



Oasis Academy Silvertown Academy-Home Agreement 2018-2019

OUR SHARED VISION: All young people, regardless of starting point, will be 'Ready for University. Ready to Lead' at Oasis Academy Silvertown. Through love, care and a rigorous academic focus, Oasis Academy Silvertown students will, ultimately, be successfully and happily employed in a career with prospects and become a model citizen.

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Our Shared Values

Our 5 "Be"s	Attitude to Learning	Expectation
Be Proud	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We are proud of our school and community. We celebrate and value our differences. We take pride in how we present our work. We are ambassadors for our school. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I have the POWER OF FOUR with me at all times. My presentation is good and my handwriting is neat.
Be Professional	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We have the highest standards of uniform, inside and outside school. We speak in Standard English. We behave professionally inside and outside school. We have excellent manners. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I arrive on time to school; I arrive on time to lessons. I accept responsibility for the things that I do and understand that if I bring banned items to school they will be confiscated.
Be Nice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We include and value everyone in our community. We treat others as we would wish to be treated. We have zero tolerance for bullying. We do the right thing even when no one is watching, inside and outside school. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I respect the ideas, beliefs and contributions of my peers. I am honest and do not tell lies. I say sorry if I do something wrong.
Be Independent	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We work hard. We complete our home learning to the highest possible standard. We ask questions. We read widely. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I follow instructions from staff the first time that they are given. Homework is completed on time and to a good standard.
Be Resilient	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We have a growth mindset, for ourselves and others. We respond to all feedback, because we know it helps us improve. We never give up. We do not make excuses. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I edit classwork work for SPAG or corrections using a green pen. I respond to marking from my teacher and action my targets.

1. Academy culture, behaviour and inclusion:

Oasis Academy Silvertown believes that students will only achieve academic excellence and outstanding outcomes within a calm, positive, focussed, happy learning environment. Oasis Academy Silvertown also believes that the distinction between behaviour being 'good', and behaviour being 'outstanding', is when students are enforcing and encouraging the behavioural and cultural norms themselves. In short this means **"Doing the right thing even when no one's watching."** The students have bought into the culture and the value system; they can see the worth of structure, calm and order and consequently, ensure that they encourage students to conform and discourage students who do not. These structured and cultural norms in a classroom ensure there is freedom for innovative and creative lessons free from time wasting low level misbehaviours. We believe every minute of our extended day is a precious learning opportunity and, to this end, we have a common and very detailed set of expectations and clear systems and structures so no time is wasted.

The following behaviours and social norms will be explicitly taught, modelled, reinforced and praised:

1. Making people feel happy, included, safe and wanted (keeping negative thoughts to yourself, being thoughtful towards others)
2. Encouraging another student to behave in an appropriate way
3. Making eye contact when you are speaking to your friends, your teachers or visitors
4. Listen and respect others when they are contributing or speaking
5. Smiling
6. Always saying "please" and "thank you", and opening and holding doors for one another
7. Saying "Good Morning/Afternoon" "How are you? Can I help you?"
8. Shaking hands to greet students, staff and visitors when appropriate
9. Volunteering to help other students or staff
10. Taking initiative
11. Doing what's expected when others are not
12. Speaking in Standard English, and giving all answers in class in full sentences

2. Oasis Academy Silvertown Code of Conduct:

All Oasis Academy Silvertown students are "Ready for University, Ready to Lead" by:

2.1 In lessons:

- Arriving at school by 8:30am and getting to all lessons on time
- Having the Power of 4 in every lesson (planner, pencil case, reading book, knowledge organiser) and their desk set out and ready for learning (planner, exercise book, reading book, pencil case). If a planner is lost, students will need to purchase a new one from Student Services for £5.
- Wearing the correct uniform smartly throughout the day
- Entering the classroom calmly, greeting the teacher and starting the 'Do Now' activity in silence
- Only drinking water, and not otherwise eating, chewing or drinking in class. (No drink other than plain water is allowed in the Academy)
- Being an active learner by engaging with the activities set by the teacher, and demonstrating this by SLANTing at all times (Sitting up, Listening, Asking and Answering questions, Nodding, Tracking)
- Always recording home learning in planners and completing home learning on time and to an excellent standard



