



Message from the Principal

Dear Parents and Carers,

Today, the academy was filled with energy, fun, and plenty of laughter as our whole school community came together to celebrate and fundraise for Comic Relief. It was a joy to see so many students embracing the spirit of the day, with a vibrant array of colours and creativity on display as part of our non-uniform event. Our bake sale was another fantastic success, thanks to the impressive selection of treats generously made and donated by students, families, and staff. Every cake, cookie, and cupcake helped contribute to raising vital funds for this important cause. Two standout moments from the afternoon included the much anticipated Staff vs Sixth Form Dodgeball Tournament, an exciting match that saw the Sixth Form team take the win two games to one and Mr Williams' brilliant lunchtime Zumba session, which had both staff and students moving, laughing, and energised for the rest of the day. We are incredibly proud of the enthusiasm, generosity, and community spirit shown across the academy. If you would still like to support Comic Relief, there is still time to donate via our JustGiving page, which links directly to the charity: <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/rnd26-ormiston-rivers-academy>

As we approach the final week of the Spring term and look ahead to a well earned Easter break, we are excited to spend the coming days celebrating the many achievements of our students. Throughout next week, each year group will take part in Honours Assemblies, where we will be recognising those students who have consistently gone above and beyond in their lessons. On Friday, students who have achieved 100% attendance or 100% positive merit points this half term will enjoy taking part in our Club Zero non uniform day which is a well deserved reward for their commitment and effort. On the final day of term, Ms Goodfellow will once again host our much-loved "End of the Show Show", a highlight of the school calendar. During the event, we will announce the winners of the CARRE Card Prize Draw and our popular "In It to Win It" draw will give students with excellent attendance and high positive merit points the chance to win a prize. We will also be presenting Principal Piralic's Positively Perfect Prize, celebrating exceptional attendance. This term's prize is a brand new laptop for one deserving student! I look forward to an uplifting week of recognition, celebration and pride in our students' hard work.

Please note that the academy will close for students at 1.50pm on Friday 27th March for the Easter holiday.

Thank you, as always, for your ongoing support. It is deeply appreciated and plays a vital role in helping our school community continue to thrive.

Warm regards,

Dijana Piralic
Principal (Interim)

Dates for your Diary

Friday 27th March 2026

Academy closes at 1.50pm for Easter Holiday

Monday 13th April 2026

Students return for Summer Term

Parents Evenings

Year 11 – Thursday 26 March 2026

Year 7 – Thursday 7th May 2026



Teaching Behaviours

Building a Stronger School Community

Today has seen a powerful reminder of the strength of our school community. It was fantastic to feel the buzz around school during Red Nose Day, with students and staff coming together to raise money for a brilliant cause. From in school games and competitions to creative fundraising ideas, the atmosphere was full of fun, teamwork, and compassion. We are incredibly proud of the positive spirit shown by everyone who took part. It truly highlighted what makes our school such a special place.

Looking Ahead: An Exciting Final Week of Term!

As we approach the final week of term, we are thrilled to celebrate the hard work, resilience, and positive attitudes our students have shown throughout the year. The last week is always a special time in our school calendar - we have a fantastic range of rewards events and opportunities lined up to recognise the students who have embodied our school CARE values.

- **Club Zero – Celebrating Consistency and Commitment**

Students who have achieved zero negative behaviour points or zero days absent this term will be invited to join Club Zero - our half termly non uniform day! It is so important to recognise those students who have shown outstanding effort, behaviour, and reliability. Students should be proud of their achievements and celebrate their success with some well earned recognition.

- **Attendance Prize Draw – Win a Cash Voucher!**

Good attendance makes a huge difference to learning, and we're excited to reward students who've shown excellent commitment. All students with high attendance this term will be entered into a special prize draw, with the chance to win a cash voucher. Every day in school counts, and we look forward to celebrating those who have made the most of their learning time. If students are not in school they cannot learn.

