

# Newsletter

October 2021



## Note from the Principal...

I don't know about you but the this half term has certainly passed by quickly!

We have had a fantastic start to the academic year, children are happy and have settled in to their new classes with new teachers well. We have seen the launch of the exciting new curriculum which has enabled us to use the iPad in a variety of new ways, developing the knowledge and skills the children are learning across the curriculum.

It has been fantastic to finally be able to begin to open the school up to you as parents and carers, enabling the of building relationships with class teachers at drop off and pick up, supporting at our delayed mini sports day across years 1-6 and stay and play sessions in EYFS.

The FOO have run their first event of the academic year, we spent last Friday evening on the field with hot chocolate watching Peter Rabbit 2. We look forward to offering further exciting events over the next few months.

We have been able to show case our school and all we do at a variety of open events for prospective parents, this has provided us with very positive feedback from the visitors.



We are very pleased to announce the new Nursery build is also progressing well and we have a completion date of April 2022!

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## School Tours

Do you or someone you know have a child starting Reception next year?



We will continue to run open events and bespoke tours throughout the run up to January with applications closing for September 2022 starters.

## Social Media

Stay connected with us on social media:



Oasis Academy Warndon or Scan Me



@oasiswarndon or Scan Me



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## Attendance Leaders and Attendance Update



## Whole School Attendance 93.5%

<b>KS1 Overall Attendance Winner</b>		<b>2C</b>
<b>KS2 Overall Attendance Winner</b>		<b>4C</b>
<b>Year Group Totals</b>		
Position	Year Group	Attendance
1st	<b>4</b>	<b>96.32%</b>
2nd	<b>5</b>	<b>95.62%</b>
3rd	<b>1</b>	<b>93.03%</b>
4th	<b>3</b>	<b>92.92%</b>
5th	<b>2</b>	<b>92.87%</b>
6th	<b>R</b>	<b>91.30%</b>
7th	<b>6</b>	<b>91.19%</b>



Thank you all for your continued hard work with promoting good attendance here at Oasis Warndon. The children enjoyed a fabulous attendance week!

We had Musical Monday, Teacher Treats, In Class Challenges from colouring right up to the weird and wonderful making things with marshmallows and spaghetti! Cookie Day and Fancy Dress Friday.

In the final week of this half term Mrs Finnimore held a 'Win my sweet bowl' for the year group with the overall best attendance. Well done to Year 4.



Taking the half term trophy this time is 2C who have just knocked 4K off the top spot.

We look forward to what attendance treats we have coming up until Christmas. Wonder what they will be?

## Psst...

We can tell you a secret on Monday 1st November we have a spooky treat day. Which one will it be trick or treat?



# Key Dates

Nov	1st Nov	Attendance Halloween/ Spooky Treat Day
	3rd Nov	Year 6 Fair banding for Tudor Grange
	4th Nov	Year 6 IT Workshop
	8th-12th Nov	Attendance Week
	10th Nov	Year 5 Fire Safety Talk
	12th Nov	Non Uniform Donate a Tin
	24th Nov	Year 2 and 4 Horizons Workshop
	25th Nov	Year 5 Horizons Workshop
Dec	2nd Dec	Year 6 Residential Workshop
	3rd Dec	Harry Potter for Tombola Donations
	8th Dec	Christmas Dinner
	10th Dec	Flu Nasal Spray Reception-Year 6
	10th Dec	Christmas Fayre and Reindeer Christmas Jumper Day
	13th and 14th Dec	Reception Nativity

## Friends of Oasis Movie Night

Movie night success! We had FOO movie night on 8<sup>th</sup> October and had over 70 people come to watch Peter Rabbit 2. Hot chocolate, popcorn and sweet bags went down incredibly well with the children and we have had really positive feedback. We may schedule more of these nights throughout the year! Thank you for your support. Where else can you get a night out with the family for a few pounds?



## Year 6 Taster Day at Bishop Perowne

As parents are currently filling in Year 6 high school applications. Bishop Perowne held a taster day this half term to give them an insight into secondary school life and help aid their transition. Year 6 really enjoyed it They got to have a look around the school and take part in Art, Drama, Dance and PE lessons.



