

Park Community Academy



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Buildings Update

We are pleased to report that Clement Dickens Construction are making good progress with the Jubilee building extension.

Now that the roof timbers are in place, the roof installation can commence and we are rapidly approaching the stage where the



building can be made secure and work can commence on the interior of the extension.

Most pleasingly we are on schedule for the building to be ready for September 2020.



Staffing Update

This week we said goodbye to Miss Mason who is leaving PCA to take up a position in a residential childcare setting. Well known to PCA before joining our staff having worked with our children as a swimming teacher for Blackpool Council, Miss Mason joined us as an Apprentice Teaching Assistant in 2018 and it is great to see her take the next step on her career path. Thank you and the best of luck for the future from everyone at PCA.



Lower Primary

The Lower Primary pupils have been very busy both at home and in school this week. At home, teachers have been pleased to see pupils completing their work on Bug Club and Education City.

In school, pupils made the most of the hot weather by spending time in the forest classroom. They listened to a story, went on a bear hunt and played hide and seek. Keep up the good work everyone!



Upper Primary

Thank you to all the parents/carers who are emailing their class to tell them what the children have been doing at home and sending in photos, we love seeing them! This week Logan's mum showed us the design Logan had made for his dream garden and then the den he made outside. In school the children have worked hard and in Laiba's bubble they designed and made their own dream catcher. Great work everyone!



Lower & Upper Primary Stars of the Week!

- 1R - James J for managing his personal care independently.
- 1B - Connor for working really hard at home on his home learning activities.
- 1P - Archie for doing really well completing all his work on Education City.
- 2CR - Isaac for trying hard at home and engaging in lots of different activities, including counting and learning colours.
- 2H - Zahra for adjusting to change really well.
- 2B - Connor for trying his best when working from home.
- 2HY - Louie for his excellent home workout videos.
- 2C - Monty for some fantastic ideas and great listening.
- 2G - Alfie for amazing work on co-ordinates in Maths.

PCA Twitter Feeds

To keep up to date about what is happening with your child at PCA, why not follow us - @PCABlackpool, @PCAprimary, @PCAsecondary and @PCAWSFC.

You don't need a Twitter account to be able to view our Twitter feeds, you just need to Google search the Twitter feeds above.

Key Stage 5 (WSFC)

Earlier in the year, Keira collected some frog spawn and as part of her home learning has been looking at the life cycle stages of a frog. What a great opportunity to watch them develop in the space of your own garden!

Fantastic piece of practical home learning - well done Keira!



KS4/5 'Achiever of the Week'

4W - Lewis B for working independently with great focus.

4B - Natasha for her Bug Club usage.

4A - Joe E for lots of brilliant work from home.

4T - Charlie B for all of the home learning she has completed this week.

4M - Jake F for excellent calculations during Maths work.

5T - Karl for his patience & leadership skills - he has helped others & made sure everyone felt part of the group.

5P - Frankie for a great week of home learning & her positive attitude, and Lewis C for his fantastic team work & leadership skills, demonstrating to others how to use trangia safety outside.

5B - Danielle for always keeping positive and being productive in the garden this week.

Key Stage 3

Here is Scott from 3S working super hard on his English work this week. First, pupils had to come up with as many different words they could think of to use instead of the word 'said' - Mrs Hurst's favourite was "roared". Then they had to use a range of



connectives to join sentences from the book we are reading - "The Twits". Well done Scott!

Also, here is Blerina looking after her pony which she can now ride without a bridle.



National Online Safety

We are working closely with the National Online Safety team who have lots of resources, guides and courses designed to help keep our pupils safe. For more information go to <http://nationalonlinesafety.com/enrol/park-community-academy> and register as a parent/carer.



Key Stage 3 'Achiever of the Week'

3GR - Ruby for learning all about fish on a trip with her Dad.

3T - Jason for producing excellent art work from home.

3W - Reece W for always trying his best & being a kind friend.

3H - Crystal for excellent work in the Forest School.

3I - Nathan B & Victoria who have been helping their families do lots of jobs.

3S - Phoebe & Katrece for great email contact showing all of their English work they are completing.

Key Stage 4



Lexi in 4B enjoyed a family trip to Bendrigg this weekend. She was able to show her family the amazing facilities that the centre has and what activities she took part in when she attended the KS4 residential during February of this year. The weather held out for Lexi and her family with beautiful

sunshine unlike the snow we had during our visit earlier in the year!

Some of our KS4 bubble groups have been using bow and arrows as part of their PE lessons this week to practice their hand eye coordination. Group S4 have been doing a Maths lesson about costs of sweets in a sweet shop, they had to calculate values per 100g and then solve the word problems. To make it more hands on they all had their own bag of sweets to help support their learning and as a tasty treat which they could eat once finished!

Our home learners this week have been keeping on top of their Bug Club reading, especially Natasha in 4B and Charlie in 4T has completed all of her home learning tasks this week too. Jack in 4W has been working his way through lots of Maths work this week as well. Great work everyone!

