



Dear parents and carers,

The term is flying by with just two weeks left. Please remember that the final day is Thursday 21st October as the staff have an INSET (training) day on the Friday.

Exciting Learning

Lots of exciting learning this half term. Year 6 dissected a sheep's heart last week which they described as fascinating learning how it works. Our Year 5s went off to visit the Science Museum this week. Lots of excited and exhausted faces returning to school, telling tales of crazy experiments and captivating learning. Well done to everyone as behaviour was impeccable!

Harvest next week

As we are city-dwellers, it is easy to miss out on the countryside, seasonal cycle of life. In Autumn, English communities have traditionally celebrated the 'bringing in of the harvest' - a feast of food, giving gifts to the poor and thanking God for His abundant provision for us now and for the year ahead. We will be thinking next week of how blessed we are and remembering those who need our help, particularly people who live in our community. Please remember to bring in your packet or tinned (non-perishable) food on Monday, ready for Assembly, which will then be donated to the Foodbank.

School Meals Reminder

Please remember, after half term, our school meals will increase in price to £2.30 per day or £11.50 for the whole week. If you think you are entitled to free school meals, please use the online checker [HERE](#).

Hope you have a super weekend,
Dawn, Principal

Curiosity Matters!

Year 5 had a splendid, if exhausting, day at the Science Museum on Thursday this week. Children were struck with awe at the vast array of hands-on learning activities and experiments on offer. As well as noticing the architecture in the stations and at the Museum, they got thoroughly involved in some practical Science in the Wonder Lab. The highlights there were the slides where you could experience different levels of friction, the electricity demonstration and the pulley chair. After lunch, they visited the Space Exhibition (Space will be our Term 2 topic) and found out about Space exploration. Everyone loved the day, the journey itself seemed to be much enjoyed with two tubes each way, and just being out and about together was fantastic.



Are you feeling social?

We love sharing our weekly updates with you in our newsletter and here is where you can find all the 'need-to-know' information about our academy. But do you follow us on social media? If not, why not head over to Twitter [@OasisJohanna](#) for daily insights into life at the academy. Have a look at the Year 5 reflections on their visit yesterday. There you'll be able to interact with us and share your thoughts about the activities we post. See you online!



Homework Projects

We love it when children work with people at home on their creative projects linked to learning each term. Year 2 have been recreating bridges as part of their work on 'Towers, Tunnels and Turrets'. The extra electrical light touches and model cars were fantastic! Keep bringing in your impressive homework for us to celebrate.



Autumn Celebrations

Celebrate Harvest with us next week, starting with a special Assembly on Monday, an Autumn-themed own clothes day on Friday and ending by gathering at church on Sunday. It would be lovely to see many of our families at church on the Sunday and for us here at school to meet many of the people who support us behind the scenes.

HARVEST week

W/C MONDAY 11TH OCTOBER

OVER THIS WEEK, THE COMMUNITY WILL BE CELEBRATING HARVEST FESTIVAL. STUDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO BRING IN NON-PERISHABLE FOODS THAT WILL BE DONATED TO THE FOODBANK.



MONDAY
HARVEST ASSEMBLY LOOKING AT THE WORK OF WATERLOO FOODBANK AND WHAT HARVEST MEANS IN OUR COMMUNITY.

FRIDAY
CASUAL CLOTHES DAY - £1
(THIS WILL BE DONATED TO CITY HARVEST)

AN AFTERNOON OF ACTIVITIES FOR ALL CLASSES



SUNDAY 17TH OCTOBER 11-12PM
OASIS CHURCH WATERLOO WOULD LIKE TO INVITE YOU TO OUR HARVEST FESTIVAL CELEBRATION - A FAMILY FRIENDLY SERVICE WITH LOTS OF WAYS FOR EVERYONE TO GET INVOLVED.
1 KENNINGTON ROAD, SE1 7QP



FREE Early Years activities
across Oasis Hub Waterloo
October 2021

Hullabaloo: Stay & Play, Oasis Playspace
Mondays 10am - 2pm, and Fridays 9.30 - 11am

On Mondays 12 'til 2pm... Families are also welcome to bring their picnic and stay with us. Part time nursery kids and their parents are also welcome to drop in to play!