- Making sure that students catch up with their learning if they have been absent from school or have fallen behind for other reasons
- Believing that we are all part of a learning family and are all responsible/accountable for each other's behaviours - students must encourage positive behaviour from family members

2.1.1 Being an Oasis Academy Silvertown Citizen:

- Always being inclusive - never isolating, insulting, excluding, undermining or swearing at anyone
- Only professional physical touch is permitted eg a handshake (No play fighting, hugging, pushing, shoving, flicking, kicking, tripping up)
- Never screaming or shouting
- Always respecting school property and taking care not to waste school resources - never defacing the building, dropping litter or spitting
- Students must always walk in single file on the left between lessons (one behind the other, shoulders directly behind the person in front of you, no talking, whispering or non-verbal contact with other students)
- The first person in any line always holds the door open for the rest of the line
- Always smile and say "Good morning" or "Good afternoon" to any visitor
- Always open the door for any adult or student
- Always remember you are an ambassador for the Academy when on trips or educational visits or out in the community
- Always giving up your seat for an adult or family with young children
- Always go home from school in an orderly, responsible way. Oasis Academy Silvertown Students never hang around on the streets
- When travelling on public transport, always respect those around you, reminding other Oasis Academy Silvertown family members of our expectations

2.1.2 SLANT - Students are expected to SLANT as their 'default' position in class as it is of best benefit for student learning: *Doug Lemov "Teach Like a Champion Technique" Technique 32.

SLANT stands for the following:

- Sit up and sit still
- Listen
- Ask and Answer Questions
- Nod your head
- Track the speaker

Students will be taught how to SLANT and will be expected to demonstrate this behaviour in every lesson. As well as being a proven benefit for student learning, it also teaches students vital social skills which are expected in the work place.

2.1.3 “Sweat the Small Stuff”: Students know what is expected and what the consequences are:

Students walking around with a top button undone or shirt untucked, looking down when speaking to a teacher, walking on the wrong side of the corridor or rolling their eyes when having been challenged, are behaviours that will not prepare students for our end goal of employment in a career with prospects. If these behaviours go unchallenged we are doing a disservice to our young people and allowing these small behaviours to go unchallenged will result in larger problems occurring. Below are some examples of behaviours that Oasis Academy Silvertown staff will never ignore and will address initially by a quick confident verbal or non-verbal correction however a demerit will be issued if the behaviour is not corrected:

1. Talking or making comments while the teacher or a peer is talking
2. Putting one’s head down in class, slouching or leaning backwards in one’s chair
3. Any uniform infringement (shirt out, top button undone etc.)
4. Calling out without permission
5. Tapping their own desk or chair or that of another student
6. Trying, non-verbally, to get other students to laugh at them inappropriately
7. Refusing to SLANT
8. Talking, unprofessional physical contact or talking/playing during line up
9. Rolling eyes or not making eye contact
10. Damaging school property or wasting resources

2.1.4 Uniform:

Oasis Academy Silvertown students are expected to be in full and correct uniform at all times. Any uniform infringement will not be tolerated and will be corrected immediately. The following uniform is expected:

- White shirt buttoned (long or short sleeved)
- Plain grey or navy trousers for boys
- Plain grey or navy trousers for girls or plain grey or navy pleated skirt – must be a tailored skirt, knee length or longer. (Tight fitting/casual jersey material skirts or tight fitting/”skinny” trousers are not permitted)
- Plain black belts with a plain buckle are permitted
- Plain, flat black leather shoes - no coloured laces or stitching (Boots or ankle boots are not permitted)
- Plain navy, grey or black socks/tights
- Plain navy/lilac head scarf
- Coats must be plain black, navy or grey, with no logos or patterns (Hooded tops are not permitted)
- Tie professional length (To top of trousers or skirt)
- Silvertown Bag
- No high tops, converse style trainers or boots for PE
- No make-up or nail varnish
- No jewellery allowed other than a wristwatch, small, circular, plain gold or silver studs in ear lobes (large or diamond/diamond effect earrings are not permitted)
- No lines or patterns may be cut into hair or eyebrows
- Hair colour should be the student’s natural colour only
- Hair accessories should be discreet and in academy colours only

