

ORYX INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES GUIDE PRIMARY

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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



Primary Recreational After School Activities

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Y2 FOOTBALL

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location PE Pitch

Staff TBC

Recreational football matches for young footballers provide an engaging and dynamic platform for them to further develop their skills and passion for the sport.



Y3 & Y4 FOOTBALL

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location PE Pitch

Staff TBC

Recreational football matches for young footballers provide an engaging and dynamic platform for them to further develop their skills and passion for the sport.





Y5 & Y6 **DODGEBALL**

Sunday 2.15–3pm
Location Outside court
Staff TBC

Competitive dodgeball matches offer an exhilarating and spirited arena for participants to showcase their athleticism, teamwork, and strategic prowess.



Y5 & Y6 **FOOTBALL**

Sunday 2.15–3pm
Location PE Pitch
Staff Mr Hewitt +1

Recreational football matches for young footballers provide an engaging and dynamic platform for them to further develop their skills and passion for the sport.



Y3 - Y6 DRAWING CLUB

Sunday 2.15-3pm

Location Ms Burke & Ms Unal

Staff Ms Burke & Ms Unal

Students will draw and sketch different pictures each week. This improves creativity, memory and is a form of stress relief.

Y3&4 LIBRARY CLUB

Sunday 2.15-3pm

Location KS2 Library

Staff Ms McClintock +1

Our commitment involves fostering a multifaceted love of reading that extends beyond decoding words on a page. We are dedicated to cultivating a genuine passion for reading, promoting comprehension, and enhancing fluency in our students.



Y3 & 4 MEDIA CLUB

Wednesday 2.15–3pm

Location 4C Classroom

Staff Mr Sweeney & Ms McGurk

Engaging students in the creation of educational content is a dynamic and empowering approach to learning. We encourage students to not only consume knowledge but also actively contribute to the educational landscape.



Y1-Y2 PAINTING CLUB

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location 1D classroom

Staff Mrs Corrie, Ms Moktar

The purpose of art club is to provide students who have an interest in art, an opportunity to explore art and craft forms beyond what is offered in the curriculum. It gives students the opportunity to work individually and in groups.





YEAR 3 & 4 ART THERAPY & MINDFULNESS

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location 3B Classroom

Staff Ms Boualam And Ms Wood



Empowering students with the tools for relaxation and mindfulness is an integral aspect of our holistic approach to education at Oryx International School.

Y1 & Y2 MINDFULNESS CLUB

Wednesday 2.15–3pm

Location Year 1E Classroom

Staff Ms Mc Cready and Mr Mc Clintock



Students will take part in a range of activities aimed at promoting relaxation and mindfulness.



Y5 & 6 JUST DANCE!

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location 5E Peru Classroom

Staff Ms Doria and Catherine

Just dance focuses on how kids will learn hip hop and music video style dance. We will be using our smart interactive board in the classroom to play the video."Thanks



Y1-Y2 LEGO CLUB

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location KS1 Library

Staff Ms Robinson and Ms Valenzuela

Students will learn to being creative, solve problems using their hands in fun ways, and build on social skills. also an enjoyable way for them to grow, make friends, and have a good time while developing fine motor skills.





Y3-Y6 PUBLIC SPEAKING

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location 4F Portugal

Staff Ms Armstrong & Ms Kasunie

Children will be set weekly challenges and present a range of topics and ideas to an audience. This will help develop their confidence and ability to speak in front of others.



Y5 & 6 MINDFULNESS ART

Wednesday 2.15–3pm

Location 6A Classroom

Staff Ms Kelly & Ms McAleese

Students will take part in a range of art activities aimed at promoting relaxation and mindfulness.



Y3 & 4 GEOGRAPHY CLUB

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location 5D Classroom

Staff Mr McCann & Ms McParland



Students will learn about a different continent each week.



Y5 & Y6 BOOK CLUB

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location 5F Classroom

Staff Mr Hughes & Ms Jones



Children will be able to read a range of fictional texts and create their own book reviews as well as some art-based activities including alternative cover designs and character profiles.