- **Positive Behaviour Points – Laptop Giveaway**

Our behaviour points system continues to encourage CARE, effort, and responsibility. This term, every student who has built up a strong record of positive behaviour points will be entered into our Grand Prize Draw - with a brand new laptop up for grabs! This is a fantastic opportunity to acknowledge the many students who go above and beyond each day.

CARE Card Drop Boxes – More Prizes to Win

CARE Cards continue to play an important role in recognising students who show ambition, respect, and excellence across the school. Throughout the term, students have been dropping their cards into our CARE Card drop boxes, and during the final week we'll be pulling winners for a selection of exciting prizes. It's always a highlight and a great way to celebrate those who consistently show our values in action.

We're incredibly proud of all our students and can't wait to finish the term on a high. Thank you, as always, for your ongoing support — it makes all the difference. We look forward to celebrating a brilliant end to the term together!

As always when we all work in partnership together we do see this positive change.



Attendance Matters

100%

Each week we are giving a shout out to the tutor groups with the highest attendance for Years 7 to 11. This is something that needs to be celebrated, as attendance really does matter!

If you see your child's year group mentioned, give them a big high five for their contribution towards this fantastic achievement.

Year 7
7D2

Year 9
9Z1

Year 8
8Z1

Year 10
10M1



Year 11
11A1

Absence Reporting

Students should attend school unless they are very unwell. On every day of absence please contact the school with the reason why your son/daughter is not attending. Please contact us as early as possible and at the latest by 8am on the first day of absence. This can be via the following methods:

- MyEd Messaging App
- Attendance line: 01621 787855



WORD OF THE WEEK

One of the literacy challenges we run weekly is "Word of the Week" where students are invited to use the word in a sentence and submit it in order to receive merit points. The WOTW for next week is **"Confession"**.

Why not have a go? Send the definition and the word in a sentence to wotw@ormistonriversacademy.co.uk.

Say it: kuhn·feh·shn

Spell it: Con-fes-sion

(Prefix) **con** - together, with; altogether
(Stem) **fess** - speak, talk; acknowledge
(Suffix) **sion** - act, process, result

Confession

(noun)

Stem: fess:- speak / talk

Understand it

An admission of having done something of which one is ashamed, accompanied by the wish to be forgiven.



We are incredibly proud of our fantastic students who made it through to the Ormiston's Got Talent Regional Final in Norwich!

Alissa (11D1) and Harry (10M1) delivered a brilliant duet of 'American Express' from the musical Two Strangers (Carry a Cake across New York), impressing the audience with their energy and vocal talent.



Livvie (11A1) and Isobelle (11M1) Performed a beautiful dance to 'You Will be Found' from Dear Evan Hansen, showcasing incredible emotion and artistry.



All of our students performed to an exceptionally high standard and represented the school brilliantly, we couldn't be prouder!

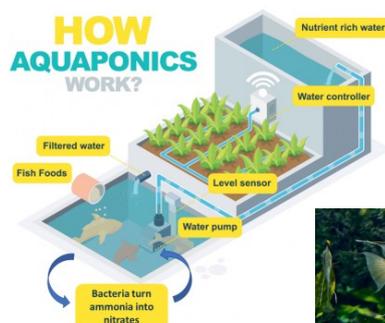
A huge thank you as well to the wonderful students who came along to support them in the audience. Your encouragement meant so much!



Careers Spotlight

Career of the Week

[Aquaponics Technician](#)



Year 10 and 12 Work Experience

Year 12 Monday 29th June - Friday 3rd July 2026

Year 10 Monday 20th - Friday 24th July 2026

Please continue to look for possible placements with your child. Once the placement has been agreed with the employer the students will need to log this information on Unifrog. They all have a user account and guidelines for completing this can be found on the school website [Ormiston Rivers Academy - Work Experience](#)

Careers Adviser - Fliiss Compton

Fliiss is available for Careers Meetings on Wednesdays - if you would like your child to have a careers meeting, please email fcompton@ormistonriversacademy.co.uk.

