

ORYX INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES GUIDE SECONDARY

TERM 3 2023/24

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 INDOOR 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 C-FF-14 Spanish room
Staff Ms Rams +1

Passionate students creating activities to protect the environment through education, advocacy, and sustainable actions within the school





KS3 **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.



YEAR 7-Y10 **HENNA CLUB**

Sunday 2.15-3pm

Location Chem Lab

Staff Mrs Nessa and Miss Mohamoud

Learn how to apply henna





KS4 - 5 **CHESS CLUB**

Tuesday 2.15-3pm

Location C-SF 06

Staff Mr. Hussain & Mr. Mahmoud

Students practice and hone their skills by challenging each other



KS3 **PERFORMING ARTS CLUB**

Tuesday 2.00-3pm

Location Drama / studio

Staff Ms Day + 1

Students will read and act out a short play before creating their own. Focuses on enhancing literacy skills and encouraging exploration and expression through drama, music, dance, and improvisation.



YEAR 7 YOGA KIDS

Wednesday 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 7-9 ARABIC SECOND LANGUAGE

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location Arabic-CFF-03

Staff Ms Ragda, Ms Shahd

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.





KS3 **TABLE TENNIS**

(maximum of 20)

Wednesday 2.15-3pm

Location Upstairs canteen

Staff Ibrahim Sharif & Mubarak Manubariya & Husnain Afsar

Enhancing fitness, teamwork, strategy, and coordination contributing to overall personal and social growth.



YEAR 7-13 **DnD CLUB**

Wednesday 2.15-3pm

Location Art room

Staff Mr Parkinson & Mrs Goles

DnD Table top gaming and miniature/environment modelling.





Y10-Y13 GYM/FITNESS/WEIGHTLIFTING

Wednesday 2.15-3pm
Location Upstairs Gym
Staff Mr Foo & Mr Iqbal

Range of strength and conditioning exercises, primarily centered around functional movements and core strength



Y7-9 DEBATE CLUB

Sunday 2.15-3pm
Location Lecture Theatre
Staff Mr O Mahoney & Mr Downing

Students practice and hone their communication skills by challenging each other in a variety of debates





