



# Park Community Academy



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## York Residential Trip

Year 9 pupils had an amazing trip to York last week and were still buzzing when they arrived for school on Monday morning. They especially enjoyed the trip to York's Chocolate Story, as well as visiting the Castle Museum, Jorvik Centre and the Railway Museum.



Everybody enjoyed an evening of Ten Pin bowling, although Mr Johnson wasn't impressed when he didn't win!

## Key Stage 2

2B have been working hard in Maths this week! They have been thinking about 'more' and 'less' and have enjoyed playing to help them learn through card games, snakes and ladders, and hunt the aliens on the playground.



The children also made towers and 'droids' with different amounts of bricks and compared which was the biggest - they found out that the taller towers had more bricks!

## Autumn Fayre Stall

Come along to KS2's Autumn Fayre stall tomorrow to be in with a chance of winning this giant cuddly teddy! If you would like it, all you need to do is guess the name.



## Key Stage 1

In Computing this week, 1R learned how to use the camera on an iPad. The children enjoyed choosing their favourite toys, people and locations around school to take photos of. Check out their photos to see 'school through our eyes'!



## Autumn Fayre - Saturday 30th September, 1-3pm

Please come along with your family and friends to PCA's Autumn Fayre tomorrow and enjoy games, stalls, food and refreshments!



## The Best Class Attendance of the Week CONGRATULATIONS



to 1R, 2C and 3W who all 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 95.9%

The monthly attendance for September is 95.8%



### Key Stage 3

3S have been looking at what happened to the people of the lost city of Pompeii.

They used melted chocolate (representing molten lava) to fill in moulds and let it harden to create their own chocolate bars.

They enjoyed eating the end product!



### Key Stage 3 'Achiever of the Week'

3S - Ellie for dressing herself in PE and putting her seatbelt on.

3W - Joshua E for producing fantastic work all week, and trying new things without any fuss.

3T - Rebecca for being very brave (and wanting to come back into school after her dentist visit).

3I - Natasha who tries her best in all lessons, and is polite and kind at all times.

3J - Jake F for doing some excellent Art work and always being creative.

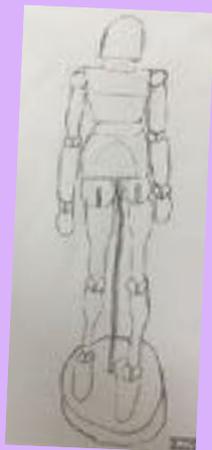
3H - Javier for taking everything in his stride.

### Key Stage 4

4B have been doing life drawings in Art.

Robert did a fantastic drawing and worked extremely hard on it.

Well done Robert!



### Dates for your Diary

**Saturday 30 September, 1-3pm** - Autumn Fayre

**Tuesday 24 October, 4-7pm** - Parents Evening

**Friday 27 October** - School closes for half term

**Monday 6 November** - School re-opens after half term

**Thursday 21 December, 2pm** - End of Autumn Term

**Tuesday 9 January** - Start of Spring Term

### KS1 & 2 Stars of the Week!

1R - Jaxon for using the toilet for the first time in school.

1H - Grace for growing in confidence and putting her hand up during together times.

2B - William for impressing all of his teachers this week by sequencing the life of Neil Armstrong.

2HY - Archie for really good phonics work and wearing his glasses.

2H - Daniel K for super Art work.

2N - Ryan H for answering questions very clearly in class.

2C - Christina for fantastic effort in English lessons and with her homework this week.

2G - Sean for amazing contributions to our legends work about George and the Dragon.

### Key Stage 5 (WSFC)

Sixth Form students have been identifying apps as part of raising awareness of online safety.



There are many apps that they identified as being unsafe to use. If they have concerns about an app, the students said they would tell someone that they trust.

### Sign of the Week

As a reminder for our Autumn Fayre tomorrow, here is the BSL sign for 'Autumn'.

See you all there!



### KS4/5 'Achiever of the Week'

4M - Katie for having a good week and being a lovely friend.

4B - Callum for improved eating habits.

4T - Reece S for showing resilience when facing challenges.

4BI - Liberty for trying really hard in Maths this week and developing an original method for counting in twos.

5S - Cameron for giving out lots of leaflets for the Autumn Fayre.

5J - Courtney for fantastic swimming at the After School Club.