Many Thanks



Year 7 & 10 Netball

On Wednesday afternoon our year 7 & 10 girls netball teams travelled to Hylands school in Chelmsford. Both teams started their games strong, Year 7 scoring their first goal in the first quarter, with the Year 10's scoring 3 goals. Both teams then took the lead for the 2nd and 3rd quarter. The game saw some great passing and teamwork, with

the girls working really hard to secure their win. The year 7's won their game 5-4, and the year 10's drew their game 8-8.

Year 7 Player of the match was Catalina M

Year 10 Player of the match was Megan K





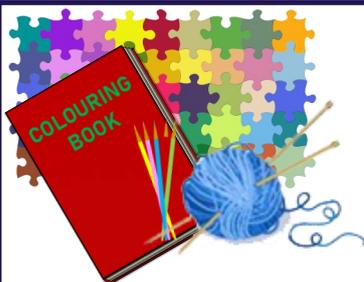
Well Done to Our Mock Trial Participants!

We would like to extend our congratulations to all students who took part in the recent Mock Trial event. Your commitment, confidence, and professionalism throughout the experience were truly impressive.

From presenting arguments to analysing evidence and working as a team, you demonstrated outstanding effort and maturity. Taking part in such an event requires courage and dedication, and you represented the school with pride.

Students were congratulated by the Deputy Lieutenant of Essex and received certificates in their assemblies.

We are incredibly proud of your achievements—well done to everyone involved!



HOBBY CLUB

Don't forget that Hobby Club is open to all students in years 7, 8 and 9 on Fridays in D05. We have some things for you to do, but please feel free to make suggestions or bring in your own hobby to share with the group.

Year 7 - Mr Adair

What a fantastic week it has been at Ormiston Rivers Academy. The energy, enthusiasm and commitment shown by our Year 7 students has been nothing short of inspiring, and it has been wonderful to see such hard work taking place across all areas of the school. Whether in lessons, around the academy, or during enrichment time, our students continue to set a brilliant example of what it means to be part of our school community.

Clubs have been thriving this week, with outstanding effort seen in PE, Science and Dance. It has been a pleasure to watch students challenge themselves, support one another and develop new skills in these sessions. Their dedication outside of the classroom is a real credit to them, and it is clear that many are discovering new passions and talents along the way.

One moment that made me incredibly proud was the performance of our Year 7 netball team, who travelled midweek to play an away fixture against one of the strongest teams in the area. Despite the challenge, they demonstrated remarkable teamwork, resilience and determination, ultimately returning to Ormiston Rivers with a phenomenal win. Their attitude both on and off the court was exemplary, and they represented the academy with maturity and confidence.

This week also saw our Red Nose Day celebrations take centre stage, with students and staff arriving in non uniform and dressed in red to support Comic Relief. The academy was filled with colour, laughter and community spirit as we came together for a brilliant cause. With non-uniform donations, cake sales, dodgeball events and even a lively lunchtime Zumba session led by Mr Williams, we are hopeful that we will reach our fundraising target of £1,500. It was wonderful to see so many students getting involved and showing such generosity.

Finally, I would like to extend a huge congratulations to Zac (7D2), Nora (7D1) and Rosa (7A2), who represented Ormiston Rivers Academy at the Mock Trial competition this week. Competing at the Magistrates' Court in Basildon early on Saturday morning, they took part in a formal court case against other schools and performed brilliantly. Their preparation, confidence and professionalism were outstanding, and they represented our school exceptionally well throughout the competition.



It has been a week filled with achievement, community spirit and moments of real pride. Well done to all of our Year 7 students for their continued hard work and positivity. We look forward to another exciting week ahead at Ormiston Rivers Academy.

