



The Olive School Manchester Opening Hours

Olive Manchester Planning Condition 21.

21) Prior to the occupation of the development, details of the proposed opening hours shall be submitted to and agreed in writing by the City Council as local planning authority.

Context

The School has assessed all the neighbouring school operational hours and, in line with the other schools operated by Star Academies in the same vicinity, have concluded the opening hours below.

These opening hours have been used to develop engagement with and have been communicated to parents and carers. They will be included on the school web site and in welcome pack details being prepared in July / August 2024. Should these hours be of any concern to the City Council we would be pleased if any associated rationale could be provided promptly so that any change can be further considered and as need be communicated to the necessary staff, pupil and carers and all other stakeholders ahead of the new term and new school building being opened.

Proposed School Day Opening & End of Day Hours

Structure of the School Day

Monday to Thursday

7:30am	Optional Breakfast Club
7:50am	Gate Opens
8:00am	Registration
3:05pm	Close
3:05pm-4.00pm	After school intervention and recommended enrichment

Friday

7:30am	Optional Breakfast Club
7:50am	Gate Opens
8:00am	Registration
12:10pm	Close
12:10pm-2.00pm	After school intervention and recommended enrichment

While these are the standard hours of the school day it should be noted that teachers and other staff members will arrive at the school before the pupils and leave later than the pupils.

It should also be noted that caterers and site supervisors may be using the building from 6:30am daily. With regard to the KS1 and KS2 play areas, these areas will be accessed before 8am registration by pupils.



Additionally, there will be ad-hoc events which require teachers and pupils to be at the school into the evening such as parent evenings, school plays, sports events etc. Therefore, while the standard hours of opening are included above, Olive School's operation should not be restricted based on these hours.

In terms of community use, access to the accessible WC inside the building will be required outside of school hours, on evenings and at weekends. Community use of the MUGA, Grass Pitch and Cricket Nets will also be required in evenings and weekends outside of school hours.

In summary, the following are the intended hours of use of the site, including school and community use:

- School Building – 06.30 to 21.00 weekdays and weekends
- KS1 & KS2 play areas – 07.30 to 16.00 weekdays
- MUGA, Grass Pitch and Cricket Nets – 08.00 to 21.00 weekdays, 09.00 to 21.00 weekends, daylight hours only

School core times as defined in the Community Use Agreement are 08.00 to 16.30 Mondays to Fridays during term time.