



Outdoor  
And  
Sustainability  
Education  
Specialists

## INFORMATION ABOUT OASES



- OASES is a registered Charity: OUTDOOR AND SUSTAINABILITY EDUCATION SPECIALISTS  
Registered Charity no: 1041301  
Registered as a charity on the 6th October, 1994.

- OASES is a registered Company Limited by Guarantee:

OUTDOOR AND SUSTAINABILITY EDUCATION SPECIALISTS LIMITED  
Registered Company no: 02963142  
Incorporated as a company on the 30th August, 1994.

- OASES's registered office:

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### ARTICLES:

Outdoor And Sustainability Education Specialists (OASES) stated object are to:

To promote for the benefit of the public the conservation, protection and improvement of the physical and natural environment by promoting biological diversity.

To advance the education of the public, especially children and young people, in the conservation, protection and Improvement of the physical and natural environment, to enable them to make choices and take actions that create a more sustainable world where all can thrive.

To promote and encourage engagement with outdoor and sustainable activities which support peoples' wellbeing, especially for children and young adults.

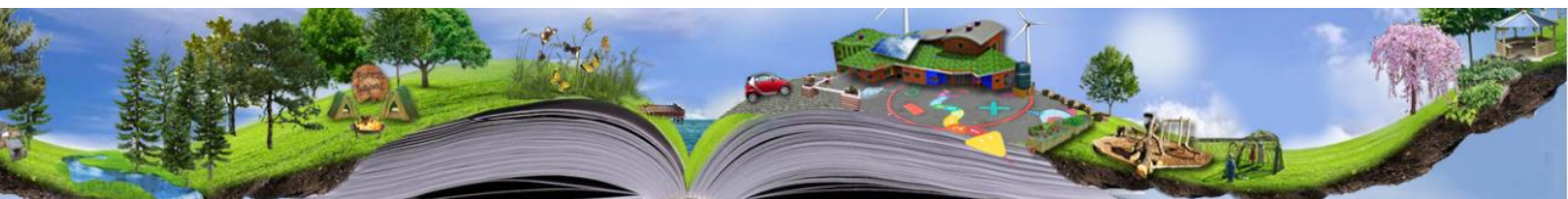
### VISION:

'To create a more sustainable world where all children can thrive.'

### SUMMARY:

OASES aims to create a more sustainable world where all children can thrive, by ensuring that children and young people have access to impactful outdoor learning experiences and good quality global sustainability education.

Through its work OASES seeks to instil an appreciation of nature and a love of the planet. We educate about issues like climate change, natural resource depletion, the ecological crisis and plastic pollution to ensure that children and young people understand the implications of their 'everyday' choices in order to enable a more sustainable future for all. We facilitate discussion and action to combat eco and climate anxiety.



## IMPACT:

OASES primarily works with schools to ensure that young people have access to outdoor learning experiences and global sustainability education. Through its work OASES aims to engender an appreciation of nature and a love of the planet in young people, helping to create a more sustainable future for all.

In an average financial year OASES works with over 500 schools, influences hundreds of teachers and engages thousands of children.

Although OASES is based within the north east of England, and most of its direct delivery occurs in this area, the internet has made global provision possible. For example, the recent ECO2 Smart Schools Climate Conference reached over 4,000 pupils from 130 schools spread across 13 different countries.

## DELIVERY:

OASES currently delivers a range of **consultancy** services to schools under the three themes of: Engaging Pupils; Inspiring Teachers; Enhancing Schools. As experts, the OASES team can assist with all aspects of outdoor learning and global sustainability education including energy saving advice, Eco-Schools engagement, global learning, school grounds development, Forest Schools, Beach Schools, Active Learning, growing projects....

OASES also delivers projects on behalf of other organisations (e.g. Woodland Trust, Forestry Commission, Environment Agency), local authorities (e.g. Durham County Council, Sunderland City Council) and charitable foundations (e.g. The Heritage Lottery Fund, Children In Need, The Ernest Cook Trust, The Wellsley Foundation).

Recently we have delivered a range of projects including: **'Wild About the Derwent Valley'**, an AAP funded project that took classes of children into their local natural environment to complete the John Muir Award by discovering, exploring, conserving and sharing their local 'wild' place; **'Growing Together'**, a Children in Need funded project that encourages disadvantaged families to grow, harvest and cook together, delivered through after school club provision; **'C4CC?'**, a Durham University funded project that engages children with the issue of climate change, films their concerns and enables them to take appropriate action.