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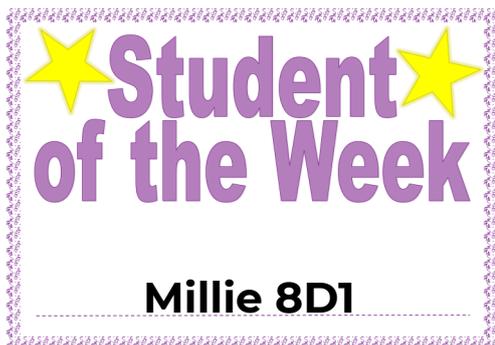
Year 8 - Mr Moon

This week's Year 8 assembly was a brilliant celebration of Red Nose Day, where we explored the history of Comic Relief and its mission to support communities across the UK and around the world. Students loved hearing how the charity has evolved over the years, and there was plenty of excitement as we talked through all the fun events happening in school—from the staff bake off, to the staff vs. student dodgeball showdown, and even a whole school Zumba session! It's shaping up to be a fantastic week of fundraising, teamwork, and laughter.

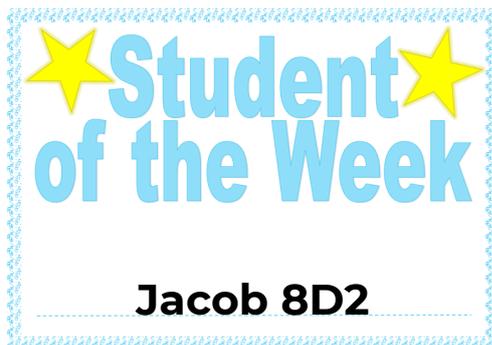


A huge well done to the incredible students who gave up their Saturday to represent the school in the debate competition. We received outstanding feedback about how confidently and professionally our pupils performed—your dedication and maturity make us extremely proud.

Mrs Byford students of the week



Millie 8D1



Jacob 8D2

For having an amazing week and always being respectful.

Congratulations as well to this week's top merit earners:

- 1st place – Bella (8D1) with an impressive 28 merits
- Joint 2nd – Skye (8A2) and Rory (8M2) with 26 merits each
- Joint 3rd – Esme (8A2) and Zane (8A1) with 24 merits

Fantastic effort from all of you—keep pushing, Year 8!

Finally, it was wonderful to see so many families at Parents' Evening yesterday. I heard incredibly positive feedback from both parents and staff about the year group, which is always rewarding and reflects the commitment, kindness, and ambition you show every day. Let's keep the momentum going!

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Year 9 – Mr Chapman

Top Merits of the Week

A huge well done to our top merit earners this week!

1st Place:

- Kassa (9A1)

An outstanding effort and well-deserved top spot!

Tied for 2nd Place:

- Sam (9D2)
- Ava (9A2)
- Brianna (9D2)
- April (9A2)

Fantastic consistency and dedication from all of you!

Top Merits of the Year So Far

Our running leaderboard for the year continues to impress:

- Ava (9A2)
- James (9D2)
- Mia (9D2)

Keep pushing yourselves—you're setting the standard for Year 9.

Comic Relief Celebration

Today we came together to support Comic Relief, and what a brilliant day it's been!

Highlights included:

- Mr Williams leading some energetic (and highly entertaining) Zumba sessions
- A lively form-time quiz
- A deliciously popular bake sale at lunch
- And the always competitive staff vs students dodgeball

It was fantastic to see so many of you taking part, having fun, and contributing to a great cause.

Looking Ahead

This has been a very short half-term, and unbelievably we're already heading into the final week. Let's finish strong, support one another, and make it a great one for all of Year 9.

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Year 10 - Mr Field

Thank you to all the students who wore non school uniform today and contributed to Comic Relief. It was fantastic to see so many students taking part and supporting such an important charity.

Earlier this week, students were reminded of the procedures and expectations for the upcoming Year 10 mock exams. These exams will take place on 20th, 21st and 22nd April, and it is essential that students follow the strict exam rules and arrive fully prepared. With two weeks off approaching, we strongly encourage students to use some of this time to revise and consolidate their learning.

To support effective revision, here are some helpful strategies students can use:
Revise in short bursts of 20 minutes — concentration drops significantly after this.

- Take regular, short breaks to stay focused.
- Prioritise revising the topics you find most challenging, not just the ones you enjoy.
- Experiment with different revision techniques such as mind maps, bullet points, note-taking or flash cards to find what works best.

