



Park Community Academy



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Staffing Update

This week we said goodbye and thank you to Mrs Jowett as she finishes her secondment to PCA and returns to Waterloo Primary. Mrs Jowett was really touched by the lovely cards and



messages the children & staff had sent to say goodbye.

We have loved having her work with our children & families and wish her all the best for the future!

Baby News

CONGRATULATIONS

to Mrs Temple and her family who have welcomed Isabel into the world. She's beautiful!



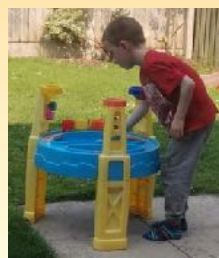
Lower Primary

Lower Primary pupils in the key worker bubble have enjoyed a challenge day this week. They've had lots of activities to complete all around the theme of 'space'. If they collected all the stickers for all the activities they received a trophy at the end of the day. They all worked so hard to earn their trophies, well done!



Meanwhile, Connor has been making some lovely brownies and rice crispies cakes this week at home. He followed the instructions with help from his big sister who is in Key Stage 3 and we think their bakes look yummy! It has

been fantastic to see our Lower Primary pupils also taking full advantage of the Summer weather by going to the beach and exploring sand and water play.



Upper Primary

Our bubbles of primary pupils have been very busy in school. Leo's group have been learning about Elmer the Elephant, they wrote about it, completed elephant calculations and painted their own elephant.



At home, Frank has been designing and making pizzas for his family. Great work everyone!



Pupils in school had a great time in their PE lesson. They loved bowling, archery and the parachute games. They even got to play a game of sleeping lions.



We had a fantastic PE lesson today. We had lots of activities, bowling, parachute and archery.

PIC-COLLAGE

Lower & Upper Primary Stars of the Week!

- 1R - Logan G for being a good role model to others in school.
- 1B - Isobel for being a superstar every day in school.
- 1P - Addison for adjusting really well to being back at school and doing really well when he is there.
- 2CR - Bentley for working hard on his home activity book and enjoying drawing a bus using different shapes.
- 2H - Grace for being able to write her name.
- 2B - Riley for making a wonderful 'shape city' in school.
- 2HY - Jensen for working really hard at home and at school.
- 2C - Matthew for his fantastic work drumming rhythms with his hands and feet.
- 2G - Sarah for reading every night before bedtime. Great routine Sarah, well done.

Key Stage 4

Finley in 4W has been spending a significant amount of time working on his own comic book series during lockdown. This week he has produced a final draft of his new addition 'Love at First Sight'. A great effort Finley, well done!



Our school groups this week have been learning about their family coat of arms, understanding fractions with smarties and have received some letters from Highfield Learning Academy pupils as part of a pen pal project and are looking forward to writing their responses soon. Other pupils have been working towards completing pieces of work to add to a time capsule being buried at the new Blackpool Museum called Showtown which will open in 2021, as well as using their functional English and Maths skills to write a pizza menu and bake a healthy pizza for our lunch.

Our home learners have continued to work through their Home Learning challenges as well as access work packs sent home for those without internet access.



Sports Week

Next week is the PCAbeactive Sports Week. Over the course of the week, pupils can try out the 8 different challenges, which can be found on Twitter or the home learning tab on the school website. Please send in any pictures of your child completing the challenges at home through either Twitter or the class email.

KS4/5 'Achiever of the Week'

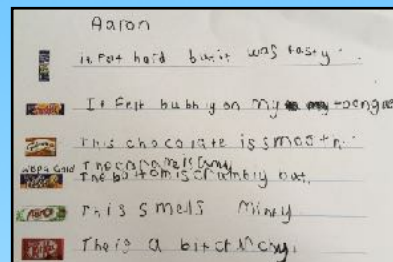
- 4W - Finley for his continued art work at home, where he has produced some magnificent comics.
- 4B - Olivia for listening to instructions and completing all her work in school. She was brilliant at the 'guess the film' emoji quiz, looking at pictures of emojis & solving the clues.
- 4A - Josh H for brilliant contributions in all lessons since his return to school.
- 4T - Aron for always coming into school with a positive attitude.
- 4M - Kaitlin for excellent contributions to our PSHE discussions about positive relationships.
- 5T - Mirabelle for showing great independence at home, going to the shops and getting the shopping done.
- 5P - Connor D for a great week of home learning and contributing to the class 'zoom'.
- 5B - Nat for showing off his football skills and his flexibility.

Key Stage 3 'Achiever of the Week'

- 3GR - Harry for adapting well to the changes in school and trying his hardest.
- 3T - Lucius for always showing maturity when walking to and from school with his younger brother.
- 3W - Elisha for trying hard with her work and learning new skills.
- 3H - Imogen for a positive attitude at home and in school.
- 3I - Aaron for being so creative and imaginative.
- 3S - Tyler Q for embracing his return to school with a positive attitude.

Key Stage 3

On Wednesday, the pupils had 'chocolate day' - they tasted chocolate and wrote sentences with adjectives.



Here is Emire trying all the chocolate and work from Aaron in 3I.

Key Stage 5 (WSFC)

This week KS5 have been practicing their Master Chef skills in the kitchen. Pupils have been developing a variety of cross curriculum skills by following recipes, weighing ingredients working out cooking times and enjoying the final products before reviewing the outcomes.



Lots of children in KS3 are returning completed home learning packs to their teachers and working hard at home. Katie has watched her sunflowers grow from tiny seeds to strong plants and can't wait for them to flower! Also Phoebe & Katrece have been busy creating their own hand washing posters. Fantastic advice girls, well done!

