



Work Hard - Be Kind

Thank you to our children, families and local community for your support throughout the term. We hope that you enjoy reading our Term 5 Newsletter to find out more about what we have been up to this term and celebrate the progress and achievements that our children have made.

On behalf of all the staff and councillors at King's Oak, we hope that you have a safe and peaceful holiday with your respective families and we are looking forward to welcoming your child back into school for Term 6 on Monday 3 June.



Water Safety



On Thursday 22 May Avon Fire and Rescue visited for sessions with students in Years 7–10 about Water Safety. They spoke around the following points;

- What to do and who to contact in an emergency;
- Hidden dangers underwater;
- What to do if you find yourself in danger in the water - float to live;
- How to use River Cabinets;
- Some rough figures of rescues made in the local community.



A reminder that the last day of Term 5 is Friday 24 March. Term 6 starts on Monday 3 June.

Performing Arts at KOA

Drama

Students in Year 7 have been working on their Live Theatre review of the National Theatre's *Peter Pan*. Students have been developing their key terminology and writing skills by looking into the specific acting techniques used by the professional actors. Students will apply their knowledge practically next term to develop their vocal and physical acting skills by portraying stock characters.



Students in Year 8 have been working on their Live Theatre review of the National Theatre's *Treasure Island*. Students have been developing their key terminology and writing skills by looking into the specific vocal and physical skills professional actors use to convey character. Students will apply their knowledge practically next term to develop their acting skills through script work.

Students in Year 9 have been studying the famous musical *Blood Brothers* through character breakdown and analysing key themes throughout the narrative. This is supporting preparation for KS4 English and Drama.

Music

Students in Years 7-9 are working on cover songs in pairs and groups to develop their performing skills. In Year 7 they have been performing *Believer* by Imagine Dragons and *Ladbroke Grove* by Dave and AJ Tracey.

In Year 8, students have been exploring their ukulele and drum kit knowledge by studying *Shotgun* by George Ezra. Students in Year 9 have been focusing on piano covers of *Country Roads* by John Denver and *Shotgun* by George Ezra adding melody and harmony together in pairs and individually.



Students in Year 10 have completed their Component 1 assessments on musical styles and created three music products for the music industry on the theme of 'colour'. Students are now turning their attention to individual skills development in performing.

SUMMER CONCERT

Students have been attending extra sessions after school in preparation for the Summer Concert which will be on Monday 22 July. Tickets will be available closer to the date.

If you wish to participate in this event please speak to Mr Warren or Ms Morrell and come along to one of the practice sessions after school on a Monday, Thursday or Friday.

Sports for Champions Fundraising Event

We are lucky to have basketball player Corey Samuels coming to visit our Year 6 students next term!

Corey is a professional basketball player for the Bristol



Flyers in the British Basketball 'league (BBL) who will visit the school and deliver an inspirational assembly which is accompanied by a personalised PowerPoint presentation about his career, achievements, training regimes and sacrifices made. He will also talk about the highs and lows of his career. The students will then have the chance to take part in a Q&A session with Corey.

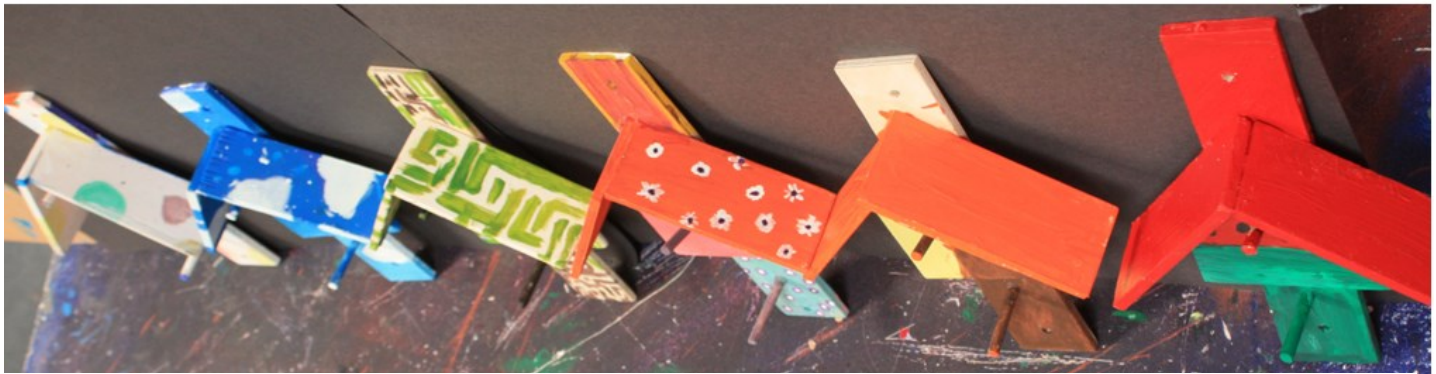
As part of this athlete's visit, students will take part in a sponsored work out with Corey. They will be challenged to complete different exercises in a circuit whilst being cheered on by their peers and our famous athlete visitor!

