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Lisa's Inspirational Quote

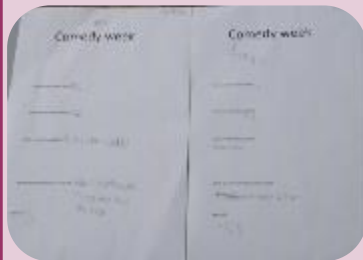
"A man who never made mistakes never made anything."

- Frank Heffley, *Diary of a Wimpy Kid*

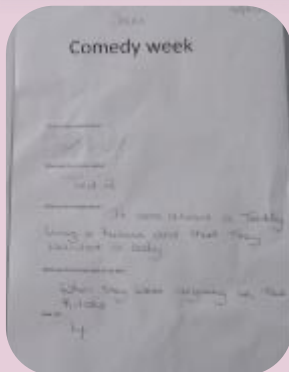
Comedy Week 2



This week we finished watching *TED 2*, and the pupils completed their reviews.



One pupil particular has the most infectious laugh!



Next week will be the end of term, so we will let the pupils choose a genre of their choice.

They will also be given popcorn and a drink, to enjoy a cinema experience.



Wandle Valley Academy Invites you to our annual Summer Fair

Time: 11-12.30pm

Date: Friday 19th July 2024

*Bouncy castle - arts and crafts - bake sale
- food stalls - beat the goalie & more!*

Any donations towards the Raffle would still be greatly received, thank you.

What a fabulous week it has been, with the Year 11 Leavers Celebrations, Rita's retirement and the whole school Sports Day. All of which were fantastic events that would never have been able to take place without the amazing support and dedication of the staff at Wandle.

Big thank you to both the Staff and the Pupils for making it another amazing week.

Miss Harris



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Rita is Retiring

After 28 years at Wandle Valley, Rita has decided it's time to hang up her keys and walkie talkie, to join her husband in retirement and settle for a slightly more peaceful past-time!



Rita said, „In my 28 years of Wandle, I have worked with loads of different people and pupils, and enjoyed it! Every day is different, even though it can be very challenging at times, but I am very grateful.“



I'm sure we can all agree that Rita will be greatly missed by staff, pupils and their families. We wish Rita every happiness for the future.



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Wandle Valley Sports Day



Friday saw a very successful Sports Day for Wandle. The whole school was split into 'countries' and everyone took part in a carousel of traditional and non-traditional sports day events, including shot put, high jump, obstacle course and lacrosse!



It was a close competition with just 15 points between the top three winners:

1st—Brazil—230 pts

2nd—France—215 pts

3rd—Sweden—210 pts



Well done to everyone for taking part!



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Primaries

Blue Class chose to do Mathematics during their free time



Our Year 6 pupil featured last week, has now achieved his Level 1 in Horse Care during the weekly Horse Riding activity.

He is now working towards his Level 2.

Let's all wish him luck with the next level!





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Year 11 Leavers Celebration

And so another year is coming to a close a Wandle, and we say goodbye to our Year 11s. It's always quite an emotional event for staff, pupils and their families and friends.



Our cohort this year was quite small compared to previous years, so it was a more intimate affair.



As our Leavers prepare themselves to move on to Post-16, we celebrated their time and their achievements whilst they were with us.

We wish them good luck on their future journeys.

