

# Kestrel Class

## News

We are continuing to enjoy getting to know our new friends and had lots of fun celebrating number day, dressing up in colours, choosing our favourite shapes and wearing numbers. Kestrel have been participating in an online musical club electric umbrella which we have really enjoyed, following instructions and participating in music and dance.

Every member of Kestrel class has been working hard and enjoying various lessons and activities. And lots of sensory fun along the way!



## Literacy and Communication

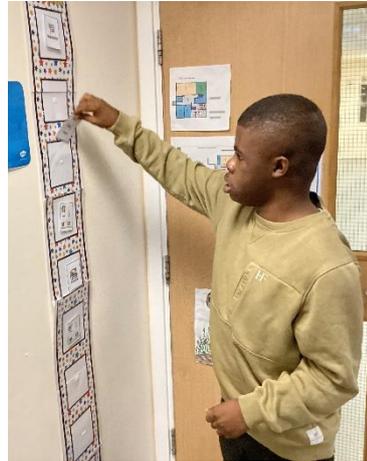
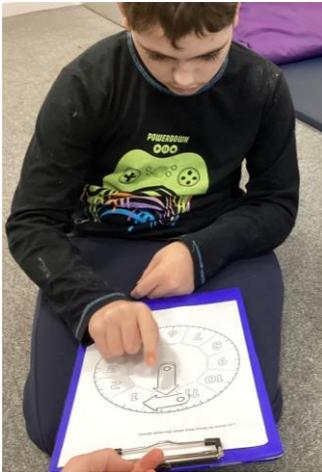
Every day we continue to practise our literacy and communication skills, we are enjoying sharing and listening to each other's weekend news. We are also becoming a lot more independent by using our symbolised menus and choosing our lunches each morning and then sharing all about our lunch break at afternoon registration.

We have enjoyed some new books this term including 'Serens Seasons' we have been enjoying this as a sensory story which all the class have engaged in. We continue to enhance our reading skills and enjoy our one-to-one time following our reading scheme.



## Maths

Ketsrel Class have been continuing our focus on time working hard in maths this term. We have been using our lessons to play time games, make clock faces and enjoy using our time tables to independently know whats coming up in our day.



## ASDAN

Kestrel Class continues to work on our ASDAN units this term, lots of focus on writing skills and sharing personal information.

We have really enjoyed engaging in new creative activities which have seen our pupils getting creative making items such as keyrings, melting chocolate, balloon art, sock bunnies and using moulds to create different shapes and working with water beads.



We have continued to work and develop our ICT skills using laptops and our interactive touch screen and even taking turns to play on our game consoles in our common room. Which is great for team building and our fine motor skills. We have also used different forms of technology around the college, including a blender to make smoothies and the microwave to make mash potato! 😊

## Work Experience



In work experience this term Kestrel have been enjoying learning about hair, health and beauty. We have had the chance to learn about hair care, how to wash our hair and different ways to style. The boys have learnt new shaving skills and we even got to experiment with nail polish!



## Upcoming Events

Bank holiday 21st May

Bank Holiday 5th May

Mental Health Awareness Day 12th May

ORE project visit 20<sup>th</sup> May