A huge well done to this week's top positive point earners:

Oliver C, Jessica M, Harry C, Felicity O, Alexia-Jayne W, Tegan B, Ryder I, Owen L, Jamie M and George N.

We are really proud of your continued effort and attitude — keep up the great work!

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Year 11 – Ms Taylor

Today year 11 have received their exam timetables to check their exam entries. Can I stress the urgency of ensuring that these are correct.

We also have had the pleasure of welcoming our new SSA - Mr Frett. He is a welcome addition to the year 11 team.

Massive congratulations to those who have completed their Drama performance exam today.

Shout outs for top merits this week go to:

Isla G (11Z1), Keifer B (11Z1), Harry L (11M2), Lily B (11A2), Maisie B (11Z2), Max C (11D1), Georgie C (11D1), Morgan D (11Z1), Callum G (11A1), Jack M (11M2) and Florence S (11Z1).

Also a huge shout out to Avril H for her resilience this week.

A message from Mr Frett:

Hi, I'm Mr Frett, and I'm excited to be your child's Student Support Advisor for year 11. I am new to this role but bring 19 years of experience supporting, advising and guiding young people. I have enjoyed meeting the students and mentors this week and look forward to supporting them through their GCSE's.

Wishing you all a restful weekend.

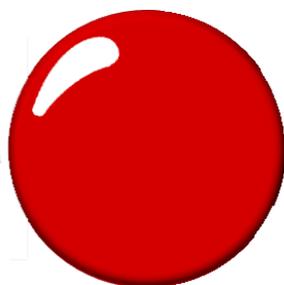
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RIVERS SIXTH FORM

Year 12 & 13 - Mrs Wilkins

As we reach the penultimate week of sixth form before the Easter break, it has been another busy and positive time across the cohort. PPEs have continued with excellent attendance, reflecting the commitment and determination of our students, and it has been lovely to enjoy the recent spell of warmer weather around the school site. We are also looking ahead with excitement to our Honours Assembly on Monday and our upcoming trip to Emirates Stadium on Thursday for the UK UCAS and Apprenticeship Fair.



Today has been a real highlight as we came together to celebrate Comic Relief. A huge thank you to our fantastic students who have contributed so much to the day, from the bake sale and dodgeball to Zumba, student leadership, social media, and the general running of events. It has been wonderful to see the whole school community involved in raising money for such an important cause.



Student Shout Out

Year 12 – Jude F has been a real asset to the football academy, consistently offering a helping hand and supporting wherever needed. His positive attitude and willingness to get involved have not gone unnoticed.

Year 13 – Hannae H deserves recognition for her resilience and determination. Following a recent injury, she has shown great strength in pushing through to complete her PPEs and attend lessons, demonstrating a truly commendable work ethic.





RIVERS SIXTH FORM

Sixth Form in the Community

Comic Relief

Thank you to everyone who helped with the organisation and running of the events today. We are very proud of our Sixth Form community and today is a clear demonstration of how fantastic you all are!

What's Coming Up

- University & Apprenticeship Fair, London - 26/03
- Year 12 Work Experience - W/C 29th June 2026 - Upload to Unifrog
- Charlie Dix leading sessions on Finance and Future Careers
- House competitions
- Summer Ball 3rd July 2026

Bring Your Own Device (BYOD)

Rivers Sixth Form operates a Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) policy. The laptop trolley has been removed from the Sixth Form area, meaning students will need to bring their own devices into Sixth Form sooner than planned. If any students do not currently have access to a laptop or suitable device, please speak to a member of the Sixth Form team so that appropriate support can be arranged. Alternatively there are 10 laptops available in the LRC for Sixth Form students to rent for the day.

Exam Behaviour & JCQ Regulations

As we approach the exam season, it's important to remember the expectations for behaviour during all exams. To ensure a smooth and fair exam experience, students must adhere to the JCQ (Joint Council for Qualifications) regulations, which are in place to maintain integrity and fairness for all candidates.