- When students have PE, they must wear PE uniform. Only OAS PE kit is acceptable. Students must wear Academy PE Shorts or Academy tracksuit bottoms. Tights, tracksuit bottoms or leggings worn under shorts are not acceptable. Students must wear either the academy sports jacket or academy blazer over their PE Kit.

2.1.5 Issuing demerits:

Teachers will firstly try to correct any inappropriate behaviour following the OAS stepped process. If the student does not then correct or alter their behaviour then a demerit will be issued.

3. Correction:

At OAS, students will be given Correction (detention) for any behaviour which stops their learning or the learning of others. Corrections will be awarded for every 3 demerits in any one half term (these may be corridor, break and community or in-class demerits). Students will sit the Correction the day after the third demerit is issued. Student rewards and sanctions will be recorded in their planners. Correction will take place for 1 hour between 3:15pm and 4:15pm Tuesday-Friday. On a Monday, Correction will be from 4:15pm- 5:15pm. Principal's Correction runs each Friday from 3:15-5:15pm, for serious incidents and failure to attend correction. Parents must attend a meeting at the academy if their child is placed in Principal's Correction.

3.1 Accepting a teacher's instruction:

Students will be well-versed and will be inducted into how to accept a demerit or verbal or non-verbal teacher instruction. The below will also be displayed around the Academy for a continual reminder:

Students must:

- Make eye contact with the teacher
- Say "Yes Miss/Sir" or "Yes Miss/Sir, can we talk about it later?"
- In each case, the student will hand over their planner to the adult in question

Students must not:

- Tut or kiss teeth
- Raise eyebrows in shock
- Question or challenge the decision
- Walk away or slouch head

3.1.1 Relocation and/or isolation of a student:

- A student can, if appropriate, be sent out of a lesson. They will automatically receive a Correction for the following evening.
- In exceptional circumstances the teacher will be able to remove a student to another classroom without issuing any prior demerits, this will result in an Immediate Correction and parent meeting.
- If a student is sent out of a lesson, they will lose break time and serve Correction until 4:15pm (5:15pm on Mondays). Internal exclusion will sometimes be issued for a set number of days.
- In isolation a student must behave perfectly and complete all work set or they will repeat the following day.

3.1.2 Issuing an Immediate Correction:

Some more serious behaviours warrant immediate awarding of an "Immediate Correction". Immediate Corrections are awarded for the following

- Receiving 3 demerits in a lesson or being moved to another room. A parent or guardian will be expected to come in for a meeting with the relevant teacher.
- Not having their power of 4 (planner, reading book, knowledge organiser and pencil case)
- Rude or inappropriate use of language to students or staff
- Responding inappropriately to a demerit
- Any form of bullying
- Possession of iPods, MP3 players, cameras, smart watches, iPad, handheld video consoles or mobile phones in school

Students should leave their mobile phones and other electronic items at home as they will not be permitted in the academy. If a student chooses to bring their phone to school, they must leave it in the box in their learning couch room. The box will then be stored in student services until the end of the day.

If a student is found to have a mobile phone on them during the school day, the policy is: "See it, hear it, take it." The phone will be confiscated, the student issued with a Correction and the phone only returned to a parent/carer who comes to pick it up from school.

Uniform will be checked at the start of the day and lesson. Students out of uniform will not be allowed to join the school community. Parents will be contacted and asked to bring the missing item to the school, or authorise their child to return home to collect it. If students are without their item by 8.30am they will be lent a piece of uniform by the Academy for the day and awarded a Correction. If this is not possible, or it is a repeat offence, they will remain in isolation until the matter is resolved.

