

Date: 29<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Parents/Carers

We at Oasis Media City hope that you and your family have a good Easter break. Our kindest thoughts are also with our students and families that are currently observing Ramadan.

Please see my end of term update below:

### Year 11's – Easter School

GCSE season is almost upon us. Please encourage your child to continue with their revision during the holidays. Some of our teachers have kindly offered to give up their time over the easter holidays to provide extra revision sessions in school.

The easter in-school revision timetable can be found below:

Date	Time	Subject	Staff member
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	10am – 1pm	History	Mr Astle
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	11am – 1pm	Science	Miss Bennetta
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	10am – 1pm	History	Mr Astle
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> April (On-line revision via TEAMS)	1.30pm – 3pm	English Unseen Poetry and Power and Conflict	Miss Patel
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> April	10 – 12pm	English Unseen Poetry Masterclass	Miss Ryan
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> April	10am – 1pm	History	Mrs Rizvi
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> April	10am – 1pm	Geography	Miss Howard
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> April On-line revision via TEAMS)	2pm – 3.30pm	English Paper 1 Reading Section- Language Skills Q4 Evaluation	Miss Patel
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> April	10am – 2pm	Science	Miss Livsey
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> April	10am – 2pm	Product Design	Mr Brandy
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> April	10am – 12pm	Maths	Miss Jaidy
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> April	10am - 1pm	History	Miss Jones

### Good news stories

Thank you for your continued support in the successful implementation of our mobile phone policy and our ready to learn line ups. Our students have responded brilliantly to both. There is now a calmer and more purposeful movements around the building and a greater student focus at the start of the day and lessons.

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This term Oasis Mediacity have seen success in a number of sporting events. The Y7/8 girls came 3rd in the Salford Schools Football Tournament. Both the Year 8 and Year 9 boys football teams have reached the semi-final of the Salford schools' plate and the Year 11 boys football team have reached the semi-final of the Salford schools' Cup. Best of luck for all the semi-finals!

Mrs Newton accompanied a team of 8 Y10 mathematicians to a Maths competition at St Patricks school. The students performed really well in all events. Oasis Mediacity won one event where for their beautifully constructed cube and rhombic dodecahedron!

Earlier this week 35 Y7/Y8 students attended a 3-day residential trip to Yorkshire. They had a fantastic few days trying their hand at various outdoor pursuits.



### Community Hub Update

Last week our children's youth and community hub team hosted a Community Iftar, where 78 members of our community came together to break fast after sunset, with a meal prepared and cooked by the team themselves. Attended by students and their families, academy staff and other local people of all faiths and none, it was a wonderful celebration spreading joy and unity. Ramadan Mubarak!

After the Easter break, our focus will be on health and wellbeing, so please do come along to our community hub and get involved. Everyone is welcome; all ages and all abilities – come and see us and get involved, all activities are free. On Tuesday's at 10:30am, join our Walking Group as we walk

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and talk, and explore our neighbourhood. On Friday's, at 12noon, we have Family Zumba (children and adults are welcome) – come and join this fun, fitness party. These new exercise activities are a great way to boost your mood, get a bit fitter and put a spring in your step. We hope to see you at our community hub soon.

#### Holiday Club

Holiday Club with Salford Community Leisure is back at Oasis MediaCityUK this Easter, from Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> – Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April, 10am-3pm, and is free. Holiday club is open to anyone local aged 8-16 years - there'll be multi-sports, dance, arts & crafts, plus a hot lunch is included. Sign up today to book your place:

- If your child receives free school meals: <https://eequ.org/experience/6922>
- If your child doesn't receive free school meals: <https://eequ.org/experience/6935>

For more information please contact Salford Community Leisure directly at [activecommunities@scll.co.uk](mailto:activecommunities@scll.co.uk)

#### **Upcoming events**

April 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> – Y11 GCSE Art exam  
April 16<sup>th</sup> & May 7<sup>th</sup> – Y11 Health & Social exam  
April 23<sup>rd</sup> – Immunisation catch-up sessions  
April 29<sup>th</sup> & May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> – MFL speaking exams  
May 2<sup>nd</sup> - Deadline for Y9 option choices  
May 3<sup>rd</sup> – Y11 Blackpool trip  
May 9<sup>th</sup> – Start of main Y11 GCSE timetable

#### **Return to school arrangements**

All students will return to school on Tuesday 16th April at 8.20am.

Please have a restful break and we look forward to seeing your child after Easter for another great term at Oasis Media City.

Mr McEvoy  
Principal