



St Andrew's Academy

Family Updates Newsletter

Learning Together, Achieving Together

Friday 3rd February 2022

Head Teacher's welcome

At St Andrew's, we take all aspects of e-safety very seriously. Our curriculum is designed to deliver key messages, knowledge and information in order for every learner to be able to understand how to be safe when using the internet. Safer Internet Day takes place next week on Tuesday 7th Feb and we use it as a focal point for the calendar to further raise the profile and importance of navigating the digital world in a safe and appropriate way. Please check out next week's newsletter to find out how our young people benefitted from the awareness day. In the meantime, if you'd like to prepare your young person or keep informed yourself, please click on the link below <https://saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/safer-internet-day-2023>

David Braybrooke
Head of School

Important Dates

February Half Term – Monday 20th to Friday 24th February

Easter Holidays – Monday 3rd to Friday 14th April

INSET Day - Monday 17th April



www.standrewsacademy.co.uk

wednesday
February 15th 2023
Cafe is open
10:00Am until 11:30AM



Valentine's day cafe

Ran by St Andrews FE students and teachers all classes from all years and parents welcome to join us. We do drinks and food hope you will join us.

thank you from St Andrews FE Campus

Additional information

We are asking customers and staff to give a bit more money because we are fundraising for a new sign at the top of fieldsway drive

**ST PHILIPS CHURCH
HALL TADDINGTON RD,
CHADDESSEN, DERBY
DE21 4JU**

Poster designed by Josh Barrett, Year 12

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Makaton forms a key role in the way we communicate at St Andrew's. Please see below for our sign of the week. This is shared with whole staff during our weekly briefing and then used within our school community thereafter.



Sign of the week

Our sign this week is:

White



Hubbub February Half Term

Thursday 23rd and Friday 24th February 2023
10am - 3pm

What will we be doing?



dance and movement



drama



socialising

Workshops are all FREE, funded by the Reimagine project



art and craft

Open to learning disabled and autistic young people aged 12-25


hubbub
theatre
company


Where?



Deda - 19 Chapel Street Derby

How do I sign up?

 01332 374 665

 karla@hubbubtheatre.org

Residential

A few residential students enjoyed catching the bus in to Derby, to visit the Derby Wall Art Project at the Cathedral. The canvases captured student's experiences and emotions during the Covid pandemic. Max was even able to find his own work.



Derby City Youth Mayor

- This week we have focused on the opportunity to engage with students on democracy. The students have been busy taking part in this year's Derby City Youth Mayor elections.

Prior to the voting process, the students had the opportunity to view each candidate's speech to enable them to vote for the candidate that they would like to be the next Youth Mayor

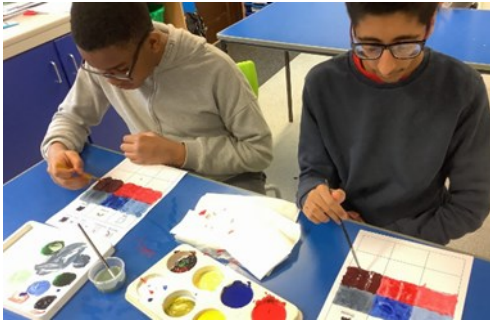
Students came in the hall and elected who they would like to vote for and posted their vote in the ballot box.



Bute



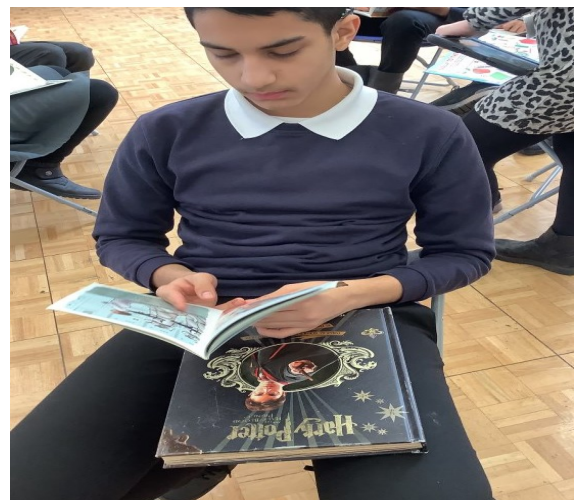
In our PSHE lessons, we have been discussing different relationships we have in our life. We have looked at relationships at home, in school and online. We are confident in knowing how we stay safe



We have been mixing colours to make tints and shades. We can't wait to show you our Chinese dragon art next week!



We now spend everyday reading for pleasure and even took the time to visit our school library.



UpRising Inclusive Choir

FREE

Face-to-face and virtual rehearsals so that you can join in however is best for you!

Face to Face: Once every half-term on a Saturday 3.00 - 4.30pm, Alfreton Park School, Derbyshire, DE55 7AL

Virtual Rehearsals: Fortnightly, Wednesdays 5.00 - 6.00pm on Zoom.

All our sessions are **FREE** and welcome people up to age 25 and their families.

The choir celebrates that everyone has their own way of sharing their voice. You can make sounds or movements, use instruments or soundmakers.



derbyshiremusic hub.org.uk/inclusive



Barra Class

Barra students enjoyed their community this week, catching the bus to go shopping for food technology and the Duke of Edinburgh enterprise. They also had a snack in Tesco cafe where a member of the public came over and remarked upon what amazing students they were.

We are very proud of how mature they were, helping each other and being totally independent in the cafe.

Well done, all of you!



Taransay

Taransay do their bit for the R.S.P.B !



As part of National Birdwatch Week 2023, Taransay helped out by looking for birds on the playground to contribute to the R.S.P.B's birdwatch count. Taransay enjoyed taking part, they also made bird feeders and I think you'll agree we have some budding 'Twitchers'!

SALT & PEPPER CAFÉ

Run by our fabulous FE students
Open Wednesday and Friday 10.00 till 11:30am
Find us at Taddington Road Church Hall Chaddesden
DE21 4JU

Voluntary contributions welcomed

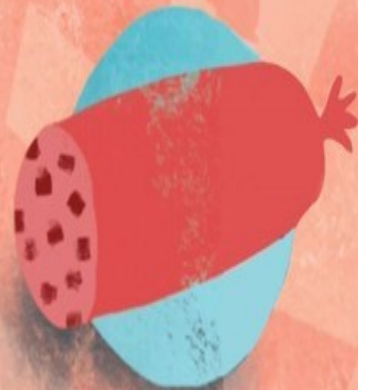
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