

Oasis Woodview Newsletter

Friday 4th March 2022



Executive Principal: Mrs Johnson

Associate Principal: Mr Broadfield

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Dear parents/carers,

It has been lovely to see the children back after a restful half term break. The children have returned full of enthusiasm and eagerness to learn.

This week, our awards assembly was in two parts. For the first part of the session children in years 1 to 4 took part in our online awards assembly as usual. It was great to see children being awarded certificates for a range of reasons including; excellent reading, brilliant mathematics, amazing writing and for demonstrating our 9 habits.

During the second part of the assembly, for years 5 and 6, we welcomed some special visitors from the Birmingham School of Sanctuary. Oasis Academy Woodview has recently been awarded School of Sanctuary status and today the visitors joined our assembly to present the school with a certificate.

Being a school of sanctuary means that our school is a place that fosters a culture of welcome and safety for people seeking sanctuary, including asylum seeking and refugee families; a place that is inclusive for all.

Thank you all for your continued support.

If you have any questions or concerns, please speak to us.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mr Broadfield and Mrs Johnson



Spring Term Dates

Half Term Holiday:

Monday 21st February to Friday 25th February 2022

Non Uniform - Red Nose Day:
Friday 18th March WEAR RED

Term Ends: Friday 8th April 2022

Easter Holiday Starts:

Monday 11th April to Friday 22nd April 2022

Summer Term Starts:

Monday 25th April 2022

Half Term Holiday:

Monday 30th May to Friday 3rd June 2022

Inset Day:

Friday 24th June 2022

Term Ends: Wednesday 20th July 2022

Inset Day: Thursday 21st July

We Did It!

Oasis Academy Woodview is now officially a school of sanctuary!

We were awarded this accolade on Monday 14th of February by The School of Sanctuary committee. Today in school we had a special awards assembly where we were presented with the award, by members of the committee.

The committee said, *the folder of evidence and the conversations we had with your pupils from Year 4 and Year 6 confirmed our view that you are already an established School of Sanctuary and that we have no hesitation in granting you the Award. We were very impressed by the knowledge and attitude of the pupils.*



WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

14/02/2022 - 17/02/2022

REC AA: 87.7%	REC BB: 95.5%
1CC: 95.5%	1DD: 92.6%
2EE: 98.3%	2FF: 93.3%
3C: 96.3%	3Z: 95.3%
4M: 94.4%	4W: 98.6%
5B: 98.7%	5M: 96.4%
6 Henry: 98.3%	6 Lewis: 96.6%



ClassDojo

Make sure you are signed up for ClassDojo



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Coffee Morning – Autism talk We would like to invite parents to attend a coffee morning being held in school from **9.10am on 17th March in the KS1 hall**

The coffee morning will be run by **Mrs Shipway (SENDCO and DSL)** with a **guest speaker Catherine Mohan** who is an Autism Local Authority worker who supports the children in our school.

Catherine will host a presentation about Autism and be available for a question-and-answer session afterwards

The aim of the session is to offer advice and support for children with Autism but will also be a networking meeting for parents of children with Autism or those on the pathway to diagnosis, or parents of children with other additional needs that would like to come and join in the conversation.

With COVID restrictions loosening, we still want to take precautions to keep each other safe so ask if you could wear a face covering whilst in the school building.

There is no need to sign up - it's free to attend with a welcomed smile and some hot drinks.



Reminder to all Years

Please do not bring in any nuts or any food that contains nuts into school, as we have some students with severe nut allergies.

Viking Experience Day

On Monday 14th February, year 5 had a Viking experience day to gain knowledge of the period in history in a fun and interactive way. They saw replica armour, weapons, clothes and artefacts to really bring the Vikings to life.

Activities during the day included:

- Trading game with a Viking quiz and the chance to handle and discuss replica artefacts.
- Ancient Norse Trial
- Making Norse rings decorated with ancient runes.
- Solving and creating riddles and translating ancient Norse runes.
- Looking at Viking arms and armour, how they were used, when and by whom. Including demonstrations.
- Viking holmegang - A look at legal duels, and our own version with physical and mental challenges (class vs class)
- A re-enactment of the Battle of Stamford Bridge (the last battle of the Viking Age)



Food Pantry

at Oasis Academy
Woodview
Woodview Drive
B15 2HU

After School approx. 3.15pm – approx. 4.00pm
Wednesdays during term time only

Open to all in community
Cost £2 per week

Just come along to register then choose what you need.

Bring a bag!

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