Baby Cafe, Oasis Playspace
Tuesdays, 10 - 11.30am

A calm a relaxed space for those with babies, or expecting, to chat, share & support one another

Hullabaloo Stay & Play in Oasis Johanna
Wednesdays, 9-10.30am

A stay & play session for younger siblings or children who will start in OAJ nursery, to get to know the school and connect with other families

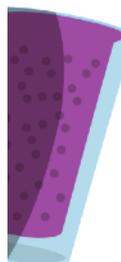
playspace@oasiswaterloo.org
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FRUIT & VEG STALL



The fruit & Veg stall is back!



Every Wednesday, we will be selling a mixture of fruit and vegetables during term time.

When: Wednesdays from 3-3:30pm

Where: Early years pick up area

Cost: 4 items for £1 (cash only)



If you have any questions, contact Öz - oznur.mehmet@oasiswaterloo.org





All meals are halal



FAMILY DINNER POPUP



Peruvian Chicken Stew



Eli & Pie Empanadas



Beef Picadillo



Kampala Dal (V)



Citrus Couscous (side)



Beef Bolognese



Pasta (side)



Roasted Veg (side)



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Dates for Autumn 1

Week 7

Mon 11th Oct	Harvest Assembly: bring in cans and packets to donate to the Foodbank.
Wed 13th Oct	Johanna Family Voice: Class Reps meeting 9am in Turquoise Classroom.
Fri 15th Oct	Own Clothes Day £1 donation (to City Harvest).
Sun 17th Oct	I I am Oasis Church Harvest Service: our local Oasis church would like to extend a warm welcome to all families and staff to come to the Harvest Service.

Week 8

Wed 20th Oct	Y3 Trip to Museum of London
Thurs 21st Oct	LAST DAY OF TERM 1 3.15pm Finish
Fri 22nd Oct	INSET DAY School closed to children

Half term Holiday

Mon 25th to Fri 29th Oct

Dates for Autumn 2

Week 1

Mon 1st Nov	Children return to school
Tues 2nd Nov	9.30am Tour/Talk for New Reception Parents 2022/23

Week 2

Thurs 11th Nov	2pm Tour/Talk for New Reception Parents 2022/23
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Week 3

Wed 17th Nov	5.30pm Tour/Talk for New Reception Parents 2022/23
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Attendance 97.8%

Congratulations to 4Blue and 6Violet for 99% attendance this week. Much improved by everyone this week. Please send your child in, we will ring you if they are ill in the day.

	Class	This week
R	Red	91%
Y1	Orange	96%
Y2	Yellow	98%
Y3	Green	96%
Y4	Blue	99%
Y5	Indigo	98%
Y6	Violet	99%

PARENT GYM - open to all parents across our community

**Mondays, starting 11th October
9.30 - 11.30am - coffee from 9am
Oasis Academy Johanna**

Parent Gym is a well-established six week programme that explores practical tips and strategies to make family life easier and help your children thrive.



Each week we will look and discuss a range of topics –

- Chat - Help your family talk and listen to each other
- Love - Build self-esteem and independence through secure attachments
- Behave - Bring calm and order to your home
- Care - Looking after ourselves and our families
- Discover - Support your children to learn and explore
- Together - Look to the future and recapping key techniques

Spaces are limited. For more info or to sign up contact sonya.waller@oasiswaterloo.org 07727012319

Stars of the Week

N Rainbow	Omer and Riley	For helping to tidy up.
R Red	Nova	For always doing her very best in all areas.
	Fiona	For working hard in writing her name.
1 Orange	Matthew	For working hard in P.E.
2 Yellow	Zion	For working hard in P.E.
	Marshall	For always reading at home.
	Isaac	For improving his attitude towards learning.
3 Green	Tiana	For being highly engaged in learning.
	Rique	For improved focus on his learning.
4 Blue	David	For trying hard with maths.
	Lexi	For great focus.
5 Indigo	Riaz	For perseverance.
	Leah	For consideration of others.
	Cem	For Perseverance and success with column method.
6 Violet	Sally	For always working with a mature and independent.
	Saikou	For kindness to others.