Key points to remember:

- **Arrive on time:** Make sure you arrive at least 15 minutes before the exam starts. Late arrivals can lead to complications, and in some cases, may not be allowed to sit the exam.
- **Clear water bottle:** Only clear, unlabelled bottles are permitted in the exam room. No labels or logos are allowed on the bottle, and the bottle should be free from any writing or stickers.
- **Prohibited items:** Phones, smartwatches, or any electronic devices must be turned off and left in your bag, which should be placed at the back of the exam room. Only pens, pencils, and necessary equipment should be on your desk.
- **Respect and Focus:** It is essential to maintain a calm, respectful environment for everyone in the exam hall. Please follow the instructions given by the invigilators, remain focused, and take the time to carefully read all instructions. Following these regulations is vital for a smooth exam experience and for your success in the upcoming assessments. Let's all do our part to ensure that everything runs smoothly!



RIVERS SIXTH FORM

Sixth Form Dress Code

As the weather begins to get warmer, we would like to remind all Sixth Form students to continue to adhere to the Sixth Form dress code. Thank you for maintaining the high standards expected within our Sixth Form community. If you are ever unsure about what is appropriate, don't hesitate to check with the Sixth Form team.

Please note: Following a first warning, students who do not meet the dress code expectations will be asked to return home to change before re-joining lessons. Thank you for your cooperation and continued high standards.

Exams/Study

Mrs Penberthy will continue to host an optional revision session in the Sixth Form area titled "Pemboodle's Revision". She provides snacks and light background music to create a warm and inviting environment. This session will run every Wednesday 3:20 - 4:20pm.

The Rivers Sixth Form Team

 mwilkins@ormistonriversacademy.co.uk  sixthform@ormistonriversacademy.co.uk



Absent reporting to Mrs Penberthy: 01621 787882



Follow us on Instagram: @RiversSixthForm



Visit: www.ormistonriversacademy.co.uk



Catering



Menu

We have pleasure of enclosing a link to next weeks [menu](#). Please note that items are subject to change at short notice due to availability of produce from our suppliers. We welcome feedback on our catering offer; so please email our catering manager, Leanne Warner at lwarner@ormistonriversacademy.co.uk with any comments / suggestions.

Nut Allergies

Any form of nut or products that contain nuts should not be brought into school. We do have students with severe nut allergies, which can be life threatening, and we would appreciate your support in keeping them safe.

Parentpay

The daily limit for students to spend is set at £4.50 as a default. This means, should a student select items at break and / or lunch which take them over the limit, they will be asked to put something back. If you would like to change the limit on your child's account please email our catering manager lwarner@ormistonriversacademy.co.uk. Please note: it can take a while before the cashless system updates once you have added funds to your child's catering account. Please be mindful of this and try and get the money on there in plenty of time for break / lunch. When adding funds please ensure you add it to Dinner money and make sure it's not just sitting in your parent account.

Free School Meals

The daily limit for free school meals is £3.30. Funds will need to be added to your child's Parentpay account should you wish them to be allowed to exceed the limit.

Catering Cards

Students must tap their catering card each time they wish to make a purchase, even if they are entitled to free school meals. Please remind them that they need to bring their catering card in every day. Those students without their card will be held back until the end of the queue, allowing those through with cards first. The cards really speed up the catering service, giving students more time to socialise with friends and eat their food. If a card is lost or damaged, a new one can be purchased for £1 on ParentPay. The new card will be delivered to tutors the following morning.

If you have any questions regarding any of the above please contact either Leanne Warner, Catering Manager lwarner@ormistonriversacademy.co.uk or Angela Mahoney, Finance & Business Director amahoney@ormistonriversacademy.co.uk.



