



Park Community Academy



25 June 2021

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Bendrigg Residential

Year 11 pupils had a great time at Bendrigg Lodge this week! They have been canoeing, walking, climbing and abseiling, and went on the tube slide and big swing.



Everyone also enjoyed the delicious meals provided by the catering staff.

Covid Update

Following a meeting with Dr Arif (Director of Public Health for Blackpool), it has been agreed that Secondary pupils & staff will resume wearing face coverings during lessons. However, if your child is exempt this will not be necessary.

Please can I remind all parents & carers of the need to socially distance and wear a face covering when on the school site. Many thanks.

Mrs Hughes

Lower Primary

1B have really enjoyed practising their number skills this week using the story of The Very Hungry Caterpillar!



The children fed the caterpillar a number of different fruits and vegetables and had to count out the right number very carefully. Great work everyone!

Lower & Upper Primary Stars of the Week!

1B - Harry C for being a kind friend and learning to use his hands for more good things. Well done.

1P - Jacob for knowing his letter sounds in phonics.

1C - Connor for being very enthusiastic when learning about animals in Africa. Well done.

2B - Harley for doing such a great job looking after the class pets.

2HD - Patrick for following instructions first time every time.

2M - Zahra for her reading and confidence talking about what she had read.

2HY - Charlie for participating more in lunchtime games with his friends.

2H - Trey for always trying his best.

2C - William G for his enthusiasm for reading.

Upper Primary

2HD have been learning about the seaside in Victorian times. They have been looking at how the entertainment industry has changed. They enjoyed a Punch & Judy show then worked in groups to create their own puppet show.



The Best Class Attendance of the Week

CONGRATULATIONS

to class 2B who had 97.7% attendance this week.

Weekly Attendance - The average weekly attendance this week is **92.6%**

Key Stage 5 (WSFC)

KS5 students have been busy making planters this week in conjunction with the VIY Careers project. The materials were kindly donated by Travis Perkins. Everyone had a great day!

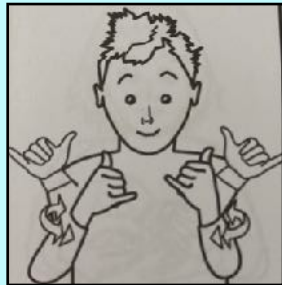


KS4/5 'Achiever of the Week'

- 4H - Kamron for a great effort in his assessments.
- 4W - Ged for taking part in the Play rehearsals.
- 4M - All our Year 11 leavers for making us smile. We are very proud of them and wish them all the best for the future.
- 4I - All of the Year 11 pupils for making us so proud in their last year of school! Good luck.
- 5T - Well done to Samuel, Chloe, Jake, Lydia and Jack P for completing the NCS programme.
- 5C - Lewis C for for fantastic work in the VIY woodwork workshop making planters for Mrs Mulvey's garden area.
- 5P - Frankie & Gabby for completing a week of work experience, getting fully involved in all activities and being good role models.
- 5B - Kieran for enthusiasm and an excellent attitude in everything this week.

Sign of the Week

This week's sign is "celebrate". Congratulations to the Year 11's for successfully completing their residential.



Dates for your Diary

- Wednesday 30 June, 4-7pm** - Parents Evening
- Tuesday 6 July, 1.30pm tbc** - Year 11 Leavers Assembly
- Tuesday 13 July, 10am** - Upper Primary Leavers Assembly
- Tuesday 13 July, 10.30-11.30am** - SENDIASS session for parents & carers
- Friday 16th July, 2pm** - School closes for the Summer holidays

Primary Sports Week

'Primary Sports Week' is taking place from Monday 28th June - Wednesday 30th June. Therefore, Primary school pupils should attend school in their PE kit (red top and black shorts or tracksuit bottoms) on these days, as they will be practicing 5 different challenges testing their balance, agility and coordination.

All pupils will receive a medal during a special ceremony on Wednesday afternoon to celebrate both effort and participation.

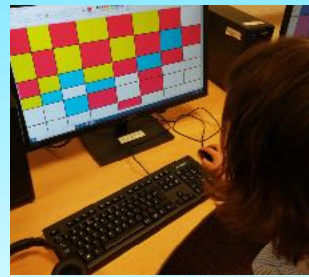
The 5 activities have been shared on the PCA primary twitter feed @PCAprimary, so please encourage your child to practice at home in preparation for next week.

Key Stage 3

3T have been looking at examples of Mondrian's art. Pupils used the computer program Microsoft Paint to make their own Mondrian-inspired computer art. Pupils had to try their best to draw



straight lines without kinks in them - this is trickier than you think! They then had to fill each box with red, blue, or yellow. Pupils then got to create their own attempts of a Mondrian-inspired piece of art using colours of their choice. Didn't they do well!



Key Stage 3 'Achiever of the Week'

- 3G - Rio for making everyone in class feel so welcome, especially any visitors.
- 3T - Liam for his enthusiasm when practicing for the Summer Production.
- 3W - Kristopher for his enthusiastic singing in rehearsals and remembering the tricky lyrics.
- 3S - Faith for starting song rehearsals with great confidence in her solo.
- 3GR - All of 3GR for their resilience and maturity this week.
- 3J - Imogen M for having a very positive attitude to school work and being kind to her peers.

Key Stage 4

Jermaine has been enjoying making patterns and building with blocks. He managed to get to four high and we were amazed, and then he took it to the next level! Amazing patience and concentration.