3.1.3 Lateness to school:

The school day runs from 8:30am to 4:15pm daily. Lessons finish at 3:15pm for Key Stage 3 students, and at 4:15pm on some days for Key stage 4 Students. On Mondays, all students must attend enrichment activities from 3:15pm-4:15pm, and students are expected to attend a minimum of one other extra-curricular activity per week.

If students are late to school (***they must be in their coaching room by 8:30am***), they will automatically be required to sit a 30 minute Correction.

4. Attendance and Punctuality:

For full details of OAS's attendance and punctuality policy, please refer to the full document which can be found on the Academy's website www.oasisacademysilvertown.org.uk

4.1 Key Principles:

- Students at the Academy have the right to the best possible education
- In order for students to access the best possible education, a high level of attendance is essential
- Students' ability to stay and feel safe, enjoy and achieve and to make a positive contribution may be jeopardised by poor attendance



The Academy aims to ensure that attendance for all pupils remains at 98% or higher. Attendance is a whole Academy initiative. Helping to create a pattern of regular attendance is everybody's responsibility including parents, students and Academy staff.

The diagram on the following page highlights the whole academy approach to attendance monitoring and intervention.

4.2 Attendance Monitoring and Intervention:

The Academy has an escalating approach to reinforcing high levels of attendance and intervening in respect of attendance concern.

4.3 Authorised and Unauthorised Absence:

If a student is absent from the Academy, it is vital that a parent contact the Academy by 9am to provide a reason for absence. This should be by telephone to the reception in the first instance supported by a written note on the student's return.

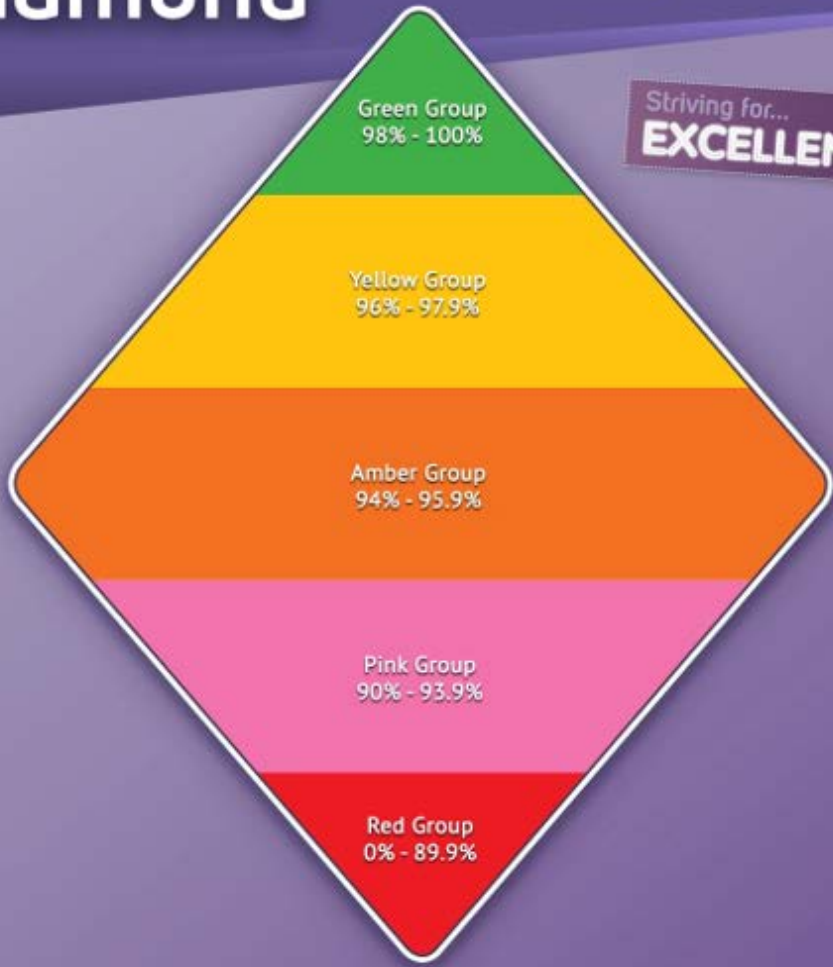
Absence can only be authorised where there is good cause. Absences for illness/medical reasons must always be supported by medical evidence. If no adequate reason for absence is provided, attendance will be recorded as unauthorised.

