



Park Community Academy



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Year 6 Tower Wood Residential

We are really proud of our Year 6 pupils who have had such a great time at Tower Wood this week. They have enjoyed canoeing, scrambling and jumping in the lake! The pupils have also developed their independence skills by making their own beds and preparing their own lunches.

Well done everyone!



Upper Primary

In English, 2HY have been reading the story 'A Fun Hat'. They tried on lots of different types of hats - some of them were very funny!

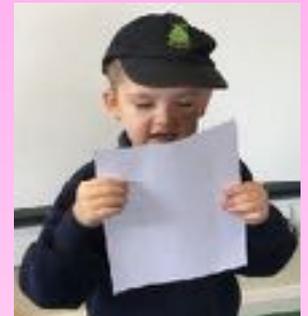
The pupils then wrote sentences and came up with lots of different adjectives to describe their hats.



Lower Primary

1H have been exploring poetry and rhyme in Literacy. This week, they worked in groups and performed a rhyme or poem to the rest of the group.

The pupils had to find props to improvise with to enhance



their performance, and also learn their chosen rhyme or poem.



Proposed Changes to Children's Centres

A review of Blackpool Children's Centres is underway. This could result in some Children's Centres closing, including the Together Centre at Woodlands. Have your say by emailing any comments about how this may impact you to:

childrenscentreconsultation@blackpool.gov.uk

You can read more about this on the Blackpool Council website. The consultations ends on 8th June.

The Best Class Attendance of the Week CONGRATULATIONS



to 2B, 2N, 2G, 3I and 3J who had 100% attendance this week.

Weekly Attendance - Our whole school attendance target for 2017-18 is 95.5%. The average weekly attendance this week is 96%.

KS1 & 2 Stars of the Week!

1R - Blake for an excellent drawing of his plant in Science.

1H - Tyler for his poetry performance.

2B - Aaron L for doing things straight away and completing all of his work this week.

2HY - Rio for excellent work in Phonics.

2H - Jacob S for improved independence.

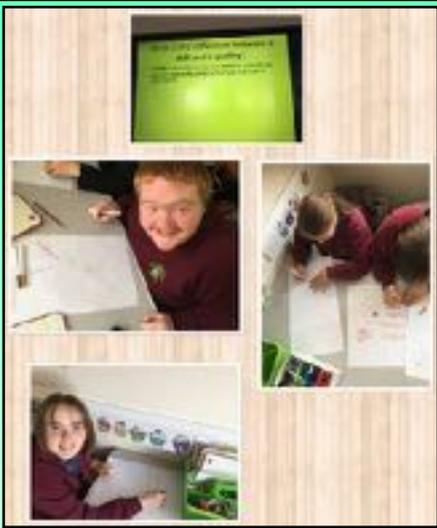
2N - Ruby for super work in Maths.

2C - Jake P for settling in brilliantly during his first week at PCA.

2G - All of 2G for being amazing at Tower Wood - we're very proud of them!

Key Stage 4

4BI have been learning about the difference between skills and qualities. They have been making a list of their different skills and have been discussing how they can use these skills in the world of work. The pupils have enjoyed telling each other which skills they think will help them reach their goals in the future.



Key Stage 3 'Achiever of the Week'

3S - Scott for catching up with all of his homework.

3W - Ryan K for excellent effort during lessons, and always giving things a try.

3T - Harvey for his increased participation in 'Move It Groove It'.

3I - Alex for joining in at Football Club.

3J - Chloe M for helping our younger children out on the yard.

3H - Aron for excellent manners and helping his class during the theatre trip.

Key Stage 3

In Art, 3S have been learning to 'take a line for a walk' in the style of artist Paul Klee. Pupils had to create a continuous line drawing without lifting their pencil from the paper. Well done to Dylan who excelled and worked really hard to finish his abstract artwork before anyone else.



Also, KS3 pupils have been making some super healthy salads. They made a tasty Greek salad and a warm chicken salad, all made with fresh ingredients. Both salads got the thumbs up from everyone - even the salad dodgers!



Key Stage 5 (WSFC)

Here is Cameron at the shops looking at local news, as part of the ASDAN course.

ECO News

ECO Warriors have been creating a 'Trashband' competition song for the conference next month, and have made instruments out of junk.

The prize is £200 for the winning school - fingers crossed!



Gaming: What parents and carers need to know

Are your children gaming? See CEOP's advice for parents/carers by following this link: <https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/articles/gaming/>

KS4/5 'Achiever of the Week'

4M - All of 4M for a fantastic performance at Ribby Hall Music Festival.

4B - Robert, Lewis C, Lewis B and Jack H for their commitment and preparation for the 10k Fun Run this Sunday.

4T - Lennox for his amazing effort in GCSE Maths, and helping his peers.

4BI - Nathan M for identifying and creating arrays for multiplication in Maths.

5S - Molly for working independently at Pizza Hut on her work experience placement.

5J - Rhyce for fantastic behaviour, and being really helpful keeping WSFC tidy.

Dates for your Diary

Friday 25 May - School closes for half term

Monday 4 June - School re-opens after half term

Thursday 7 June - FOPCA Bingo & Hotpot Supper

Monday 25 June, 6pm - Year 11 Prom, The Cliffs

Friday 29 June - Year 11 leaving date (10am Leavers Assembly)

Tuesday 3 July, 4-7pm - Summer Term Parents Evening

Thursday 12 July, 6pm - KS3&4 Summer Production

'Go for Goal!' more information to follow

Friday 20 July - School closes for the end of Summer Term

Vaccinations will take place on **Monday 21st May** for pupils in Year 8 (girls only), Year 9 and Year 10. This is only for pupils where consent has been given.