

Bulletin

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Message from the Principal



@OasisCoulston

Dear Families,

Thank you for your generosity last week with our Ukraine appeal. To date through your donations and money from ribbon sales we have raised a staggering £1,500, which has increased from £1,200 since Friday. Ms Suleyman even had to go out to the shops after break to purchase more ribbon as we sold out so quickly! We were really touched at how compassionate and caring our students have been.

Last week our Year 11s continued to be extremely focused during their mock exams and the Year 10s were incredibly engaged in their 'Be Internet Citizens' workshops on Friday and I loved their presentations at the end of the day.

This week, our Year 7s will be engaging with mobile safety workshops delivered by the mobile company 3 and our Year 7 netball team will be facing Shirly High school – good luck to them!

In assemblies and mentor time this week we will be marking International Women's Day with a sponsored bike ride taking place on Friday. Students will get the opportunity to sign up to cycle a mile out of the 99.5 minimum target we have set on our static bikes which will be moved into the Agora for the day. This figure represents the number of years it will take for us to achieve true gender equality if we continue at the current rate of change. We are asking students to raise money if they can in sponsorship for cycling their mile, and all moneys raised will go towards supporting women and children refugees in the current humanitarian crisis in Ukraine.

Attendance continues to improve, thank you so much for ensuring your child attends as well as possible.

Best wishes,

Ms Green
Principal



STARS OF THE WEEK

Habit Stars: Honest

Nicolas Deeks for demonstrating our 9 Habits and much more. He speaks very eloquently, loudly and with complete confidence. He demonstrates excellent self-control and patience as he invariably reaches the class first. He is always well equipped and immediately gets on with the starter, well ahead of most other students. He is an excellent ambassador for the school by holding doors open, communicating with staff on a very professional and mature level. He is always doing the right thing and is simply an outstanding student in every respect.

Oracy Stars

Florence Murray for overcoming a lot of difficulties in Spanish and taking a great part in lessons.

Edi Sarbu for eloquently sharing with his class a lot of knowledge of Spanish culture and learning the language at an incredible speed.

Ambassador Stars

Kacey Jacob-Field for her incredible efforts in running the Paired Reading scheme for Years 7 & 8 each week.

Ambassador Stars

Theo Strachan for making a huge effort with his attendance this week & making every effort to come in.

Sports Stars

Jayden Smith and **Ashleigh Sillitto** for outstanding contributions to PE and for giving up their time to help at the Year 9 options evening.

WHAT'S COMING UP...

- **International Women's Day**
Tuesday 8th March
- **National Theatre Connections Home Performance- Year 10 Drama Students**
Tuesday 8th March
- **Sponsored Cycle for International Women's Day**
Friday 11th March
- **National Pi Day**
Monday 14th March
- **St Giles Trust Assemblies, all year groups**
Monday 14th March
- **3 Mobile Internet Safety Workshops, Year 8**
Monday 14th & Tuesday 15th March
- **Bletchley Park Year 9**
Tuesday 15th March
- **Parliament virtual workshops- Year 7**
Thursday 17th March
- **Comic Relief**
Friday 18th March

EVENTS

BEAUTY & THE BEAST

Tickets are now on sale for the Academy production of Beauty and the Beast. There are two performances, one on **Wednesday 30th** and the other **Thursday 31st March**. Both shows begin at **6.30pm sharp**. Tickets cost £4 each and can be purchased on ParentPay. See the below poster.

Comic Relief

Students have the opportunity to get involved raising money and awareness for Comic Relief this year through slime the House Leader for £1, wearing something red for £1, and a lunchtime quiz. Please see the poster below for more information.

SECONDARY SCHOOL OFFER DAY

We were delighted to send our letter welcoming our new cohort of Year 7 students to the Academy on national offer day last week.

We will be writing again after the acceptance deadline has passed on 15th March.

In the meantime, you can find out more information on the transition process and see information shared to date on the new Year 7 page of our website.

[Welcome to our new Year 7s!](#)



PRESENTS...

BEAUTY & THE BEAST



Wednesday 30th &
Thursday 31st March

Please be seated for 6.30pm start.

Tickets available now on ParentPay.
£4 each.

Come along and...

...BE OUR GUEST!



Support Comic Relief @ OAC

Slime the House Leader!

Prepay £1 on ParentPay to get your chance to slime your choice of House Leader! P6 on Friday 18th March.



Other ways you can get involved on Friday 18th March:

Wear something RED

Pay £1 to wear something RED! Replace an item of your uniform for the day with an alternative red item.

Quiz

Take part in the House Leader Quiz at lunchtime in the Agora.