



WEATHERFIELD ACADEMY

NEWSLETTER

SEAL AWARDS

The following pupils were selected by staff as clearly demonstrating this half term's SEAL value which is:

TO SHOW TEAMWORK

2PG - Anastacia R
3SQ - Dylan J
3NP - Michael M
3AS - Nayah S
3AC - Jessica W
3SP - Sophie B
4JL - Ruby S
4KO - Ethan B
4AS - Lily-Rose H
4SA - Ashley M
5CP - Bobby P
5KP - Charlie R
5IF - Luke H
5EM - Andrei L
5WK - Bradley P

Congratulations to you all!

UPCOMING EVENTS

-  Pupils Return to school: Tuesday 1st November
-  Coffee Afternoon: Monday 7th November
-  Children in Need Mufti: Friday 18th November
-  End of Autumn Term: Friday 16th December
-  Pupils Return to School: Wednesday 4th January

ATTENDANCE



The class with the highest attendance this term and will be having a non-uniform day is 3AS.

Congratulations!

HOUSE POINTS

Pupils and staff have been allocated a house to represent. They collect house points and the score stands as follows:

KESTRELS

5180

SWALLOWS

5608

OWLS

5591

HEAD TEACHER'S LUNCH

Congratulations to these students who have been selected to sit with Mr Selmes during lunch.

Frankie H
Naethan E
Michelle R
Callum A
Nwachukwu U

Forest School

Mr Young

We have had a fantastic start to our new Forest school at Weatherfield this term. Students have been learning by exploring and discovering while building fires, making dens, cooking on an open fire and learning about the outdoor environment we live in.

Students have used the fire to boil water for hot chocolate, made banana and chocolate splits and s'mores.

Students have also enjoyed relaxing in the hammocks too.



We have been taught how the Allied forces uncovered secret Morse Code messages being sent by the Germans.

We learnt how to use the Morse Code and how to do map plotting to discover the locations of enemy vessels.

Last week, we learnt how to use the Playfair cipher to decode messages sent from an Enigma machine. We have also been lucky enough to see and use the actual Enigma machine. We all enjoyed the workshop so much and it was extremely interesting discovering how different things were in the war compared to now.



Bletchley Park experience - Weatherfield code breakers

Harry B and 51F

The last couple of Fridays Bletchley Park came to visit the KS5 at Weatherfield Academy to teach us about what some people did during the World War II at Bletchley Park.

NAME THE ANIMAL

Answers to Miss Wood for a housepoint!



Do you know the name of the guinea pig who lives on our school farm?

Name:

New Farm Residents

Miss Wood

We are very pleased to welcome two new additions to the farm.

Meet our chinchillas Atlas & Zeus!



Weatherfield Safety Squad Assembly

Austin and Ruby

We are really pleased to announce that your child recently watched an assembly presented by our lovely W.S.S also known as Weatherfield Safety Squad. We completed one on Monday with KS4, and Tuesday with KS3. Both Key Stages were amazing and listened through the whole assembly.

Well done KS4 and KS3!

Class Elections

Each school year students are elected to be representatives of our student voice groups. Below are our representatives for 2022/2023.

SCHOOL COUNCIL

Our representatives for this year are:

2PG - Sade G
3SQ - Dylan J
3NP - Michael M
3AS - Nayah S
3AC - Luke B
3SP - Ellis G
4JL - Ruby S
4KO - Samuel R
4AS - Gabrielle A
4SA - Naomi R
5CP - Christopher L
5KP - Jake D
5IF - Matthew D
5EM - Alim G
5WK - Jennifer B



ECO-MONITORS

Our Eco-Monitors this year are:

2PG - Anastacia R
3SQ - James H
3NP - Michelle R
3AS - Leo H
3AC - Sophie E
3SP - Olivia D
4JL - Caitlin W
4KO - Callum R
4AS - Clem G
4SA - Bilal S
5CP - Joshua N/Lukasz C
5KP - Charlie R
5IF - Austin M
5EM - Robert B
5WK - Reece B



FAIRTRADE

Our representatives for this year are:

2PG - Joseph B
3SQ - Lucas D
3NP - Joshua L
3AS - William B
3AC - Morgan P
3SP - Alysha B
4JL - Abigail S
4KO - Kirsty H
4AS - Lily-Rose H
4SA - Klara C
5CP - Jack S
5KP - Charlotte K
5IF - Jack D
5EM - Alex S
5WK - Bradley B



