



Park Community Academy



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End of Summer Term - Friday 17th July 2020

PCA closes on Friday 17th July at 3pm for the Summer holidays. We re-open on Wednesday 2nd September.

Glimpses of Brilliance

Congratulations to all pupils who contributed to our end of year show in the hall 'Glimpses of Brilliance'. There are some fantastic pieces of work that really showcase the talents and achievements of everybody with work done both at home and in school over the last four months during lockdown.



Lower Primary

In school, the children have enjoyed taking part in PCA's Be Active week. They worked hard to beat their scores in the PE challenges and were very proud of earning their medals. Back in class, the children talked about which challenge they liked the most and were best at, as well as which

challenge they would like to improve on.

Meanwhile, Archie in 1P didn't let the rainy weather deter him and enjoyed a trip to the zoo with his family! The learning in school and at home this term has been all about animals so it's fantastic to see children following up this learning in their local community, well done.



Upper Primary

One of the things we love about our PCA pupils is they never stop learning. Emire has done something brilliant at home this week, she learnt to ride her bike without stabilisers.



In school, Lottie has been working really hard with her phonics and has written all of these CVC words by herself! We are really impressed. Well done girls!

Lower & Upper Primary Stars of the Week!

- 1R - Rio for his fantastic work ordering numbers.
- 1B - Sienna for increased confidence and a positive attitude towards her learning in school.
- 1P - Harley for fantastic progress using the toilet in school.
- 2CR - Khaleesi for fantastic enthusiasm when learning about the life cycle of a caterpillar.
- 2H - Leo L for sensible DT work and Joe for being a star at school all term.
- 2B - Madison for settling back into school so sensibly.
- 2HY - Aiden for his creative puppet making at school.
- 2C - Rory for his thoughtful contributions in PSHE this week.
- 2G - Emire for learning to ride her bike without stabilisers. Well done for fitting this in as well as attending school.



Key Stage 3

KS3 have been having fun in school. One group has been reading 'Beaver Towers' where Philip is whisked away on a kite by a magical cloud.

The pupils designed their very own dragon-themed kits inspired by this story and successfully flew them in the wind.



Sports Week

Well done to everybody who has taken part in the PCA beactive Sports Week.

The pupils have shown great determination and persistence when

completing the 8 challenges. Thank you for all the fantastic pictures people have sent in of their child completing the activities at home.



KS4/5 'Achiever of the Week'

4W - Seven has been great when he has been in school taking on all the challenges of the week and developing his atlas skills.

4B - Corey for excellent work in his bubble, creating a coat of arms and solving place value mysteries in maths.

4A - Ryan for great maths work in school this week.

4T - Jake M for showing tremendous perseverance during lockdown in working from home and learning new skills. He has also been terribly brave in the preparation for a hospital operation.

4M - Chloe M for her ongoing hard work and dedication to her home learning during lockdown.

5T - Reece for trying hard with his home schooling.

5P - Philip for having a great attitude towards being back at school.

5B - Keira for returning to school and being truly fabulous.

Key Stage 3 'Achiever of the Week'

3GR - Jamie-Lee for some excellent learning at home.

3T - Faith for managing change with enthusiasm.

3W - Jorja for having a really positive attitude and working hard while at home.

3H - Aimee-Leigh for embracing the new school routine and working well with her peers.

3I - Kamron for continuing to practice his drumming at home, Emma for exercising so much at home - she has been a dancing queen, and Victoria & Gabriela for remaining cheerful and happy at all times.

3S - Dylan for completing his home learning work.

Key Stage 4

This week some of our bubble pupils had the opportunity to write back to their pen pals at Highfield Leadership Academy as part of a penpal lockdown project. Our secondary pupils have also been developing their atlas and map skills through researching countries, capital cities, currency and languages of Europe as well as researching about the FIFA world cup and Summer Olympics locations - keeping in with the PCA Sports Week theme. We have had some pupils in school working on their mental health by listening to meditation music, mindfulness activities whilst using banana boat chairs and mood lighting.



At home as well as in school, KS4 have been taking part in the PCA be active week by taking on the challenges set by Mr Johnson and Mr Whittaker in their PE sessions or at home. It's been a great way to stay active and support each other.



Key Stage 5 (WSFC)

KS5 have had another action packed week with their home learning and in school activities.

It's been great to see so many involved in our 'PCA Be Active' Sports Day activities and working together as a team.

Pupils in school have been busy designing their own theme parks this week, this included looking at the designing and costing elements before they had to pitch their ideas to the rest of the group - fantastic work by all!



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