



RIVER ACADEMY

Student Bulletin

What's on this week?

7th–11th July 2025

School timings:

Please be reminded of our school timings below:

Mon, Tues & Thurs		Wed	
09:10-9:35	Tutor	09:10-09:35	Tutor
09:35-10:35	Lesson 1	09:35-10:35	Lesson 1
10:35-10:55	Break	10:35-10:55	Break
10:55-11:55	Lesson 2	10:55-11:55	Lesson 2
11:55-12:55	Lesson 3	11:55-12:55	Lesson 3
12:55-13:35	Lunch	12:55-13:35	Lunch
13:35-14:35	Lesson 4	13:35-14:35	Lesson 4
14:35-15:35	Lesson 5	14:35-15:35	Lesson 5
		15:35-16:30	Elective



Fri	
09:10-10:05	Lesson 1
10:05- 11	Lesson 2
11-11:20	Break
11:20- 12:15	Lesson 3
12:15-13:00	Lunch
13:00-13:55	Lesson 4
13:55-14:50	Lesson 5
14:50-15:15	Celebration Assembly / Tutor time



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WEEK ONE



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Course	Spaghetti Bolognaise Garlic Bread Broccoli	Katsu Curry Basmati Rice Mixed Vegetables	Chicken Burger in a Bun Potato Wedges Sweetcorn	Sausage & Mash Carrots Gravy	Chip Shop Friday
Vegetarian	Macaroni Cheese Garlic Bread Salad	Vegetable Korma Basmati Rice Mixed Vegetables	Vegi Burger in a bun Potato Wedges Sweetcorn	Quorn Sausage & Mash Carrots Gravy	Cheese & Onion Pastie
Jackets	Jacket Potato Cheese/Tuna/Baked Beans/Salad	Jacket Potato Cheese/Tuna/Baked Beans/Salad	Jacket Potato Cheese/Tuna/Baked Beans/Salad	Jacket Potato Cheese/Tuna/Baked Beans/Salad	Jacket Potato Cheese/Tuna/Baked Beans/Salad
Dessert of the Day	Apple Crumble Custard	Syrup Sponge Custard	Chocolate Brownie Chocolate Sauce	Jam Sponge Custard	Donuts
Dessert Alternative	Yogurt, Fresh Cut Fruit, Fruit Pot, Cookie	Yogurt, Fresh Cut Fruit, Fruit Pot, Cookie	Yogurt, Fresh Cut Fruit, Fruit Pot, Cookie	Yogurt, Fresh Cut Fruit, Fruit Pot, Cookie	Yogurt, Fresh Cut Fruit, Fruit Pot, Cookie

Please ask for more information if you have any allergies.



Saanvi Murab

Recipe: River Academy

Take students from all over the world
Add all of them to a brand-new building
Sprinkle some determination and excellence
Along with community and empathy

Remove hate and bullying
Create a safe environment for all

Express your ideas (loud and proud!)
Blend with some gratitude

Spread the echoes of celebration
All over the hall
Celebrate everyone for trying their best

Sit like a STAR
Enjoy the undisrupted learning for all
And give 100% as if it is everything you've got

Idrees Durrani

Take some determination and add in some students and fill the school up with students and to spice it up throw in some empathy about each other.

Put in some culture and community, with a pinch of respect, and allow them to simmer with some kindness.

Make it crispy by sizzling with celebration.

Put the lid on and allow them to be themselves.

Caution: Do not start without STAR in 1, 2, 3.

Jessica Lester

Remove the thought of a new building and think of what's beneath the brand-new packaging.

Now add some fresh opportunities.

A pinch of poems will be enough to add some zest.

Make sure they flow and are never tough.

Simmer some students from all around the world
And add some experienced teachers and a pinch of enthusiasm.

Blend in great values: respect, excellence, community, determination and empathy.

Sprinkle some gratitude and mix it thoroughly.

Serve outstanding Sparx levels on the side.

Drizzle in some inter-house with the water of the Thames, Kennet, Pang, Loddon, Lambourn and Avon (but make sure to filter first!).

For the cherry on top, add STAR for a delicious flavour (make sure you do it right).

Alisa Dovbenko

Lay students from all over the world into a building
Arrange them into neat rows
Make sure to place pencil cases
And planners with every student.

Mix them into different classrooms
Allow them to cool.
Sprinkle respect and empathy
On them. Teach them determination
And excellence

Leave them in the canteen and allow them to simmer.
Place the blend outside
And allow the students to flourish.
Binding them with kindness.

Note: Celebrate each student for all they have achieved.

Some students have been producing their own poems about the River community in the style of Benjamin Zephaniah's 'The British'. Here are just a few of the fantastic poems that students have produced, which really sum up what it means to be part of such a special school.

Monthly Maths House Competition - July

Here is the July maths problem of the month. The deadline for answers is 16th July. The answer to June maths problem was 6 hours, congratulations to those people who got it correct!

Maths Problem of the Month – July 25

Answer the question below. Submit your answer to your form tutor or Mrs Strong by the end of the **16th July**. You can only submit one answer. All correct answers will be awarded 3 merits.

Stephen and Mary sat fishing. After a while Stephen said: "If you give me two fish, we will have the same number". Mary replied: "If instead I get two from you, then I will have twice as many as you". How many had each then caught?



Maths - Kerboodle

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A quick reminder that all students have access to the maths text book we use in school, online, via www.kerboodle.com. Students have been given their usernames and have set their own passwords. If a password reset is needed, students need to speak to their maths teacher. The institution code for the school is dyu6. We are currently working on Chapter 8. If any student has missed anything in class or would like to go back through the work, having access to the textbook online will be helpful. Please don't get ahead of lessons in school though.



Sparx Learning

This week, all Sparx homework is due in for Thursday 10th July



Recommended Reading Lists

With summer coming up, it is so important that you maintain the habits you've been developing all year when it comes to reading. If you are stuck on what to read next, please use the recommended reading list that has been shared with you and your parents/guardians to help you find a book to enjoy. There's lots of books from all different genres, so there will be something to interest everyone. Happy reading!





The Parents' Corner!

MONDAY

SHIRTSLEEVE

 **ORDER**



This means no blazers or ties are required on Monday, due to the warm weather. We will update you about the rest of the week on Monday afternoon.