

Last week our Year 11s completed their second set of **mock exams** and we are looking forward to celebrating this with them at the end of the day today. Well done to all of our students for their hard work and resilience in this. Our Year 10s begin theirs on Thursday.

We had more **sporting success** last week from our Year 9 girls netball team who beat Sarah Bonnell 7-1. Year 8 netball and Year 9 boys football didn't win their fixtures last week, but we're proud of the effort and commitment shown by all team members.

Most of our Year 8 students as well as GCSE drama students **attended Romeo and Juliet at the Globe Theatre** on Thursday evening. It was an exciting trip including a walk across the river, enjoying the sights of central London as well as a fantastic performance. Huge thanks to the staff who volunteered their time to make this possible.

As we continue on our improvement journey, we are keen to engage with parent views. Next week when I write to you, I will share the link to a **parent survey**. We would really appreciate you taking time to complete the survey to share your views and to give us feedback about what is working well and how we can further develop. Thank you for your ongoing support.

**Emily Boxer, Principal**

### Upcoming dates for your diary:

- **20<sup>th</sup> Mar** – INSET Day and Year 11 intervention
- **25<sup>th</sup> Mar** – Community Experience Day
- **30<sup>th</sup> Mar – 10<sup>th</sup> Apr** – Easter Holidays
- **13<sup>th</sup> Apr** – INSET Day
- **14<sup>th</sup> April** – Start of term
- **16<sup>th</sup> April** – Year 6 Friendship Afternoon
- **18<sup>th</sup> April** – Year 8 HPV vaccinations
- **22<sup>nd</sup> April** – Year 10 Parents Evening 3:30 – 5:30pm
- **7<sup>th</sup> May** – Year 11 GCSE exams begin

### Events this week:

- **9<sup>th</sup> Mar** – Year 11 Post Mock Celebration
- **11<sup>th</sup> Mar** – Year 11 Practical Drama exam
- **12<sup>th</sup> Mar** – Year 9 Option calls 3:30-5:30pm
- **12<sup>th</sup> Mar** – Year 10 Mock assessments begin

### Meet the Staff:



**Habibah Tahir**

### Science Teacher and Lead Practitioner

My name is Habibah Tahir, and I am a science teacher and lead practitioner here at Oasis Silvertown. I was initially recommended to apply to Oasis Academy by another colleague, and the thing that made me want to stay the most was the pupils.

One thing that I am happy to share is that one of the most important things to me as a teacher is my rapport with students. I believe that relationships in school can make or break your experience, and I enjoy working here the most due to my relationships with students and staff.

### Reminders/Useful Links:

- Please complete the parental consent form on MCAS. Instructions [here](#).
- To ensure your child can participate in daytime Academy trips without individual forms each time, please complete the parental consent form on the MCAS app.
- General enquiries: [office@oasissilvertown.org](mailto:office@oasissilvertown.org)
- Concerns/complaints [form](#).
- Lunch time and after school clubs [details](#)