7-Y9 TEXTILE CLUB

Sunday 2.15-3pm

Location C-GR-11 Art

Staff Ms Libatique & Ms Taduran

Students will use sewing machine, fabric painting and explore artistic designs in textile technology.



Y7-Y13 DnD CLUB

Tuesday 2.15-3pm

Location C-GR-35

Staff Mr Parkinson & Ms Goles

Dungeons and Dragons tabletop gaming and character/environment creation





Y9-Y13 **GYM/WEIGHTLIFTING**

Sunday 2.15-3pm

Location Upstairs gym

Staff Mr Foo + Mr Skillings

Varied strength and conditioning circuits tailored to meet individual fitness levels



Y9-Y13 **DEBATE CLUB**

Wednesday 2.15-3pm

Location Lecture Theatre

Staff TBC

Discussing & debating various topics and developing critical thinking skills.





Y7-Y13 **SCRABBLE CLUB**

Sunday 2.15-3pm

Location Room 20

Staff Ms Iqbal & Mr Ibrahim

Helps to develop vocabulary and creative thinking skills.



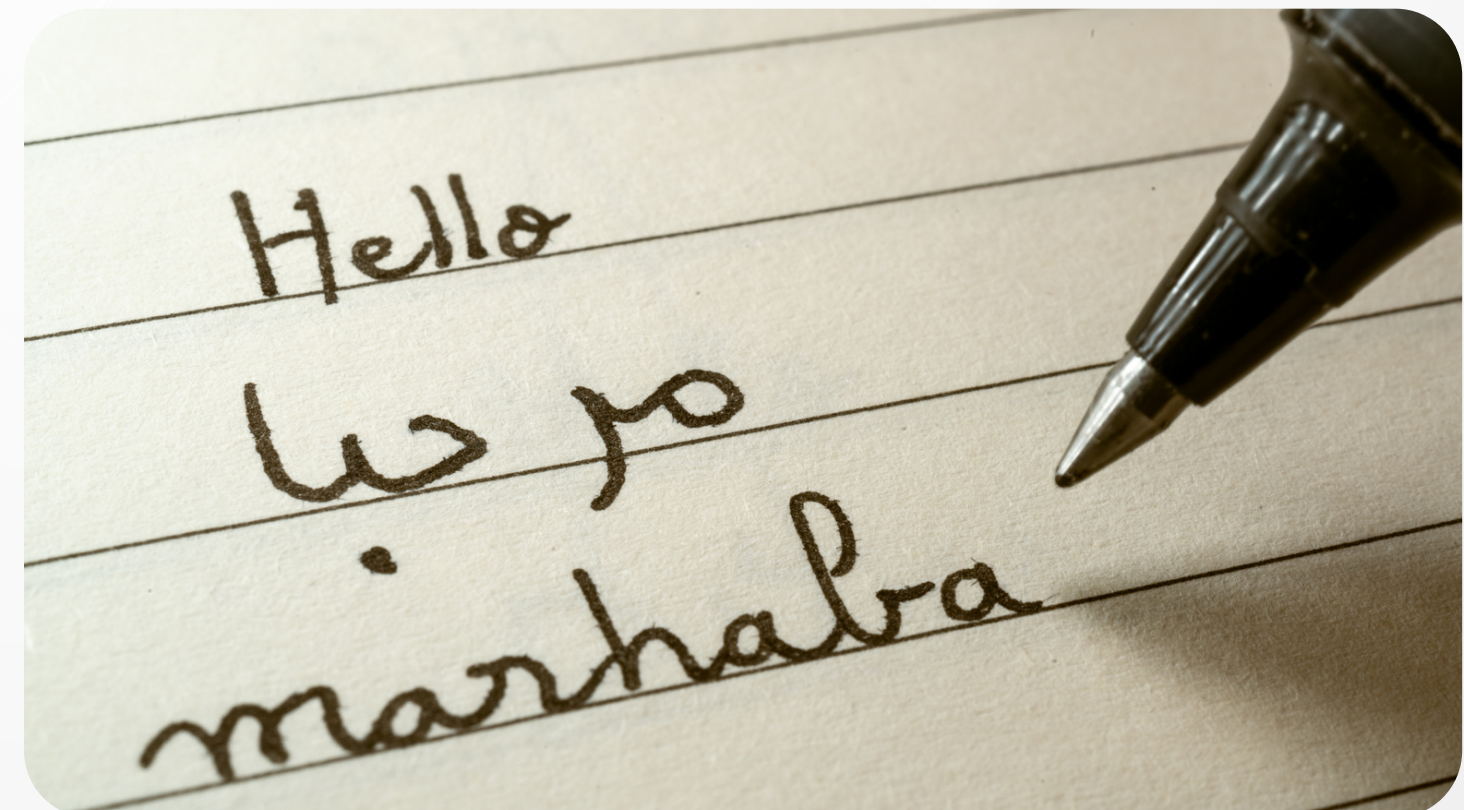
Y8-9-10 **ARABIC SECOND LANGUAGE**

sunday 2.15-3pm

Location C-FF-02

Staff Ms Assad & shahd Ms Tahoon

Basic Arabic language skills (reading, writing, speaking, listening) will be taught according to the student's level of proficiency in Arabic language skills also, the student will also be connected to Arab culture.





Y7-Y13

ISLAMIC REMINDERS AND BUILDING GOOD CHARACTER

Sunday 2.15-3pm

Location D-SF-18

Staff Ms Kubra & Ms Khan

Discussing basic principles of Islam and how to implement them into our daily lives. Sessions are open to Muslims and non-Muslim students.



Y7- Y13

MINDFUL COLOURING

Wednesday 2.15-3pm

Location C-GR-12 Art

Staff Ms M Mohamoud & Ms Nessa

Colouring in whilst being present in the moment





Y7-Y13 SCRAPBOOKING

(maximum of 10)

Sunday 2.15-3pm
Location SR 17 (D-FF-04)
Staff Ms Daya & Mr McAuley

Promoting well being and reducing stress in a creative and fun way.



Y10-Y13 FOOTBALL - RECREATION

sunday 2.15-3pm
Location Football Pitch
Staff TBC

Football matches for students not involved in the school football teams



6TH FORM IELTS

Sunday 2.15-3pm

Location D-SF-A9

Staff Ms Misquith & Mr Amaso

IELTS exam scores are a pre-requisite for all non-native students seeking admissions to Universities. This ASA will teach the students the skills they need to excel in these exams. This is open to the 6th Form.



Y10-Y13 CHESS

Tuesday 2.15-3pm

Location CSF-06

Staff Mr Mahmoud & Mr Hussain

Recreational chess where students learn and play against each other.