KS4 **SCRABBLE CLUB**

Sunday 2.15-3pm
Location C-FF-04
Staff Mr Bennett & Mr Knoop

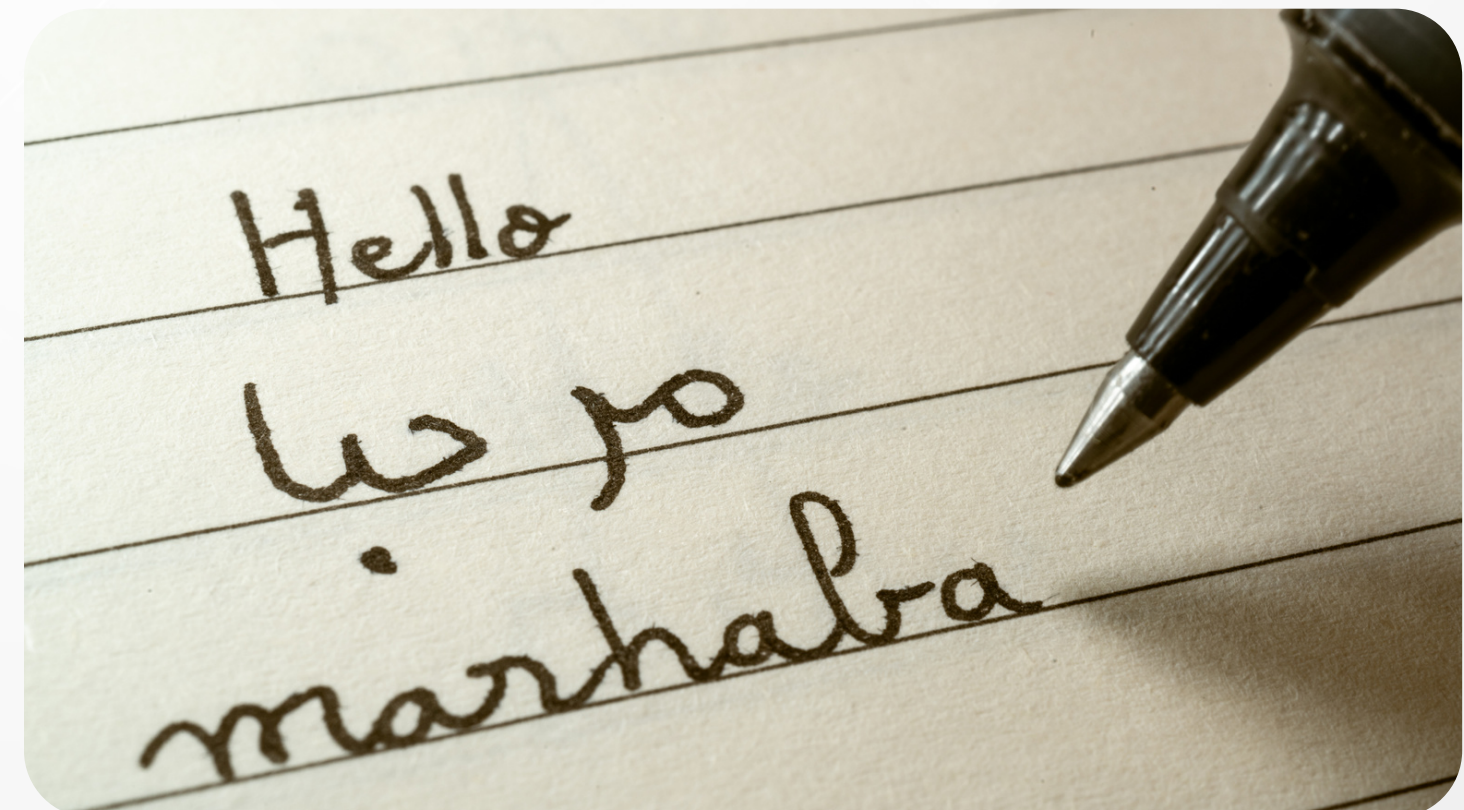
Helping to develop the vocabulary of students and to enrich their use of words.



Y10-12 **ARABIC LANGUAGE CLUB**

Sunday 2.15-3pm
Location Arabic-CFF-15
Staff Ms Rema, Ms Hanan

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.





YEAR 7-13 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.



YEAR 7-13 STRATEGY GAMES CLUB

Wednesday 2.15-3pm

Location D-FF-05

Staff Mr Byrne & Mr Lynch

Students use their creativity and planning to compete against one another in various games.





KS4 SCRAPBOOKING CLUB

(maximum of 10)

Sunday 2.15-3pm
Location English
Staff Mrs Daya & Mr Ranawaka

Students will have the opportunity to collate memories in a creative way and practise mindfulness.



YEAR 7-13 BOOK CLUB

Sunday 2.15-3pm
Location Library
Staff Mr Mc Auley & Mr Musa

Students will enjoy a novel as a group and individually. They will complete activities based on the book.



6TH FORM ECONOMIC SOCIETY

Sunday 2.15-3pm

Location EC-FF-03

Staff Ms Hurinnathan & Ms Mahmoud

The economics society is a platform for students to engage in discussions and activities related to economics, fostering a deeper understanding of economic concepts and their real-world applications.

YEAR 7-13 CROCHET CLUB

Tuesday 2.15-3pm

Location General Science Lab 2

Staff Mrs Misri & Mrs Aleksic & Ms. Rouse

Students will learn how to crochet and aim to complete a project of their choice following a crochet pattern. A chance to meet other crochet enthusiasts. Will need a crochet hook compatible with specific yarn. See Miss Misri for any questions.



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.

