



HST/SAP

11th February 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian

I would like to begin this letter by extending my thanks to all students and parents for their full support and engagement during these first few weeks of 2021 - amidst difficult circumstances. The introduction of live lessons has been met with overwhelming positivity and we are glad that this is enabling our students to maintain structure and continuity in their education, as well as providing valuable interaction with their peers and teachers. The Oasis Horizon's iPad project has been an integral part of our offer and we are very grateful that Oasis chose us to be a pathfinder academy for this innovative development within the Trust.

I would like to thank all those parents who have written to us with such kind messages of support and gratitude – these are always very warmly received by our staff who are working hard to support the children in our care. Our staff have embraced the new ways of working and I would like to thank them for all their hard work in ensuring the continuity of education that their hard work and dedication has allowed.

Re-opening of schools

In his announcement to Parliament, the Prime Minister confirmed that schools would not re-open before Monday 8 March 2021 and that this will be dependent upon a number of different factors, including infection rates and how successfully the Government has delivered its vaccination programme. We will receive two weeks' notice of reopening and it is quite likely that students will return on a phased basis. In the meantime, we ask that everyone continues to do as they are doing and remain fully engaged with online learning. As soon as we have any more information we will be in touch.

OAW Covid-19 test centre

Our OAW Covid-19 Test Centre is running smoothly at Wintringham, keeping staff and students currently attending the academy safe and reassured by providing lateral flow testing. A big thank you to Mr Robinson and his team for setting this up and ensuring that it is running effectively.

GCSE and vocational qualifications (summer 2021)

The consultation has now ended on plans for the grading process for this summer and we are expecting further information on grading plans during the week beginning Monday 22nd February. As soon as we have more details we will let you know.

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Covid-19

If your child tests positive during the half-term break, then it is important that you make the academy aware so that we can inform the Department for Education and Public Health England. Please email OAW.covid@oasiswintringham.org which will be manned from 9am-11am each morning and we will get back to you as soon as possible once your email is received.

Mrs Carlberg's retirement

Mrs Carlberg, our lovely Year 8 pastoral manager will be retiring on Friday to spend more time with her family. Mrs Carlberg has worked at Wintringham for fourteen and a half years and has made a difference to many of our students lives with her support and guidance. We wish her a long, happy and healthy retirement. We will all miss her tremendously.

Mrs Carlberg will be replaced by Miss Courtney Brambles who has experience of working in a number of local schools. We look forward to welcoming her after the half-term holiday. This will be a full-time position and Mr Leadbetter, who job shared with Mrs Carlberg, will resume his previous role of cover supervisor.

Staff changes

After the half-term break, Miss Turner, our Standards Leader for Sport and Health will be returning following her maternity leave. Sadly, we will be saying goodbye to Mrs Larvin-Smith who has done a fantastic job working with our Sport and Health Team, she has been a real asset to our Academy.

Finally, from me, a big thank you for all your support during this past half-term. Lockdown 3 has not been easy for any of us but hopefully with the vaccine rollout and spring on the way, things are looking more positive. Online learning will recommence on Monday 22nd February following the half-term break. It is important that all students are accessing their online learning and if there are any problems please don't hesitate to get in touch with your child's pastoral manager. If your child has been attending the academy then they should continue to attend from that date.

Wishing you all a lovely half-term holiday.

Yours sincerely

Ms H Stennett
Principal

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