Rivers Academy Shop

Academy Shop

All students are required to have sufficient equipment to allow them to learn and achieve their full potential. It is a students' responsibility to arrive at the Academy with the appropriate equipment for lessons:

Equipment:

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| 2 x black pens | Maths set (including a scientific calculator) |
| 1 x purple biro for assessment feedback | Student Planner (student organiser) |
| 2 x pencils | Reading book |
| 1 x 30cm ruler | Books / folders for the days lessons |
| Coloured pencils (not felt tips) | Water bottle |
| Eraser | Basic art equipment |
| Pencil sharpener | |

The Academy Shop, located near the main hall, is open before school 8.30 - 8.50am and at breaktime 11.20 - 11.50am every day. The shop stocks all of the above equipment, as well as a wide selection of revision guides & workbooks, for all year groups. You can also purchase new ties from here. We can only accept cash for shop purchases on site, we are unable to use credit on a students catering card. Alternatively, you can complete an order form and return it to finance@ormistonriversacademy.co.uk.

Year 10 & 11 -You will find an item on ParentPay - KS4 Revision Guides & Equipment- just overwrite the amount with the total to be paid, we will check it against your order and let you know when the items can be collected from the shop (or you can call in and collect from main reception if you would prefer).

Year 7, 8 & 9 (KS3) - Once we have received your completed order, we will add it to your ParentPay account. When payment has been confirmed we will let you know when the items can be collected from the shop (or you can call in and collect from main reception if you would prefer).

You can access the up to date [KS3 order form](#) and the [KS4 order form](#) here; these are also available on our website www.ormistonriversacademy.co.uk. Please contact finance on 01621 787845 if you have any queries.



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MyEd Messaging App

ConnectED absence line: 0845 355 8104

Attendance line: 01621 787855

Change of Personal Details

It is essential that we are kept up to date with changes in your contact details. This may be a change to a mobile number, an e-mail address, a full address or even a change of who is the first priority to contact. By keeping us up to date with changes we can ensure that you are receiving information regarding your child's progress and that we can contact someone in the case of an emergency. Or preferred means of communication is by e-mail, please ensure that we have a current e-mail address for you. Please notify us of any changes by e-mail to: kcannon@ormistonriversacademy.co.uk.

Lost Property

We have several items in lost property, mainly coats, PE kits, blazers and drinking bottles. Any student can check in Student Reception for lost items. Please note that items not collected before the end of each half-term may be donated to charity or disposed of accordingly, therefore, please remind your children to check for anything they have misplaced before this time. Thank you.



Essex County Council

Helping parents to understand the changes to fines for term time holidays

With the introduction of the new National Framework for Penalty Notices, the following changes will come into force for Penalty Notice Fines issued for unauthorised holidays recorded by schools after 19th August 2024.

Who may be fined?

Penalty Notice Fines are issued to each parent who allows their child to be absent from school.

For example: 3 siblings absent for term time leave, would result in each parent who allowed the holiday receiving 3 separate fines.

First Offence

The first time a Penalty Notice is issued for an unauthorised term time holiday the fine amount will be:

£80 per parent, per child if paid within 21 days.

Increasing to £160 if paid between days 22-28.

National Threshold

There will be a single consistent national threshold for when a penalty notice must be considered by all schools in England of 10 sessions (usually equivalent to 5 school days) of unauthorised absence within a rolling 10 school week period.

These sessions do not have to be consecutive and can be made up of a combination of any type of unauthorised absence, including the U code (late after registers have closed).

For example: a 5 day holiday would meet the national threshold.

The 10-school week period can span different terms or school years.

Second Offence

(within 3 years)

The Second time a Penalty Notice is issued for unauthorised absence the amount will be:

£160 per parent (who allowed the holiday), per child, payable within 28 days.

Third Offence and Any Further Offences (within 3 years)

The third time an offence is committed a Penalty Notice will not be issued and local authorities will need to consider other available measures to address the absence concerns. This may mean that cases are presented before a Magistrate's Court.

Prosecution can result in criminal records and fines of up to £2,500.

Cases found guilty in the Magistrates' Court can show on the parent's future DBS certificate due to 'failure to safeguard a child's education'.



