



The
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 School

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FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER

Assemblies this month

05/02/2018 - Keeping Healthy - Open Topic
 12/02/2018 - Keeping Healthy - Relationships
 26/02/2018 - Spring Festivals - Holi/Hindu

Form Focus:

- ★ 5th February - This week students took part in a reading task based around the topic of arranged marriages.
- ★ 12th February - The topic this week for students was family and marriage. They watched a video about families and discussed different relationships within the family unit.

LGBT MONTH



February is LGBT month and as part of this students at The Birkenhead Park School have been taking part in a series of assemblies and activities around relationships, families and marriage.

During the assemblies students discussed the importance of celebrating differences around sexuality and gender identities and looked at ways in which to support all diversity within school.

LGBT month focuses on the celebration and recognition of LGBT people and culture, past and present, to give scope to talk about the bigger picture of all LGBT experiences.



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Mathematics

In Mathematics students have been working with volume and area by solving real life problems.

Students have also been collecting their own data and discussing trends with information and deciding if data can be misleading.

History

Topics students have looked at this month have included:

- Black American segregation in 1950s USA
- The importance of the vote
- Is Fair Trade fair?
- The role of reporting in war and the impact of warfare on civilians.



Music

Year 9 students have been looking at the power of advertising on a target audience. They have discussed the impact and message that an audience takes from a particular advert.

Their task involved creating an advert soundtrack and then pitching their music to an advertising company.

Year 10 students have been planning, preparing and delivering a music product to a target audience. They then evaluated the strengths and weaknesses of their work.

Consent Assembly

During February students took part in a Health Relationships Assembly focussing on 'What do we mean by consent?'

This assembly discussed the definition of consent and The Sexual Offences Act 2003 as well as topics such as 'No Means No'.



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