## Reception Stay and Play

Parents were invited in to school to participate in a variety of fun activities which develop children's fine and gross motor skills and muscle development. This included moulding playdough, throwing beanbags, making big pictures and using jigsaw puzzles. Our next Stay and Play will be a Christmas workshop where we will be making lots of decorations – we will send out more information nearer the time.

## Sports Day

Sadly due to Covid restrictions summer sports days were done in class. However as restrictions were lifted we were able to hold them in this half term. 'I was fantastic to welcome so many parents to the academy. The children were so enthused by the atmosphere and loved having their parents/carers there to support them. It was brilliant to see and we look forward to your continued support with sporting events across the remainder of the academic year.



## Covid-19 and guidance



Now covid restrictions have been eased in the UK guidance has changed for isolation.

As before if you have Covid-19 symptoms (new persistent cough, high temperature or loss of taste/smell) then you will still have to isolate and take a PCR test.

However if you have been in contact or live with someone who has tested positive you do not have to isolate if you are under 18 years 6 months old or double jabbed. It is advised however that a PCR test should still be carried out even if you have no symptoms.

If you or someone in your household tests positive then you are required to tell those who have been in close contact with you within the last 48 hours.

Here at the academy we will still follow the guidelines of:



**Hand Hygiene**– Pupils and staff will continue to wash their hands thoroughly and often as well as using hand sanitizer throughout the day.

**'Catch it, Bin it, Kill it'**- We will continue to follow good hygiene around sneezing, the use of and disposal of tissues.

**Cleaning**– We will continue to have a thorough cleaning schedule.

**Ventilation**– We will continue to ensure the school and classrooms are well ventilated.



## School Lunches

The school lunch menu will remain the same next half term. Menu can be viewed [here](#). Please book your child's lunches via MCAS, if you have not logged in before please contact the school office for your details.

## School Uniform

Please can all children return in full school uniform on 1<sup>st</sup> November. If you are missing any items or coats or shoes please get in touch with Fay at the hub as she has a wide range available. Uniform updates can be found [here](#).





# Attendance Newsletter

## Autumn 1 2021

Whole School Attendance for this half term is **93.5%** - we aim for 100% and always aim to be in **GREEN!!!**

Reception half term attendance 91.3%

RJ 90.36%

RT 90.84%

Year 1 half term attendance 93.03%

1C 95.18%

1EP 92.36 %

1P 93.17%

Year 2 half term attendance

92.87%

2C 97.31% - TROPHY WINNERS!

2T 93.92%

2W 88.29%

Year 3 half term attendance

92.92%

3D 92.13%

3T 93.71%

Year 4 half term attendance 96.32%

4C 95.62%

4K 97.24%

4W 96.1%

Year 5 Half term attendance 95.62%

5B 96.56%

5M 94.67%

5W 95.63%

Happy Hearts half term attendance 79.5%

HH AM 75%

HH PM 69.9%

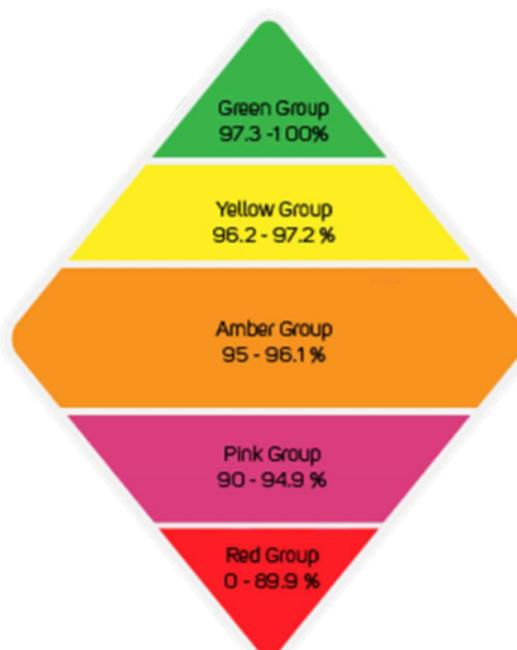
HH FD 93.4%

Early Explorers half term attendance 84.6%

EE AM

EE PM

EE FD



Year 6 half term attendance 91.19%

6C 92.51%

6P 90.41%

6T 90.6%

😊 Good Attendance Tips 😊

Have alarms pre-set for the week ahead so that good routines can get going promptly in the morning! Pack school bags the night before so that everyone is ready to go!