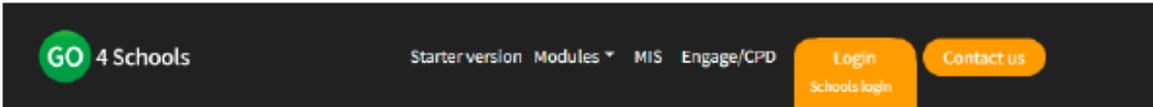
Parent / Carer Login

Go4Schools is an online platform providing parents and carers with live attainment, timetable, targets & attendance. This will also be where pupil reports are released.



Ormiston RIVERS Academy

1 – www.Go4schools.com through any web browser.



Welcome to GO 4 Schools

Your school can make better decisions with information that is accurate, up to date, complete,

- 2 Select Parents Login
- 3 Click First-time user
- 4 Enter email address registered with Ormiston Rivers
- 5 Click New password
- 6 Select Sign in to Parent Site
- 7 Open link sent to personal email address entered and activate account
- 8 Set your Go4Schools password
- 9 Sign in



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	Attendance	Behaviour positive and negative points.
	Behaviour	Homework see what homework has been set.
	Homework	Inbox messages from the school will be displayed here.
	Inbox	Progress grades for assessments taken over the academic year.
	Progress	Reports Annual written communication including strengths and next steps.
	Reports	Timetable full academic timetable.
	Timetable	

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Send password reset link

Forgotten Password

If you have forgotten your password, click 'Forgotten your Password' which is located just below the sign in option.

Enter your school email address and a password reset will be emailed to your school account.



G4S App Login

1 – Download the app.



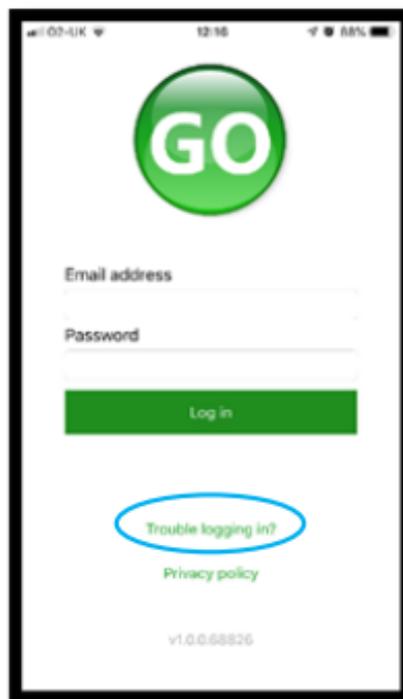
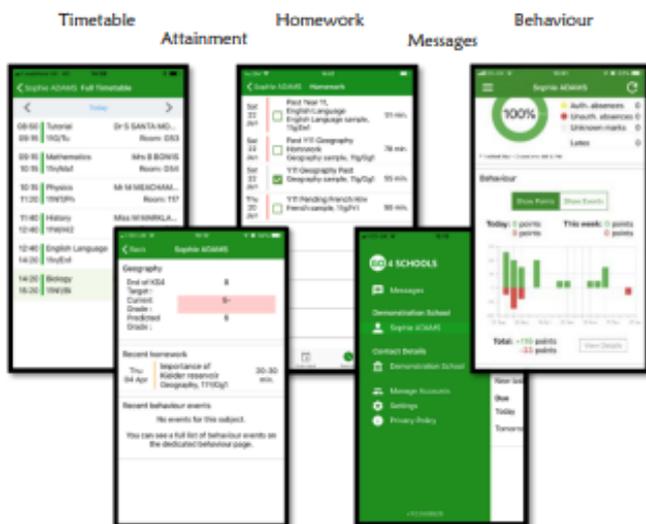
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2 – Type in your school email address.

3 – Type in your password.

This is the password you have already set in go4schools.



FORGOTTEN YOUR PASSWORD?

If you have forgotten your password, click 'Trouble logging in?'

This will open the web browser where you will click forgotten password.

Type in your school email address and click 'Send password reset link.'

Open Outlook from Office 365 (your school email) and you will have received an email from Go4schools that include instructions on how to reset your password.