

Oasis Academy Johanna Newsletter

Friday 21st April 2023

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Dear Johanna family:

Eid Mubarak! A great start to the new term with many exciting things happening before the year ends. Check out the diary dates section for all updates and future events.

Coronation and Eid

We had a great Iftar last week in the holidays, however many people were away and could not come. Therefore, we are putting on our own Eid party on Friday 5th May. This co-incides with our day of celebrations for the King's Coronation. Read page 2 for more information.

Strike Days

The NEU teacher's union has called strikes for Thursday 27th April and Tuesday 2nd May. Unfortunately, we will only be open to Year 6 children on both these days.

FSM Packed Lunches for Strike Days

We have two strike days:

- Thursday 27th April: we will hand out booked packed lunches on Wednesday (the day before).
- Tuesday 2nd May: booked packed lunches can be collected from school after 10am.

Please complete and return the booking form by **Tuesday 25th April I 2noon** to book your FSM packed lunch. We do not want food to go to waste so we will only provide packed lunches to those who return slips.

Clubs for Summer Term

Please sign up for clubs by end of Tuesday 25th April. We offer a wide range of different clubs, Click on this link or scan the QR code to reserve your child's place:



https://forms.office.com/e/0NZyHQ77Bf

Summer Menu

The new menu is available on our website: https://www.oasisacademyjohanna.org/academy-lunches

Dawn, Principal

Twitter: @OasisJohanna



Class Newsletters this term

Make sure you have read your child's class newsletter, out today! This contains lots of information about what your child is studying, how you can help them at home and some key days/information such as P.E.,



NEU Teacher Strikes
Thurs 27th April and Tues 2nd May

School Closed to all pupils except Year 6

Y3 Sewing Seeds

This term, many of our classes are learning about plant life and life cycles. Year 3 have been sowing seeds this week - what will they grow?



Eid preparations

Thanks to the children in Wrapz and the Prefects, our school had lots of decorations ready for Eid. Our Muslim staff and children were delighted when they saw all the crescent moons, stars and lanterns. We hope you have a great day celebrating Eid.







Hub Youth Visitors

We welcomed Jordan, Nehman and Oshumai to school today from our Hub. We noticed that Jordan looked a little tired and this is because he had just become a dad for the first time - congratulations! Nehman and Oshumai led our assembly and used the theme of Lion King to make the point that we are not yet who we want to be, but if we have the right people around us, we can reach our goals.

Getting enough sleep?

In a recent survey, our children said they often felt tired in a morning when they come to school. Help them to get enough sleep each night by having a routine to wind down before bed and **do not have phones/ tablets/TV for 30 to 60 minutes before bed**.

If your child has problems sleeping, find more information at https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/baby/health/sleep-problems-in-young-children/

Q: How much sleep do children need a night? A: Around 12 hours per night for most children:

- 3 to 5 year olds need 12 hours (10-13 hours, including naps).
- 6-12 year olds need 9-12 hours

King's Coronation

Get your party clothes out, find your best hat, fascinator or tiara! We will be coming to school in style on Friday 5th May to help celebrate the coronation of our new King. We are planning some great activities for the



day - a special lunch, our own version of the coronation and lots of crowns! So start planning what you are going to wear...

Road Closures on Saturday 6th May - please note some of the roads near us will be closed:



Job opportunity: Oasis Centre Manager

(full-time, £31,689-£33,124pa)

Are you an experienced community worker, with excellent organisational and interpersonal skills?

We're looking for someone to oversee our advice work (debt, benefits, housing and immigration) and manage our community space - our front door to the local community, open to all. It's a hugely important and hugely rewarding role!

Find out more and apply at oasiswaterloo.org/centremanager



Job opportunity: Church Team Administrator

(24 hours per week, £14,903pa)

Are you a great administrator, with excellent organisational skills?

We're looking for someone who will support our church and community team by assisting with the administration of some of our key work. It's a fantastic chance to join a great team!

Find out more and apply at oasiswaterloo.org/admin







The Bridge at Waterloo charity based at St John's Waterloo church invite you to join or spread the work about our

FREE English Conversation Club.

Our volunteers are here to help people improve their social English. We work in small groups so everyone gets to ask questions, practice their English and gain confidence. #Refugees Welcome.

FREE English Conversation Club

Tuesdays, term time only 18th April to 23rd May 10 to 11:45am

or

5 to 6pm

Venue: The Bridge at Waterloo room in the crypt at St John's Waterloo church, 73 Waterloo Road, LONDON, SE1 8TY.

