

June 2023

Our smallest steps become our greatest success

It has been great to see Y6 enjoying their end of year celebration visit to Gulliver's Valley. Everyone enjoyed going on the rides and having some fun!

Also this month, our peer mediators have visited Sheffield city centre to meet up with other peer mediators from the city. We are very proud of them and the important work they do in school.

Being on time for school is important. School starts at 8.40am when everyone gets free breakfast in the classroom. The gates close at 8.50am, if you arrive after this your child is missing out. If your child is late every day this adds up to a lot of missed learning over the year. Please help your child achieve and progress well by getting to school each day on time.

Mrs Round
Principal

SCHOOL DATES



Last day of term—Friday 21st July 2023

New school year—Tuesday 5th September 2023

The new school calendar is available
on our website



Oasis Academies teach 9 special habits to help us all live better

This month's habit is trying to be **Humble**



"Stay humble, stay grounded, remember how you got to that level and that's hard work."

Tim Howard

There will be a half price uniform sale
on Tuesday 5th September 2023.

Please remember we only take payments
by card only.



YEAR 6

First hand experiences; Year 6 having the time of their lives at Gulliver's Valley



We are excited to launch the opening of our new outdoor classroom which will see the children access a new way of learning combining the forest school area. This will boost confidence, social skills, physical skills, and knowledge of their surroundings.

Mr Hassan, our Pastoral Learning Mentor, commented the outdoor classroom will improve children's self-esteem and have a positive attitude to learning.



Culture Day at OAFV

World Cultural Diversity Day was celebrated with great style and substance. An avenue to promote cultural diversity and highlight its significance in our society as an agent of positive change, our children showed an abundance of respect towards each other. Well done!



Summer Fayre

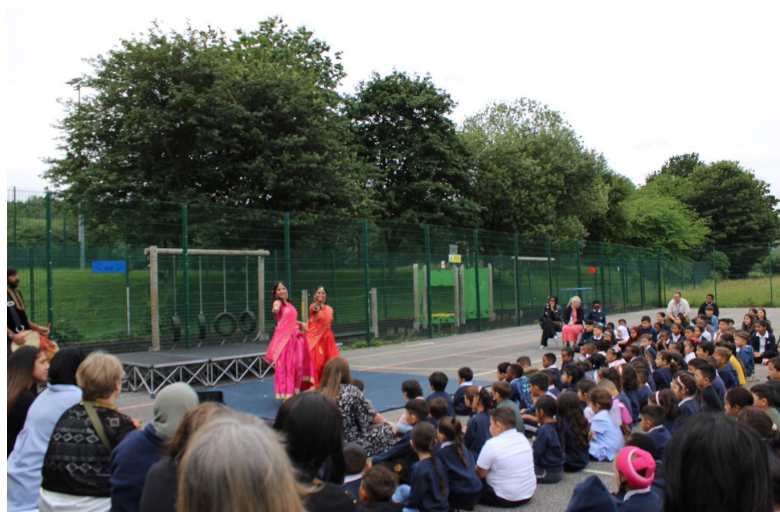
What a fantastic event it was! And the weather treated us too!

The families enjoyed various games, activities, raffle and lovely food provided by our staff, Thank you to Oasis Fir Vale staff for supporting the event. We hope the families enjoyed it! And Thank you to all our kind providers such as: Sodexo, Family Learning Team, Parent Hub, Rosa Cisneros, Shelter, Burngreave Clean Air, Becky from the Eden Project, MAST, the health visiting team and the lovely Jade with her volunteers from the Oasis Community Space.



Eid Mubarak!

A fantastic Parent Assembly to celebrate Eid. A first for OAFV with an outdoor assembly and a special thank you to all our children for their brilliant behaviour. Thank you to everyone involved, it is a joy to celebrate such diversity.



Y4 Greece had the privilege to take part in a “Learn with Lords” session with UK Parliament We were able to meet Lord Hunt who has kindly told us all about the work of a Lord in the Houses of Lords in the Parliament. Children asked a lot of interesting questions, including what it was like to meet the Queen and what Lords and Baronesses do to help make new laws.



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SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR THE 2023/24 ACADEMIC YEAR

For community and voluntary controlled primary, secondary and special schools

September (20 Days)	October (17 Days)	November (22 Days)
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December (16 Days)	January (18 days)	February (16 days)
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March (20 Days)	April (12 Days)	May (17 Days)
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June (20 Days)	July (17 Days)	August
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3 4 5 6 7 8 9	8 9 10 11 12 13 14	5 6 7 8 9 10 11
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Denotes Bank Holidays

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Academy INSET Day

186 days – including 4 days to be taken as professional development days for teaching staff

Sun safety for summer

- Cover Up – wear clothing that covers your skin
- Apply Sunscreen – SPF 30 or more. 20 minutes before you go in the sun and reapply every 2 hours.
- Wear a hat and sunglasses – a hat with a brim provides better protection.
- Seek Shade – take shelter under a tree, umbrella or a shady spot

Top Tips for Teeth Brushing

Supporting Parents with Reluctant Brushers

Invest in a Fun Themed Toothbrush or Toothpaste

When buying a toothbrush and toothpaste, there are lots to choose from! It is important that you choose a toothbrush and toothpaste that is suitable for the age of your child but after this, you can let your child be involved in choosing a theme that they enjoy, such as their favourite animal or colour.

Make It Part of a Routine

Children love routines. In order to get them used to brushing their teeth, make sure you include it as part of their daily schedule so they know when to expect it and can prepare themselves. They could even use this Teeth Brushing Calendar to check off when they have brushed their teeth each day.

Brushing Teeth Reward Chart

If children are reluctant to brush their teeth, you can offer a small reward. This Brush Your Teeth Reward Chart might be enough to motivate them. You could even offer some extra incentives, such as a sticker, five minutes extra on their favourite game or activity or a special treat at the end of the week.

Make It into a Game

Brushing their teeth may feel quite boring to children. You can make it more fun with an imaginative game. Motivate your child by getting them to brush their favourite toy's teeth at the same time as their own, or pretend they are cleaning a monster's fangs.

Brush Your Teeth Together

Children like to feel grown up so brushing your teeth at the same time might make them feel like they are an adult. Get into a routine of brushing your teeth together in the morning, or you could even brush each other's teeth!

Make Up or Sing a Song

Make brushing your teeth more fun with a song. Why not try this 'To Your Toothbrush Ready?' song or 'Brush Your Teeth'?

Do a Funny Dance

Instead of a song, you could also make up a silly dance or walk that you do every time you brush your teeth.

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