OJSA Disco FAQs

OJSA hold regular school discos during the school year. They are a great way for the children to let off some steam and are very much part and parcel of school social life. Hopefully you will find this little guide useful.

Can you help?

We are ALWAYS looking for people to help with setting up, entry, refreshments, patrolling the school, tidying up at the end etc.

We cannot run these events without *your* help so please, to help these events go ahead, let us know if you can help by visiting the OJSA Facebook Page.

When are discos held?

They are usually held in October and March. Actual dates will be added to the website calendar and the school newsletter when confirmed.

What time are they held?

We have two discos on every date, one for Lower School and one for Upper School

- Lower School Disco (Y3/Y4) The disco starts straight after school and finishes at 5.15pm.
- Upper School Disco (Y5/Y6) The disco starts at 5.30pm and finishes at 7.00pm

Where are they held?

In the school hall, refreshments and tuck are served from a year 6 classroom.

Who can attend a school disco?

Only children from Oakley CE Junior School are allowed to attend the disco. Upper school children are not permitted to attend the Lower School discos and vice versa.

Entering the disco

A consent form should be returned to the school office with the correct entrance money in a sealed envelope. The form and entrance money must be received by the office no later than 24 hours before the event. Once a slip has been received, your child will be added to the 'Disco Register' – no ticket will be issued.

Lower School Disco - You won't need to pick up your child at 3.25pm if they are planning to go to the disco. Children can bring in their 'disco clothes' and get changed in the classroom before the disco starts. Please put any spending money in a clearly marked envelope /purse or wallet for the teacher to look after.

Upper School Disco - Please queue at the upper school door. Note, for everyone's safety please do not use the staff car park.

Leaving the disco

<u>Lower School</u> - At the end of the disco, the children will exit from their classroom fire escape doors.

<u>The Upper School</u> - The children will exit from the hall doors at the end of the disco.

- Children must be collected at the end of the disco by a person over 16 years old. Children will not be allowed to leave the school unaccompanied.
- Mobile phones or other electronic toys will not be allowed at the disco.

How much is entry?

All discos are priced as follows:

• Entrance is £2.50

A paper entrance request form will be sent home and a copy will also be emailed home. Copies will also be available from the school office. Tickets will **NOT** be issued.

If you drop your child off at the disco without a form, you will be contacted to either collect your child or return and complete a form. Unfortunately, any child without an entrance form will not be allowed access to the disco area and will be supervised in the school library.

Spending Money

A tuck shop will be available for children to buy crisps, sweets and drinks. We recommend between £2.50 and £5.00 for spending money.

If your child has food allergies or intolerances, **we strongly recommend** that they bring their own snacks and drinks.

Other information

- Dress your child in something with pockets or give them a handbag or wallet to keep their cash safe.
- If your child is attending the disco and has a medical need, such as asthma, allergies
 or diabetes, please contact the school office at least 5 working days before the
 event so we can arrange supervision.