4.4 Avoiding Holidays and Appointments during Term Time:

In order to maximise individual achievement, parents should avoid making routine appointments for students during the Academy day. Parents should not take family holidays during the term time period, and these will not be authorised by the Academy. The Local Authority has the power to fine parents if their child is absent from school without authorisation.

Attendance Diamond

Striving for... **EXCELLENCE**



Attendance Groups	
Green	No risk
Yellow	Risk of underachievement
Amber	Serious risk of underachievement
Pink	Severe risk of underachievement
Red	Extreme risk - Court action

5. OAS Lunch:

All students will eat school lunch together in their houses. If you wish, the academy will provide your child with a nutritious hot meal and dessert, freshly made every day by the professional catering team. All meat served is halal. The academy operates a cashless dining system. (See 5.1) Alternatively, if parents wish, students may bring a healthy packed lunch.

5.1 Parent Pay:

Parent Pay is the system used by Oasis Academy Silvertown to ensure safe and secure payments of school meals, breakfast and snacks. You will need to credit your account with £50.00 at the start of the term.

As a parent or guardian you are required to top up your account regularly to make sure it is always in credit. Any negative balances will be chased by phone, letter or email and where necessary, followed up by a meeting with the Operations Manager or Principal.

You can log into Parent Pay via www.parentpay.com/Parents/Login. Each student has their own unique login that you as their parent or guardian can log onto to top up the account.

Further details can be found on our website.

6. Achievement:

Every half term students will be provided with feedback which outlines their end of unit assessment scores, areas of strength and action steps. This will be based on the progress a student has made each half term. Students will be given opportunities to reflect on their progress in their weekly learning conversations. The academy will issue a full report to parents three times per year.

Intervention and support will be in place for any student who is not making the expected progress in a subject(s).

7. Rewards:

Teachers will constantly be rewarding students based on effort, punctuality, attendance, progress and achievement within lessons as well as behaviour and contribution to the wider school community. Below are some of the ways that students will be rewarded:

- Verbal praise from teacher/House Coach/Principal
- Merits
- Mention in assembly – round of applause
- Certificates
- Trophies
- Stickers and postcards
- Phone calls home to parents/guardians
- Giving the student a special responsibility
- Selecting students to represent the school – show visitors around and attend additional extra-curricular visits/trips
- Reward trips
- Praise Evening

You can read more about academy rewards in your child's planner.

8. Bullying:

Bullying or harassment is the use of deliberate aggression with the intention of hurting another person.

Oasis Academy Silvertown has a zero tolerance policy towards bullying and any incidents of bullying will be fully investigated and taken extremely seriously. The academy takes bullying seriously and students are expected to treat each other with respect ***both inside and outside school.***

Bullying/harassment can be:

- Emotional - being unfriendly, excluding, tormenting (e.g. hiding books, threatening gestures);
- Physical - pushing, tripping someone up, kicking, hitting, punching or any use of violence;
- Racist - racial taunts, graffiti, gestures;
- Sexual - unwanted physical contact or sexually abusive comments;
- Homophobic - because of, or focussing on the issue of sexuality;
- Because of learning or physical disabilities;
- Verbal - name-calling, sarcasm, spreading rumours, teasing because of appearance etc.;
- Cyber - all areas of internet use, such as e-mail, social media and internet chat room misuse;
- Mobile threats by text messaging & calls, misuse of associated technology, i.e. camera & video facilities, Apps etc



The Formal Agreement Part A

Academy Agreement

We acknowledge our responsibility to ensure your child is “Ready for university, ready to lead”, and to support parents to ensure our students are developed into excellent, well rounded citizens in our caring community.

