

# Newsletter

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What a fun way to end last week. We celebrated superheroes and our super powers together and raised some money for Red Nose Day. There were so many super power challenges throughout the Academy including being Captains of kindness, being helpful and honest and environmental superheroes! We took part in quizzes, riddles and designed red noses.

## Term dates

**29th March 2021** - World Autism Awareness week

**Wednesday 31st March 2021** - School photo day - individual photos only

**Thursday 1st April 2021** - Last day of term

**Monday 19th April 2021** - Term 5 begins

**Monday 3rd May 2021** - school closed for bank holiday

**Friday 28th May 2021** - last day of term

**Monday 7th June 2021** - Term 6 begins

**Friday 2nd July 2021** - Academy closed for INSET

## World Autism Awareness week

- During the week beginning 29th March 2021 we will be celebrating World Autism Awareness week. This is a very special and important week for our Academy community so we have made lots of plans.
- Throughout the week we will be sharing a virtual assembly, exploring how we engage sensitively with someone with autism and we are going to invite everyone to dress in rainbow colours. We will be dressing in rainbow colours to reflect the autism puzzle piece.
- The **puzzle** pattern reflects the complexity of the **autism** spectrum. The different colors and shapes represent the diversity of the people and families living with the condition.



## School photo day

We have a photographer coming on Wednesday 31st March to take individual school photos of all children in school. Please note that they will NOT be taking sibling group photos this time due to restrictions. If your child arrives late for school on this day they may not have their photo taken.



## Nursery places

If your child turns 3 years old before 19/3/2021 then you will be eligible for a free Nursery place. We have a few places available to start in April. Please contact the office for further information on 01179 030333 or at [long-cross@oasislongcross.org](mailto:long-cross@oasislongcross.org)



## Covid update

It has been brought to our attention that some children and families have been having parties and this has led to multiple children having to isolate. Can we please remind you that lockdown restrictions still apply and these gatherings are not permitted by law.

We have been made aware that there are some incidences in which children have been unwell with upset tummies, headaches and cold like symptoms and have gone on to test positive for Covid. If you are unsure please book your child a Covid test and keep them, and their siblings, at home until you receive the results.

