

Student Bulletin

Weekly Highlights



RIVER
ACADEMY

Sparx
Reader

Sparx
Maths

Sparx
Science



Sparx Reader: 99.7% 3rd out of 1195 schools
Sparx Maths: 100% 1st out of 2166 schools
Sparx Science: 100%

River lunchtime

w/c Monday 13th July

FIRST UP!

RIVER LUNCHTIME

MONDAY	Zone 3
TUESDAY	Zone 1
WEDNESDAY	Zone 2
THURSDAY	Zone 3
FRIDAY	Zone 1

No matter how many mistakes you make or how slow you progress, you are still way ahead of everyone who isn't trying



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What's on?

This week's Menu

	RIVER ACADEMY		WEEK THREE			
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Main Course	Sweet n Sour Chicken Balls Steamed Rice Stir Fry Vegetables	Cheeseburger with Wedges and sweetcorn	Chicken Fajita Wrap Salad	Beef Lasagne Garlic Bread	Chip Shop Friday	
Vegetarian	Sweet & Sour Quorn Steamed Rice Stir Fry Vegetables	Spicy Bean Burger in a Bun Potato Wedges Sweetcorn	Vegetable & Bean Fajita wrap Salad	Roasted Vegetable & Feta Lasagne Garlic Bread	Vegetable & Cheese Bake	
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 & Cinnamon Crumble Custard	Syrup Sponge Custard	Chocolate Brownie Chocolate Sauce	Chocolate Chip Sponge Custard	Ice Cream Pot	
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	

 WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK					
W/c Monday 13th July					
	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Before School					The Early Bird
During School	Year 8 Enrichment Day	The Brilliant Club Graduation at UCL (selected students)	Sports' Day	Kool Keyboards	
After School		Champions' Hour Axiom Maths Choir Badminton Silver Programme: Author Visit	NO Electives	Champions' Hour	Year 7 PGL Trip leaves! Reading Rockets

Parent Corner

Reporting absences



RIVER ACADEMY



If you need to report an absence, please do so daily by 8:00 a.m. via the Class Charts App. If you are unable to log the absence on Class Charts, please send an email to riverattendance@maidenerleghttrust.org.

For any attendance-related matters, please contact us at riverattendance@maidenerleghttrust.org.

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS

If you need to book a medical appointment for your child, please try to arrange it outside of school hours whenever possible. If this isn't possible, aim to book appointments early in the morning or towards the end of the school day.

This helps ensure students miss as few lessons as possible. If your child is unwell, please refer to the NHS guidance when deciding whether to keep them at home.

If your child has an appointment during the school day, please bring them to school before or after the appointment – even if it is just for one period. Please let us know in advance if they have to leave early or will arrive late.

RIVER HOUSE COLOURS



Red - Lambourn



Yellow - Loddon



Blue - Thames



Orange - Kennet



Green - Pang



Purple - Avon

PIZZA FRIDAY IS BACK!!!



FRIDAY 17TH JULY

SUMMER

Dear Parents/Carers,

CAREERS EVENT!

In keeping with our school values of community, respect, excellence, empathy and determination, River Academy is looking to create a student body that is aspirational and well-informed about the wider world. In order to inspire that curiosity and autonomy, we will be coordinating our first **Careers Event** in the autumn term – and we would love you to be a part of it.

We are looking for **volunteers** to come into school to share as much information and enthusiasm about the working world as they can with our students, in order to help them start to understand the different options that lie before them and the requirements that might be necessary.

If you:

- Work in a job that you or other people find particularly interesting
- Work in an industry that requires specialist knowledge, or features specific pathways to entry
- Have had a varied working life, in different industries or roles, or with different outlooks and motivations
- Or you just love your job and would enjoy telling our young people all about it.. **then please do get in touch!**

We would also like to hear from our wider community, so if you:

- work for a company that has regular outreach programmes to schools, or if
- know someone who is regularly invited in to talk to schools
- work for a company / organisation who could host a work experience placement for a River student in the future...

then please share the link below so that we can make contact with them.

[River Academy community Careers volunteering expression of interest – Fill in form](#)



In your local area – by Mr Mo

Young Business Showcase

Congratulations to all our budding entrepreneurs!





Uniform Donations

Has your child outgrown their uniform?

Donate good quality school uniform to help other students get the uniform they need!

Drop off point: Reception or Student Services

Criteria:

- In good condition
- No rips or tears
- No stains
- Clean

Items to donate: Blazers, jumpers, skirts, trousers, ties, PE kits, trainers, school shoes, football boots etc





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TRUST

Free School Meals

Do you qualify?



If you claim any of the following, you are **eligible** for **free school meals**:

- **Universal Credit**
- **Income Support**
- Income-based **Jobseeker's Allowance**
- Income-related **Employment and Support Allowance**
- Support under Part IV of the **Immigration and Asylum Act 1999**
- The Guarantee Element of **State Pension Credit**
- **Child Tax Credit**, provided you are not entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual income that **does not exceed £16,190**
- Working Tax Credit 'run-on'

Did you know? If your child is eligible under the criteria for Universal Credit and is assessed as being eligible under the Targeted Criteria for universal Credit, your child may get additional support

Children in **Years 1, 2 and Reception** are all **entitled to a free school meal**. However, if you claim any of the above benefits, you should **still apply** as the school may receive **additional support** and could **extend your child's free school meals** beyond Year 2.

If your child is eligible under the **Universal Targeted Criteria** we could claim additional funding for our school with **Pupil Premium** and support for your child!

Please contact your school for further guidance or information



Aim High



Be Inclusive



Work Together



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"HELP" **NEED HELP?**

"Who can I speak to?"



Designated Safeguarding Lead
Miss Moore



Deputy DSL
Mr Hartley



Deputy DSL
Mrs Billingham



Deputy DSL
Mrs Clarke



Deputy DSL
Miss Hinton



Deputy DSL
Mr Rosser

Teacher, Tutor, TA... Anyone