Therefore the Academy will:-

- Provide a friendly welcome to your child and a secure, stimulating, moral environment in which to learn;
- Ensure that your child is valued for who she/he is and helped to make good progress in their spiritual, moral, emotional and academic development;
- Treat your child with the dignity and respect they deserve;
- Do our utmost to provide the best possible education we can for your child, through enthusiastic teaching, which is rooted in our beliefs, our values and our skills;
- Ensure that the education provided for your child is tailored, as effectively as possible, by using good assessment, recording and tracking strategies;
- Provide you with information about your child’s progress and provide you with opportunities to talk to teachers;
- Keep you well informed about Academy policies and activities through regular letters and newsletters;
- Set, mark and monitor work suitable to your child’s needs;
- Contact you if there is a problem with your child’s attendance or punctuality;
- Inform you of any concerns regarding your child’s behaviour, work or health;
- Challenge your child to strive for the highest standard of personal, social and intellectual development and aim for excellence in all they do.

Signed on Behalf of Oasis Community Learning:

Print Name:

Signature:

Date:

Student and Parent Agreement

I/We have read all the information in sections 1-9, including the information on attendance, punctuality, code of conduct, rewards, correction and bullying. We agree to follow these expectations and procedures, and support the work of the academy.

Parent’s Signature.....

Child’s Signature.....



The Formal Agreement Part B

There are some specific pieces of information we also ask parents and students to agree to separately

a) Oasis Academy Silvertown School Day Times

I understand that the Oasis Academy Silvertown day is extended. I will ensure my child is at school on time. (No child will be allowed into the school before 7.45am.) I understand the extended school day runs until 4:15pm for Year 7-9, and may run until 5:15pm for Year 10 and 11.

Parent's Signature..... Child's Signature.....

b) Oasis Academy Silvertown Home Learning Club

Home Learning Club runs daily from 3:15-4:15 for Years 7-9 and from 4:15-5:15 for Years 10 and 11. Children will be supervised and will work silently during these times. Home Learning Club is optional. If your child wants to attend home learning club it is their responsibility to arrange this with you in the morning or the day before they attend. We will not seek parental permission if a child chooses to stay for Home Learning Club.

If your child fails to complete their homework on time and/or to a high standard attendance to homework club will be compulsory.

Parent's Signature..... Child's Signature.....

c) Oasis Academy Silvertown Correction

There will be a 60 minute Correction on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday between 3:15pm and 4:15pm for Years 7-10. On Mondays Correction for all students is from 4:15-5:15pm. This will be on the day after the Correction is given or 3rd demerit received. In addition to this, Principal's Correction will run 3:15-5:15pm on Fridays.

If your child has broken the Oasis Academy Silvertown Code of Conduct and has received 3 demerits in a half term, or has acted in a manner that contravenes our code of conduct for example either choosing to leave a classroom or being removed by On Call, they will receive an Immediate Correction.

I understand my child can be issued a 60 minute Correction with no prior warning or parental permission. However, I understand I will receive either a phone call, voicemail, text, or email notifying me of the detention between 12:00pm-3.15pm. I understand I can also check the planner to find out details.

I understand if my child fails to attend a Correction then I will be required to accompany them back to school for a meeting and that my child will be placed in Principal's Correction or even isolation (internal exclusion).

Parent's Signature..... Child's Signature.....



d) Mobile Phones/IPods/Smartwatches/Mp3 players etc

Mobile phones or any other electronic equipment are not permitted in Oasis Academy Silvertown, and the policy is "See it, hear it, take it." Parents will be notified on the same day if a phone is confiscated. If a student chooses to bring a mobile or electronic device into school, they must place it in the box for their coaching group on arrival and pick it up at the end of the academy day.

