



Satellite News

March 2022

The latest news written by pupils at Canterbury Academy and Spires Academy Satellite Classes

Our visit from Macknade's Barista

What happened?

Daniel was teaching us about different coffee and tea at the main school in the DT room

How was the barista?

Daniel was good he was fun to talk to

What was your favourite drink he made?

My fav drink was the cappuccino coffee Daniel made

Did you get a turn making coffee?

Yes and it was fun all though I was a little nervous to make one



BY LUCY S5A

Have you seen your Earwig Timeline?

We have all been looking through our Timelines on Earwig. It has reminded us of all the great work we do and the fun that we have at school!

Parent and carers all have access to Earwig – and they can even add things you do at home. Enjoy reading your timeline! By Evie S1A



'Piper' by Katie S5B

We have been learning all about cells in Science.

We made a model of the DNA double helix out of sweets. It was a bit fiddly, but who knew DNA tasted so good?

Ellie-May. S1A



Duke of Edinburgh

By Alfie S5A

This term we have been learning to ski with Andy Bennett. We go to the dry ski slope in Chatham every Thursday.

In the picture Kyle is learning to use the button lift. Everyone fell off the first time they tried!

I have learned to ski down the slope using the pizza slice technique.



Estimation Challenge!

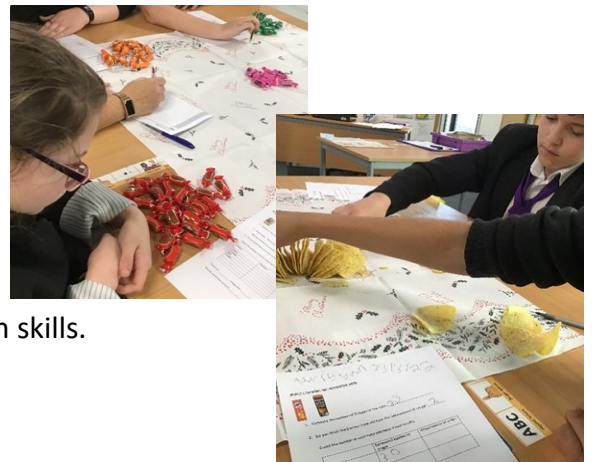
One day, I asked my teacher how many Pringles did she think were in a tub? It really made us think and so we did a whole Maths lesson on estimation based on this question.

We estimated the number of sweets in a jar, smarties in a tube and – of course – Pringles in a tub!

It was a really fun lesson and I think it helped our estimation skills.

(PS: The answer is 94 Pringles!)

Kimi. S1A



SCIENCE INVESTIGATIONS WITH LAURA



Thank you to Laura, the Science teacher who came to do some investigations with us.

We thought about what liquid is best at cleaning a dirty penny and set up a fair test.

The choices were brown sauce, washing up liquid, orange juice, lemon juice and coke. I think it will be coke – we will check our results in few days!

DOWN TO MARGATE!

ON MONDAY, I WENT TO MARGATE WITH ALL MY FRIENDS. WE WENT TO THE BEACH AND ATE OUR LUNCH. THEN WE WENT ON A WALK. WE SAW A LOT OF THINGS LIKE A SHELL PERSON. AFTER ALL THAT WE WENT AND GOT AN ICE CREAM. I HAD BANANA. IT WAS YUMMY. IT WAS A LOVELY SUNNY DAY. WE WENT BACK TO SCHOOL READY TO GO HOME. BY AMY, S2A.





Whitstable Museum

Reviewed by: Benjamin, S3A. Isabella, S3A.

Date: Monday 25th March 2022

Rating:

I enjoyed the Museum. It had trains and we had to learn about Peter Cushing, the actor that died before we were born. He played in Doctor Who and Frankenstein. We also made a grotto and saw a miniature war about the Government and War. This was the best time I had since Willsborough Windmill. By Ben.



We arrived in our bus and Peter came to meet us. We went inside and saw that it was full of old interesting things. I made a grotto from old oyster shells after we went to the beach to collect our own shells. It was a great day. By Isabella.



Living The Dream

On Friday 4th March, members of S5a performed in a large-scale musical theatre performance of “Living the Dream” at the Collier-Ferguson Hall in Canterbury with a live orchestra. The project involved students from 16 Kent SEND schools and was facilitated by The Big Reveal. Over the past two years, classes across the school have been involved in storytelling, drama, visual art and video work around a central story created by writer Martin Riley. S5a contributed to the story ideas, performed songs with signing and choreographed and performed the shark dance. Other St Nicholas students performed songs with signing, played percussion and built and operated two giant puppets. In addition to the performance, an exhibition of student’s visual art work and a story book containing student’s drawings has been produced.

What we really enjoy doing...



Samphire Hoe

We check the sheep's and cows, go for walks we also check the warning signs to not climb the cliffs or keep dogs on leads so they don't harm or disturb the animals and we do raking, cutting brambles and talking to someone in a safer way of keeping their dog on a lead and we all worked at Samphire Hoe really hard.

By Jack S4A

Lunch time club

We go to lunch time club at lunch time there is samba club and keyboard club and guitar club.

I like samba and I will go to it every week. From Layton s4a

I have really enjoyed Forest School this term. I want to be an Eco Man when I get older!

Lucas, S2A.

Samphire hoe.

At samphire hoe we look after the animals.

We do raking and bramble cutting.

We check the life rings.

We check if dogs are on their lead.

We listen to ranger Paul when he's talking.

I quite like it.

By Lyndon

Today we went to the Marlowe Theatre to practice our performance. The show we are performing is "Much Ado About Nothing". It will be on 28th March 2022. I play Leonato who is the father of Hero. I am looking forward to the play. We have all worked very hard, it's tiring, but it is fun. Parents are coming to watch us. I am feeling nervous, but excited at the same time. By Lacey S4A

Lacey S4A



Wishing everyone a happy and safe Easter.

We look forward to seeing you back at school for the start of term 5!