

Last week was the first full week of formal written exams for our year 11 students. We were so proud to see them in early revising, working hard and sticking to their plans for managing their time. Keep it up year 11!

We also welcomed the Monitoring and Evaluation team to the academy last week. The team are experienced education leaders employed by Oasis to review progress in the academy and support us in moving forward. We were pleased to hear their positive reflections on the progress that we are making as an academy and their descriptions of our community having such a ‘special, warm, family feel’.

Year 8 worked hard in their preparations for their Year group competition – writing and performing a musical track to each other and I know year 10 are also excited about their basketball competition and Year 9s their posters. Do encourage your child to take part!

This week Year 7-10 students make final preparations for their assessments that begin after the half term holiday. Next week many of our students and staff will take a break, while some staff and Year 11 students will be in school for intervention sessions. I hope you have a lovely holiday when it comes.

Emily Boxer, Principal

Upcoming dates for your diary:

- **7th May – 18th Jun** – Year 11 GCSE exams
- **25th - 29th May** – Half term break and Year 11 intervention T, Th and F
- **3rd Jun** – Year 7, 8 & 9 End of Year Assessments begin
- **12th Jun** – Year 10 End of Year Assessments begin
- **18th Jun** – School leavers assembly
- **19th Jun** – Year 11 Prom
- **22nd Jun** – Year 10 Speaking and Performing Assessments begin
- **29th Jun** – Year 10 Work experience week
- **8th Jul** – Year 8+9 Parents evening and early finish 12:55

Events this week:

- **18th May** – Chemistry GCSE Exam
- **19th May** – English GCSE Exam, Computer Science GCSE Exam
- **20th May** – French GCSE Exam, RE GCSE Exam
- **21st May** – English GCSE Exam
- **22nd May** – PE GCSE Exam, Arabic & Italian GCSE Exams

Meet our student leaders:



Emily Bingham

Student Leader – Year 10

I decided to be a student leader because I wanted to take on a role that would enable me to make the school a better place, where my peers’ thoughts would be heard and acted upon. I wanted a role of responsibility where I can build on my communication and listening skills for the future in other professional settings.

The subjects that most interest me are maths and science, because they help us understand the world around us. In the future, I hope to work in STEM because I love STEM-based subjects and I would like to increase the number of women working in STEM.

Reminders/Useful Links:

- Please complete the parental consent form on MCAS. Instructions [here](#).
- General enquiries: office@oasissilvertown.org
- Concerns/complaints [form](#).
- Lunch time and after school clubs [details](#)
- Information for [hiring the site](#) during evenings, weekends and school holidays

YEAR 8

MUSIC

COMPETITION

WRITE IT. PERFORM IT. OWN THE STAGE!



THE CHALLENGE

CREATE YOUR OWN ORIGINAL SONG IN ANY GENRE. RAP, POP, ROCK, ACOUSTIC - IT'S YOUR VIBE!

ROUND 1: COACHING HEATS
PERFORM IN CLASS SOLO OR GROUP
TOP ACTS GO THROUGH TO THE FINAL!

GRAND FINAL:

PERFORM IN ASSEMBLY INSTRUMENTS OR BACKING TRACK

THE PRIZE

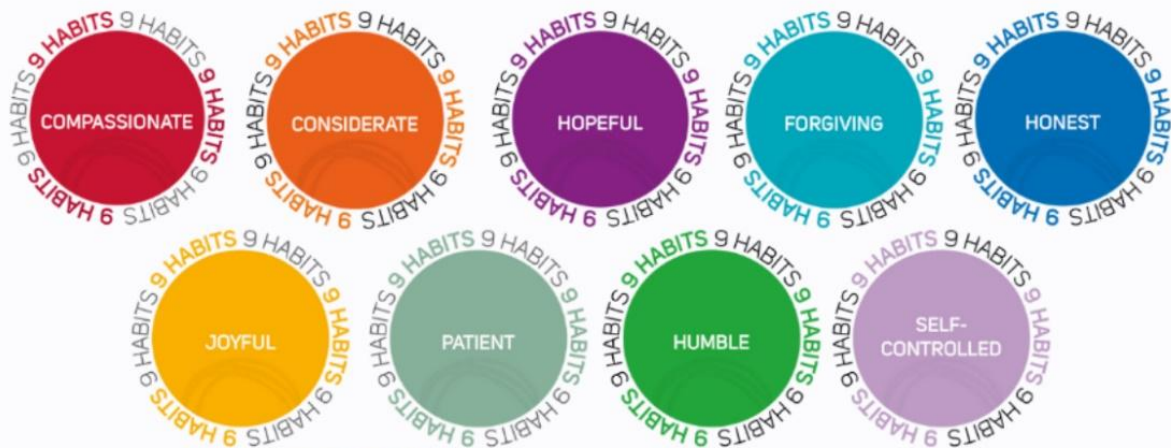


1ST £20
2ND £10
3RD £5



Y9 HOUSE POSTER DESIGN COMPETITION

Create a powerful, eye-catching poster that shows the identity, values, and spirit of your House using the 9 Habits and 5 Be's.



★ PRIZES ★

1st PLACE
£20 Amazon gift card

2nd PLACE
£10 Amazon gift card

3rd PLACE
£5 Amazon gift card

- Create online or on A4 paper
- Submit using the Microsoft Form (scan the QR code) or give paper copy to Ms Mehtab
- Original work only

Deadline: Monday 25th May



The House with the best entries will win a class trophy and 10 merits for each student!





YEAR 10

BASKET

BALL

CHALLENGE

**THURSDAY 21ST
MAY @ 3.15PM**

IN THE SPORTS HALL
Voucher prizes for
1st, 2nd and 3rd place



ONE SHOT CHALLENGE,

**ROUND 1 AND 2 | 2 SHOTS EACH - MISS BOTH,
YOU'RE OUT**

**ROUND 3 | 1 MINUTE FOR EACH FINALIST -
WHOMEVER SCORES THE MOST BASKETS IN THAT
TIME WINS!**