I understand that if my child brings a mobile phone or similar device into the academy and does not place it into the box, it will be confiscated and not returned until a time can be arranged with the parent to meet a member of the leadership team. I understand that if my child does not hand the item over immediately if it is seen or heard, they will be placed in isolation and I will have to attend a meeting at the Academy. Oasis Academy Silvertown will not be held responsible for any phones or electronic equipment that are brought into school.

Parent's Signature.....

Child's Signature.....

e) Healthy Lifestyles at Oasis Academy Silvertown

The Academy promotes a healthy lifestyle: fruit and plain water is permitted at break time. Any other food/drink e.g. sweets, chocolate or drinks other than plain water are not permitted at the academy. The academy operates a "See it, hear it, take it" policy. I understand if my child is seen with any other drink other than plain water, or sweets/chocolate, these will be confiscated and my child will be issued an Immediate Correction. I understand that if my child does not hand the item(s) over immediately they will be placed in isolation and I will have to attend a meeting at the Academy.

Parent's Signature.....

Child's Signature.....

Safeguarding

Oasis Academy Silvertown follows and supports the rigorous multi agency safeguarding policy and procedures agreed by Newham local authority. The academy ensures that all staff are fully trained and follow best practice at all times. The academy is a secure site with all visitors having to report to the reception office. Parents and visitors are very welcome in the academy but are not allowed to move around the site unsupervised.

f) E-safety

ICT and its related technologies such as email, the internet and mobile devices are an expected part of our daily working life in school. This agreement is designed to ensure that all students are aware of the responsibilities when using any form of ICT, inside school or outside school. All students are expected to sign this agreement and adhere at all times to its contents, *whether inside or outside school*.

The below is not intended to be an exhaustive list. Users should use their own good judgement when using school technologies inside school, and internet social networking sites outside school.

- Make sure your posts reflect well on the school and do not present the academy in a negative light
- Make full use of the internet and academy technologies such as GCSE Pod and Show My Homework
- All posts should be positive. The academy will not tolerate offensive language/ or comments on internet/social media, *whether inside or outside school*



I agree to follow this code of conduct and to support the safe use of ICT throughout the school.

Parent's Signature.....

Child's Signature.....

g) Internet Access Contract 2018/2019

Students will have the opportunity to regularly access the internet including email accounts as part of their learning at Oasis Academy Silvertown. Students will be allowed to access web sites that relate directly to their research topic or area of study. Students who accidentally encounter web sites that are considered offensive or in any way inappropriate should report them to the supervising adult immediately. In addition, students do not have permission to download any material such as software, games and music.

I give my child permission to access the internet at the Academy. I have discussed the correct use of the internet and email accounts with my child who understands that internet access is for the purpose of learning and knows that he/she will be excluded from using the internet and email accounts if found to be visiting inappropriate sites or downloading materials of any kind.

Parent's Signature.....

Child's Signature.....

Student Participation in Media Coverage

h) Academy Web Site

I hereby give permission for Oasis Academy Silvertown to publish photographs of my child as well as any academy work produced by her/him on the academy's web site and/or on social media. (This includes the OAS Twitter and Facebook page).

Parent's Signature.....

Child's Signature.....

For students aged 13 or over:

I hereby give permission for Oasis Academy Silvertown to publish photographs of me as well as any academy work produced by me on the academy's web site and/or on social media. (This includes the OAS Twitter and Facebook page).

Child's Signature

i) Print/Television/Radio

I hereby give permission for Oasis Academy Silvertown to publish photographs of my child in Print Media. I also give permission for my son/daughter to be filmed for television and have his/her voice recorded for radio.

Parent's Name

Parent's Signature.....

For students aged 13 or over:



I hereby give permission for Oasis Academy Silvertown to publish photographs of me in Print Media. I also give permission for me to be filmed for television and have my voice recorded for radio.

Child's Signature

j) Drug and Alcohol Education

As part of the PSHE curriculum, students will participate in a Preventative Drug and Alcohol Education programme. Students will be presented with knowledge, attitudes and skills that will enable them to understand the use, misuse and the possible harm associated with all drugs including medicines.

