

25th April 2024



St John's News

FE1



FE1 have been taking part in joint art projects with S8 from main site. This has been a great opportunity for our students to interact, exchange skills and socialise. It is also an opportunity for main site students to transition to FE and see what work we do here.



For the last two weeks students have been making paper lanterns. First, they blew up a balloon, then our students chose a colour of crepe paper and glued crepe paper onto the bottom half of the balloon. When hardened, this will create a formed solid basket within which an electric tea light will be placed.

Next week students will be attaching the candles to the baskets and handles to their lanterns.

When talking about the project students have said "the paper has stuck to my fingers!" and "I made mine purple!"

P5



P5 are working hard on their number skills in maths.

Some of us have been working to count objects up to 10. Some of us have been using number lines to add 2 amounts, and practice adding 1 more and identifying 1 less.

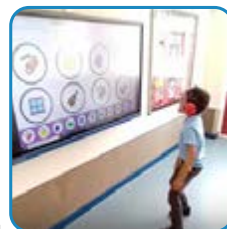


P7



This term in ICT we are using the platform Purple Mash to create music, pictures and animation in our 'digital literacy' topic.

Pupils have enjoyed accessing the 2Explore section to create their own music which includes sounds such as a bell, guitar and animal noises.



S9 and P6

S9 and P6 would like to say a big "Thank You!" to Towers Sports and Racquets Club for funding a fabulous visit from the BAMBOOZLE Theatre company.

Pupils were immersed in the sensory performance of PULSE, enjoying and engaging with the actors, live music and sensory elements of the show.

A huge 'well done' to Henry, who was able to attend to the full 40-minute performance in the hall! A very big achievement!

All the pupils lit up as the actors sang their names to them, Isaac giggled. **B** was particularly animated when meeting the bird puppet. **L** sat on the set enjoying a closeup view of the show! **L** was particularly engaged when 'Clanky Jane's rain making machine' appeared and blew a cannon explosion of confetti! Wonderful!



S2



S2 have recently been learning about Famous Castles and knights associated with the UK and particularly enjoyed learning about the legend of St George and the Dragon which they wonderfully performed in an assembly to the school.



G says that St George saved the princess from the dragon.
C loved playing the dragon.
U was so proud to be St George.

P8



P8 have been learning about Eid and completing acts of kindness. We created thank you cards and chose who we would like to deliver them too.

T chose to say thank you to Emily, our kitchen assistant.
F chose to say thank you to Sharon and Kirstie, our admin staff.
J chose to say thank you to Rebecca, our family support worker.



P9



In maths P9 have been working on numbers. We are doing this through sensory play and attention activities.

All pupils are showing an increased interest in maths this term.

Well done P9

S10

In S10 we are working on interacting with our peers. We are enjoying group sessions.



We have been sitting together during circle time.

Charity

WELL DONE ST JOHN'S



This means BILT has collected over 10.2kg in total since September, which has already been recycled and the money raised has been donated to Team Umbro (<https://limbbofoundation.co.uk/>)

Well done and thank you to you all - the race is on to be the winner in Summer Term; will Grange make it one of St John's or Greys punt for the win? Can Pull Top Collection Points are in all school's receptions. Thank you for your continued support

Clare Breare
Headteacher

LimbBo
Foundation

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Notices



1st May 2024
1.00pm-3.30pm

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Bromham Road
Bedford MK40 2EH

We are hiring

Senior Leaders <
Teachers <
Learning Support Assistants <
Office Staff <
Cleaners <



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Diary Dates

Coffee Morning Wednesday 3rd May 2024 @ 9.30 am
May Bank Holiday Monday 6th May 2024
Pupils Return to School Tuesday 7th May 2024
Deaf Awareness Week 6 - 10 May 2024
Mental Health Awareness Week 13 - 17 May 2024

HPV Vaccines Friday 17th May 2024
Outdoor Learning Day Friday 17th May 2024
May Half Term 27th - 31st May 2024
Pupils Return to School Monday 3rd June 2024