INTERNATIONAL SCHOOLS

Our representatives for this year are:

2PG - Riley C
3SQ - Kartik S
3NP - Archie W
3AS - Alexandra M
3AC - Molly B
3SP - Sophie B
4JL - Adam D
4KO - Aidan O
4AS - Usman K
4SA - Shannon B
5CP - Grace F/Sam O
5KP - Ameena S
5IF - Dawn D
5EM - Andrei L
5WK - Adam W



Childhood – Creative Curriculum in KS3

Miss Slough



3AS, 3AC, 3SP

In our humanities lessons, we have been learning all about life in the 1950s and comparing it to how life is today. Pupils were able to compare the toys that were played with back in the 1950s compared to the toys they play with now. We also learnt about the Queen's Coronation – pupils found this particularly interesting given recent events.

We have been working on self-portraits this half term. Some classes have spent a few weeks on one self-portrait and other classes have spent each week practising using a new medium, such as collage, painting and sketching.

In Science, we have been looking at animals and their habitats, including how to keep pets living a happy and healthy life! We used the school grounds to observe insects' behaviour when changing their environment. Many of us think we would be able to look after a class pet... staff think a bit more persuading is needed.



3SQ and 3NP

In 3NP and 3SQ, we have been learning about our senses in science and using all 5 of our senses whilst taking part in a range of different sensory activities.

We have used lots of different techniques to create portraits of faces, including taking inspiration from the artist Guiseppe Arcimboldo.

Our zones of regulation lessons have helped us to start using the zones in class to let our teachers know how we are feeling and whether we are in the green zone and ready to learn.



NCS Residential

Mr Samm



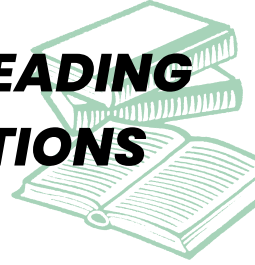
Year 12 students from Key Stage 5 were given the opportunity to attend a residential at Kingswood Activity Centre earlier this term. The trip was hosted by NCS and supported by staff from Weatherfield.

The students took part in a variety of activities ranging from Leap of Faith to Archery. All the students went above and beyond what they thought was possible and achieved many personal targets. There were many highlights from the week with some standout moments, including Christopher jumping off the zip wire after much deliberation, Sam pushing himself to the limit and jumping off the 'Leap of Faith' after very nearly talking himself out of it and Jack H keeping us entertained with his singing and comedy.

There were so many personal highlights from each student, it would be impossible to name them all. All the students should feel incredibly proud of how they pushed themselves on each activity and also how they conducted themselves and represented the school. Well done to all involved.

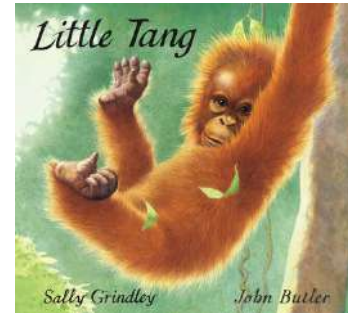


MRS MILLETT'S READING RECOMMENDATIONS



Little Tan by Sally Grindle

A dramatic and moving story about a small orangutan growing up in the forests of Indonesia. High up in the treetops of the tropical rainforest, Little Tang loves to snuggle close to his mother, Kara. But soon he must learn how to look after himself like the other grown-up orangutans and gently Kara teaches him how our place in the world.



The Magical Unicorn Cookbook by Nicola Graimes

Discover delicious recipes to bring a little unicorn magic into your everyday! This easy-to-use cookery book is bursting with sparkles and rainbows. Packed with unique unicorn recipes, follow the simple instructions to make your own wonderful creations. Children will love The Magical Unicorn Cookbook, which includes twenty-five recipes for the whole family to make and enjoy together. The recipes are specially designed for adults to use with children, with step-by-step instructions and helpful hints.



Gangsta Granny Strikes Again! by David Walliams

Expect the unexpected in this wonderfully entertaining and laugh-out-loud adventure, which will have readers on the edge of their seats as they join Ben on his quest to unravel the mystery of the return of The Black Cat. This first ever sequel from David Walliams will delight new fans, as well as the millions of readers that have loved Gangsta Granny. ructions and helpful hints.

