

# Park Community Academy



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## Staffing Update

This week we bid a sad farewell to Mr Duncan, our Assistant Site Manager. Throughout today pupils & staff gave him the best send off they could.

Mr Duncan has worked at PCA for the last 6 years and together, he and Mr Jones have made a formidable 'DREAM TEAM'! He takes up a promoted post at Kirkham Grammar School next week and we wish him all the very best in his new role and thank him wholeheartedly for all of his hard work at PCA! Good Luck Mr D!



## Baby News

CONGRATULATIONS to Mrs Goulding (class 3G) and her husband Jon on the birth of their beautiful baby girl, Evie Isabella.



**Children In Need** - Thank you to all the parents & carers who have donated for Children In Need. We have raised a massive £744 and counting!!

## Upper Primary

In Science, 2M have learnt lots of new scientific language this week! They learnt about solids and liquids, and how water changes to ice when cold. They then tried to melt their ice cube, as fast as they could!

Some of them had very cold hands!

What solids and liquids can you find around the house?



## Lower Primary

1C have had a fantastic week. The pupils made poppies and displayed them on the

Remembrance Day display. They have also been role playing being a soldier and have marched like soldiers down the corridors in their new building. They have also enjoyed a Science lesson using their 5 senses, where they tasted lots of different foods.



## Lower & Upper Primary Stars of the Week!

1B - Heidi for fantastic walking in her frame this week. Super job!

1P - Harry-blu for having a fantastic attitude, for going above & beyond to help his teachers & friends and doing the best in his work.

1C - Jaxon for always having a great big smile on his face and for trying lots of different foods in Science using his 5 senses.

2B - Lucas for impressing his teachers with his wonderful writing.

2HD - James for independent working in Maths.

2M - Zahra for fantastic Maths work and Miley for having a better week.

2HY - Jack for his fantastic Art work.

2H - Ollie for being courageous learning to ride the bikes & scooters in PE.

2C - Jensen for working hard and being so independent.

★
**The Best Class Attendance of the Week**
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**CONGRATULATIONS**

to class 2C who had **100%** attendance this week.

**Weekly Attendance** - The average weekly attendance this week is **95.8%**

### Key Stage 3

3J have been working really hard in their Maths lessons to improve their addition skills.



This week they enjoyed playing addition games with each other to practice what they had learnt.

### KS4/5 'Achiever of the Week'

4H - Gabriela for great comprehension work in English.

4W - Ged for helping others in ICT lessons and Andrew for a great week & intelligent contributions in Science & Humanities.

4M - Connor H for his excellent work in Science experimenting with circuits, identifying what components are needed for circuits to work.

4I - Harvey for giving suggestions in class.

5T - Mirabelle for being adaptable and dealing with changes in a calm & mature manner.

5C - Connor for a brilliant presentation in BTEC Vocational studies.

5P - Kelsey for always being helpful and a great team member of 5P.

5B - Ryan for his excellent ICT skills this week. He created his own Avatar with animation and voice over. Well done.

### Sign of the Week

The sign this week is 'children'.

For all the children that Pudsey and Children in Need help around the UK.



### Key Stage 4

4W have been taking part in a variety of Remembrance activities this week. They watched a WW1 Webinar from a soldier's point of view,

our School Council rep took part in the Secondary Remembrance Ceremony and the whole class

contributed to creating poppies for the PCA Remembrance display in the hall.



### Key Stage 3 'Achiever of the Week'

3G - Mason for being extra good at home this week keeping himself very busy.

3T - Teaghan for her excellent letter writing skills.

3W - Kristopher for always using his manners.

3S - Jason, Sharu and Ryan for completing set classwork when home learning.

3GR - Nathan for his mature attitude and knowledge while watching WW1 on Zoom on Remembrance Day.

3J - Ellie for her excellent independent writing.

### Key Stage 5 (WSFC)

5B have been repotting spider plants to raise money for Children In Need. Well done 5B!



### Dates for your Diary

Friday 18 December, 2pm - End of Autumn Term

Tuesday 5 January - Start of Spring Term

Friday 12 February - School closes for half term

Monday 22 February - School re-opens

### PCA Twitter Feeds & Class Blogs

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You can also view your child's class blog on the PCA website: - [www.park.blackpool.sch.uk](http://www.park.blackpool.sch.uk) under the 'Life at PCA' tab.