**Oasis Hub Warndon**

# COMMUNITY HUB WHAT'S ON

**MONDAY**

**Platform**

Oasis Community Hub & Platform Housing welcome you back! Join us in the hub house & garden for support, advice & play sessions all our weeks (except full term)

**POP UP OPEN HOUSE**

Light refreshments, music & a raffle to raise money for the hub

Meet Oasis's Hub house manager & staff

Drop us a message via our Facebook page

WE ARE BACK! JOIN US ON MONDAYS STARTING FROM 20TH SEPTEMBER 9.30AM-12.00AM

For more details 01905 453 530 ext 3

**TUESDAY MORNING**

**GARDEN BUDS**

Join us in our Community Garden & play with us in our garden. We have a range of activities for all ages & abilities. All Welcome!

**Back on Tuesday 21st September (then every other week during term time) 9.30am-12noon**

Let us know that you are coming along by giving us a call on 01905 453 530 (ext 3) or DM our Facebook Page @Oasis Warndon Community Hub

**TUESDAY AFTERNOON**

**0-4 YEAR OLDS!**

**STAY & PLAY 1.45PM-3PM TUESDAY'S**

Booking Essential due to small group size

Book via Facebook: Oasis Warndon Community Hub or 01905 453 530

**WEDNESDAY**

**POP UP Community shop**

Opening times Monday 1.30pm-3pm Wednesday 1.30pm-3pm

Toys, books, games, newspapers, childrens clothes, school shoes & uniform

As our volunteers grow so will our opening hours! Drop us a message via our Facebook page if you can help or call 01905 453 530

Oasis Warndon Community Hub Edgeworth Close, WR4 9PE

**THURSDAY**

**CUPPA & SOCIAL**

Join us on Thursday's from 21st September 9.30am-11.30am!

LEARN CROCHET COFFEE & TEA FREE PASTRY

Meet new people

Food, games & free support available. Talk us in & see our hub!

Oasis Warndon Community Hub, Edgeworth Close, WR4 9PE  
Facebook: Oasis Warndon Community Hub, 01905 453 530

**FAMILY SUPPORT & ADVICE**

Call into one of our groups or drop us a call/message. We are here to listen.

**FRIDAY**

We are currently not open on Fridays

**How to find us**

Oasis Warndon Community Hub, Edgeworth Close, WR4 9PE  
T: 01905 453 530  
E: communityhub@oasiswarndon.org  
Facebook: Oasis Warndon Community Hub

**Please note many sessions run term time only**  
Please give us a call or check our social media for any group updates

Looking for some advice? Or maybe something to get you out of the house? Check out what the hub has going on!

If you are out celebrating Halloween this year. Please be mindful of stranger danger!



## Stranger Danger

**What is a stranger?** A stranger is anyone you don't know. Most strangers are nice people, but sometimes they can be nasty.

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| <b>You should never:</b>   | <b>Always:</b>   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Go off with a stranger</li> <li>➤ Take things from a stranger</li> <li>➤ Get into a car with a strange</li> <li>➤ Go off on your own</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Tell your mum or dad where you are</li> <li>➤ Stick with your friends</li> <li>➤ Play somewhere where your parents can see you</li> </ul> |

**If anyone ever makes you feel uncomfortable, worried or scared you should:**

**NO!** Shout: 'Stop' or 'No' as loud as you can. It's okay to say no to an adult or shout if you feel frightened.

**Run:** Get to somewhere safe as quick as you can, this could be home, school, a police station, a friends house or somewhere like a shop where there are lots of people around. Ask your parents to show you some safe places you can go, just in case you are ever in danger.

**Tell:** Tell your mum, dad, carer, teacher, a police officer or a grown up you trust right away.