Contact Abigail to register

07741 736 481 or outreach@stjohnswaterloo.org

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https://stjohnswaterloo.org/community/#The-Bridge-at-Waterloo



Y4 Temple Visit

On Monday, Year 4 had the opportunity to visit the Neasden Hindu Temple in West London – the first traditional Hindu stone temple in Europe! We learnt a lot about its construction using only traditional methods and materials, including sending marble from Italy to be crafted by volunteers all the way in India, to be shipped back to London ready for building! We learnt about the fascinating rituals and beliefs Hindus hold by watching those in the temple worship, and ended our day with a look around the temple's exhibition charting the history of the religion and the important figures within.

UK Emergency Alert

Please be aware that on Sunday 23rd April at 3pm the government will broadcast a test signal to all mobile phones and tablets to check that they can receive a critical alert – this will happen even if a phone is muted/on silent.



Dates for Summer 1 (Term 5) Stars of the Week

	Week 2	
Wed 26th Apr	9am JFV Reps Meeting in school.	
Thurs 27th Apr	NEU Strike Day - school open to Y6 only. Please book your FSM packed lunch.	
Fri 28th Apr	9-10am Parent Coffee Morning in school: all welcome.	
	Week 3	
Mon 1st May	BANK HOLIDAY SCHOOL CLOSED	
Tues 2nd May	NEU Strike Day - school open to Y6 only. Please book your FSM packed lunch.	
Fri 5th May	9-10am Parent Coffee Morning	
	Coronation Celebrations in school	
	3.30-5.30pm Eid Celebration	
	Week 4	
Mon 8th May	King's Coronation BANK HOLIDAY: SCHOOL CLOSED	
Tues 9th to Fri I 2th May	Year 6 SATs week	
Fri 12th May	Parent Coffee Morning:VenueTBC	
	Week 5	
V	/alk to School Week	
Fri 19th May	9-10am Parent Coffee Morning	
	Week 6	
Wed 24th May	Y3 Trip: Royal Festival Hall to see Firebird by Stravinsky.	
Fri 26th	9-10am Parent Coffee Morning	
Мау	Final Day of Term 5: school closes at 3.15pm	
Half Term Holiday Mon 29th May to Fri 2nd June School reopens Mon 5th June		

Future Dates

Fri 14th July	Waterloo Carnival 2pm Carnival Procession 3.30-5.30pm Carnival on the Green (Millenium Park, opposite Old Vic next to Living Space).
	For more information, see their website: https://waterloocarnival.org or if you would like to volunteer, click their 'Get Involved' link to see how you can join in.

N	Ka'marni	For a wonderful first week.	
Rainbow			
Rainbow Tareq		For joining Rainbow Class full-time and attending his first music lesson.	
R Red	Emilia	For amazing reading, writing and number work!	
	Emil	For trying very hard to learn his sounds and beginning to blend words.	
I Orange	Keannu	For working beautifully as a team using logical thinking to complete task.	
	Adnan	For working co-operatively in a team to complete your project.	
	Elias	For being 'Mr No Fuss' during all R.E. and Computing lessons.	
2 Yellow	Seanna-	For an excellent start in English this	
	Rose	term. Your focus has been amazing.	
	Leilah	For writing a lovely sentence using the	
		adverb 'fiercely'. Fantastic work.	
	Rassim	For using adverbs, such as cautiously.	
3 Green	Christopher, Sheniqua, Amera & Jayden	For excellent paired work in English.	
4 Blue	Nada	For being compassionate and helping her classmate in the Maths lesson.	
	Jack	For being brave when travelling on the underground.	
	Jacob	For his superb attitude to his work in Maths. Keep it up!	
5 Indigo	Omer	For practising your self-control habit.	
	Duha	For excellent effort and progress in swimming.	
	Othniel	For excellent concentration and focus in Maths.	
6 Violet	Leah	For perseverance adn determination to suceed.	
	Angel	For excellent effort in reading and improving her comprehension skills.	
P.E.	Lyon & Kymani	For excellent effort.	
	Madison & Taha	For excellent throwing.	
	Reya	For excellent leadership.	
	Jayden	For excellent chest and pounce pass.	

Attendance 93%

The week before the holidays saw lots of coughs and colds once again. Let's hope the rest over Easter has rejuvinated us all.

Y6 are knocked off 1st place by Y5 Violet this week with a great 99%. However, Y6 Violet still remain the leaders in punctuality with 0 lates, fantastic!

	Class	Last week
R	Red	90%
ΥI	Orange	91%
Y2	Yellow	89%
Y3	Green	95%
Y4	Blue	87%
Y5	Indigo	99%
Y6	Violet	97%