I give my child permission to participate in the Drug Education Programme.

Parent's Name Parent's Signature.....

k) Sex Education

As part of the PSHE curriculum, students will participate in sex education.

I give my child permission to participate in the sex education programme.

Parent's Name Parent's Signature.....

l) Local Trips, Visits and Excursions

'Local trips' refers to any excursions where students will travel between London zones, either walking, by public transport or taxi. Local trips will take place within the Academy day (between 8:30am and 4.15pm). You will be provided with a separate consent form for trips beyond London which take place outside of Academy hours.

Oasis Academy Silvertown students will be given the opportunity to participate in local excursions that support the Academy curriculum. Examples of these visits include trips to local theatres, art galleries and museums or local businesses. Your child will also be required to regularly attend offsite lessons at our local sports facilities. These excursions will involve walking to local venues, students will be closely supervised by teaching staff and volunteers. If the trip changes the school day times you will be notified.

I hereby give my child permission to participate in all local excursions organised by Oasis Academy Silvertown. I understand that these excursions will involve travelling, under close supervision, to different venues. I also understand that the safety of my child will be carefully considered in planning the excursion and that all excursions will have the approval of the Academy Principal.

Parent's Name Parent's Signature.....

To be completed by Parent/Guardian

The Academy would like to seek your consent for the following:

Home Academy Agreement

By providing the information in the consent section of this form you give permission for OCL to use the information for the purposes specified. OCL will not use this information for other purposes or pass the information to other



organisations without seeking further permissions from you, or unless we are legally compelled to do so. You can choose to withdraw this consent at any time by contacting the Academy on: office@oasisilvertown.org

Signed:

Date:

Print:

Date: (for the above and all signatures in Part B)



Student early release from the academy consent form – adverse weather conditions

It is the policy of the academy to make every effort to remain open whenever possible. The decision to close the academy either before or during the academy day due to adverse weather conditions will be made by the Principal. Prior to the decision being taken, a risk assessment will be completed to ensure all the health and safety issues have been considered and control measures implemented. The risk assessment will be reviewed as adverse weather conditions persist.

The academy will only be closed if one or more of the following conditions apply:

1. Insufficient staff are able to come in to keep the academy running safely
2. Site conditions are deemed unsafe or dangerous
3. Conditions are considered to be, or are anticipated to later become, too hazardous for safe travel home.

If the academy is to close:

- a) The closure will be recorded on the Oasis Academy Silvertown website www.oasisacademysilvertown.org
- b) The closure will be tweeted via @OasisSilvertown
- c) Parents/carers who have supplied mobile telephone numbers will be alerted to the closure using the SMS text messaging service.

The academy will make all practicable efforts to keep parents informed as to the situation with the academy during the period of adverse weather. We appreciate that the uncertainty places considerable difficulties upon parents, however, parents are expected to check the academy website when it becomes clear that an early closure is a possibility. Parents/carers are also expected to inform the academy if their mobile telephone numbers change.

Parents acting on the assumption that the academy would be closed without gaining confirmation, or failing to inform the academy of the circumstances that may prevent the child coming into school, risks their child being registered as an unauthorised absence.

Where the academy is officially closed, all absence is counted as authorised absence (absence code Y). In the event of the academy having to close during the day due to worsening weather conditions, parents will be contacted by text message either at home or work to let them know about the students being released early. Such an early release will only be contemplated in very extreme circumstances and unless indicated otherwise on the student early release forms signed by parents/carers, students will be allowed to travel home alone earlier than usual.

Please indicate on the boxes below whether you give permission for your child to travel home alone earlier than usual should the academy close for one of the reasons listed above:

<p>I do give permission for my child to travel home alone if adverse weather closes the academy earlier than usual.</p>	
<p>I do not give permission for my child to travel home alone earlier than the usual end of the academy day.</p>	

Signed: (Parent/Carer)

Name of Parent/Carer:

Student name:

Date: