

19th April 2023

Dear Families,

I hope this letter finds you well, and that you had a wonderful Easter break with your loved ones. As we begin the summer term, I would like to extend a warm welcome back to all our students and their families at Oasis Academy Shirley Park.

As we approach the end of the academic year, it is important to remind our year 11 and 13 students that this is a crucial time for them as they prepare for their upcoming exams. Our focus this term will be to ensure they are well-prepared and supported in their studies to achieve the best results they can.

For our year 10 students, June marks the start of their work experience placements. This is an excellent opportunity for them to gain valuable experience in a professional setting and to explore potential career paths. We hope this experience will help them develop key skills, build confidence, and improve their employability prospects in the future.

Our key stage three students can look forward to activities week in July. This three-day enrichment programme is designed to provide our students with unique and exciting learning experiences outside of the classroom. We believe that enrichment helps students to develop a range of skills, from teamwork and problem-solving to creativity and resilience.

In these uncertain times, it is more important than ever to emphasise the value of education. As we return to school, we will focus on the importance of education and how it can help us navigate through uncertain times. This will be the central theme of our principal's welcome back assembly.

Once again, we face disruptions to learning through the teachers strikes that will be taking place in the next few weeks as well as several bank holidays this term. I will write to families with more details around arrangements during strike days as well as details around how we intend to celebrate the upcoming coronation of King Charles III.



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I will shortly also be writing to families around the exciting plans by Oasis and our school to setup a 365 day support facility for families and young people in the area. This initiative is being done on the back of the tragic deaths of Zaian and Damarie and I am really excited about the difference our school can make not just to the safety and prosperity of the students at our school but also of the young people in Addiscombe and Shirley in general.

Once again, I would like to welcome you all back to Oasis Academy Shirley Park. Together, we can make this a successful and rewarding term for all our students.

Best regards,



Mr Chaudhri
Principal, Secondary phase and Sixth Form



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