HOMework CLUB INFORMATION

We are continuing with our Homework Club for Secondary students to run alongside our ASA program from 14th January to 7th March 2024. This will run every day (Sun-Thu) from 2.15pm – 3pm.

Just a reminder that the Homework Club is designed to support parents who may have a younger child in an ASA and an older child who isn't in an ASA on the same day. This is to prevent parents from having to come at 2.15pm and then again at 3pm. The Homework Club would allow the child to attend and finish at the same time as their younger sibling, being 3pm.

It is important to note that the Homework Club will be supervised by a teacher, but that teacher may not be a subject specialist in the work that is being done by your child. Their role will be to simply supervise and support in any way they can.

The conditions of registering for the Homework club are:

- The students registering must have another sibling who is attending an ASA on the same day.
- To register for the Homework club, parents must email secondary.asa@oryxschool.qa with the following information:
- Name & year group of your child attending Homework Club.
- The day they wish to attend.
- Name of the club other sibling is attending.

You only need to register your child for Homework club once but please note if they miss more than 3 sessions, we will notify parents to check if they still require a place.

We hope that you take advantage of this fantastic opportunity!





Frequently Asked Questions

How do I Sign up?

To register your child for any ASA, please go to <https://oryx.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

What is the cost of the ASAs?

All ASAs provided by the school are free. External providers have their own fees.

Is the school bus transportation available for ASAs?

Not at this time, the pickup of students after the activity will be the responsibility of the parents. **Not later than 3PM**

Is it mandatory for my child to participate in any activity?

Children's participation in ASAs is completely optional.

Do I need to bring anything specific for my child ASAs?

We recommend that parents ensure their children have comfortable shorts, T-shirts, socks, and running shoes for any sports activities. For outdoor activities, a cap and a water bottle are also essential. Our staff will provide guidance on whether any additional equipment is required or if there is a need to purchase any specific kit.