YEAR 3 & 4 **DRAWING CLUB**

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location

Staff Mr Mossey and Darragh Casey

Children will learn various drawing techniques, developing a fun way to explore different branches of art and enhancing their skills as artists.

YEAR 2 & 3 **SIGN LANGUAGE CLUB**

Wednesday 2.15–3pm

Location 2B Tanzania

Staff Ms Tancio and Ms Reyes

Children will learn the ASL alphabet plus other phrases that are perfect for sign



Y1- Y2 BOOK CLUB (FREE READERS)

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location 2E Singapore

Staff Mr Mistry and Mr Booth

KS1 book club. Students will be given a story and share related activities, participating in meaningful discussions to develop their comprehension skills and promote a love of reading. (Suitable for free readers)



Y1-Y2 SURPRISE CLUB

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location 1B Vietnam

Staff Ms James and Ms Nazz

Each week the children will take part in an unknown activity. The activities could include cooking, gardening, yoga, music, games, arts and crafts.





Y5 & Y6 BOARD GAMES CLUB

Wednesday 2.15–3pm

Location 6F Costa Rica

Staff Ms Rafferty and Ms Curry

Board games gives children a chance to socialise and interact with other students whereby they build collaborate and reasoning skills in a fun relaxed environment

Y2 & Y3 DRAMA GAMES / OUTSIDE GAMES CLUB

Wednesday 2.15–3pm

Location 2D Kenya & KS1 Courtyard

Staff Ms Stonehouse & Ms Teixeira.

Children will play a range of games that aim to develop their communication, creativity and teamwork skills.



Y5 & Y6 PLAY LEADERS

(maximum of 20)

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location 5A Classroom

Staff Ms Buckley & Mr Starkey

Play leaders will have the opportunity to develop their coaching skills for lunchtimes when they are on "duty". They will look at what makes a great coach, learn mini-games and play mini-games.



Y1 & Y2 JUST DANCE CLUB

(maximum of 20)

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location Y1 Nigeria

Staff Ms Garcia & Ms Jocson

Just dance focuses on how kids will learn hip hop and music video style dance. We will be using our smart interactive board in the classroom to play the video.



Y3-6 TAE KWON-DO

(maximum of 20)

Wednesday 2.15-3pm
Location Dance Studio
Staff Ms Dobinson & Ms Rouse

Taster sessions of Tae Kwon-Do, for beginners (students who have their white belt/yellow tips are welcome to attend). The sessions will be part theory and part practical.



Y5 & Y6 TENNIS

(maximum of 12)

Sunday 2.15-3pm
Location Tennis court
Staff Mr De Waal +1

Recreational tennis using fun drills and games that develop their skills



Y3 & Y4 TENNIS

(maximum of 12)

Tuesday 2.15–3pm

Location Tennis court

Staff Mr De Waal +1

Recreational tennis using fun drills and games that develop their skills



Y5 AND Y6 NETBALL CLUB

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location Outdoor court

Staff Mrs Royle and Ms Fisher

Children will learn the game of netball and develop teamwork skills through fun drills





Y3 & Y4 **ONLINE LEARNING**

(maximum of 20)

Wednesday 2.15–3pm

Location Mac Suite

Staff Ms Shah and Ms Kiddy

Children will use the Mac's to explore educational programmes like scratch, times tables rockstars and spelling shed.



Y2 & 3 **TELE GAMES**

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location Indoor Courtyard

Staff Mrs Brown Bennett and Ms D Souza

Children will play a range of games that aim to develop team building and perseverance.



YEAR 1 , 2 AND 3

ARABIC SECOND LANGUAGE

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location secondary room 12

Staff Ms Hanan and Ms Haneen

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.



Y1&2

SCRAP ART

Sunday 2.15–3pm

Location 1E Malaysia

Staff Ms Hewapathirana & Ms Peters

Children can use their creativity to make their own objects/creations and using their imagination and working in teams



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.