Please use this link to sponsor - <https://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/p/the-kings-oak-academy-fundraiser>

For your information 60% of the funds raised by students for this event will go towards the school to provide resources to enhance sport and PE lessons at KOA.

We can't wait for this exciting event to take place!

Yr 7 DT Term 4



Yr 8 DT Term 4



DT at KOA

In Term 5 Year 7 have been creating a mood board to visualise ideas and gather inspiration for their practical final piece.



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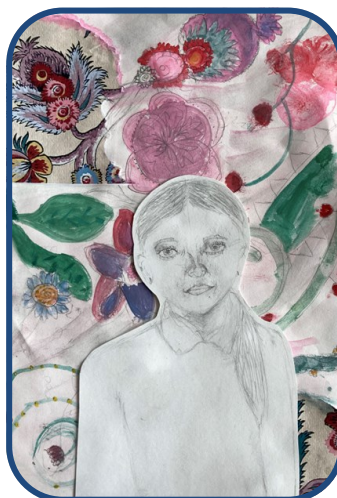
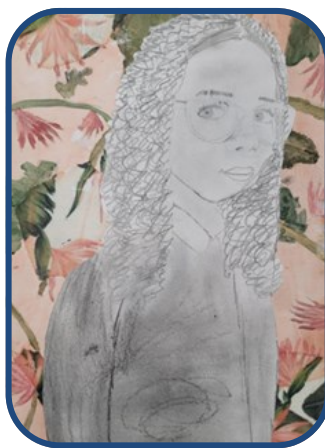
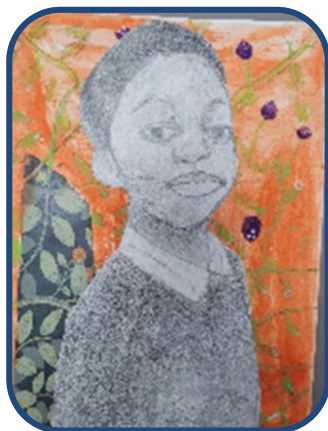
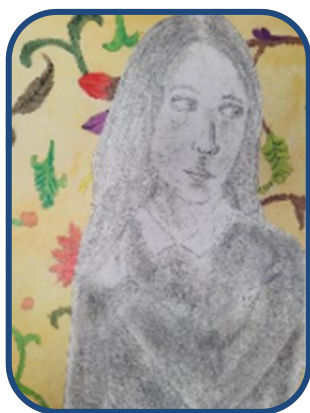
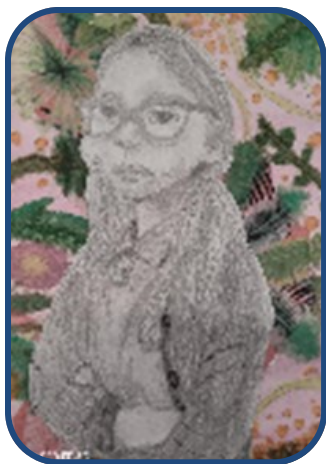
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Art at KOA

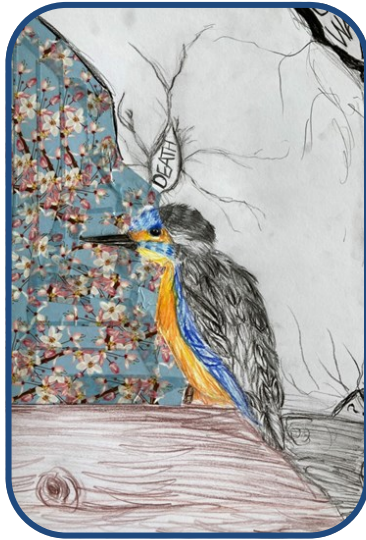
Year 7 Art

This term Year 7 have been busy producing self-portraits with a "Kehinde Wiley" inspiration. They have been focusing on realism in art, specifically the proportions of their facial features, using a photograph of themselves as a reference.



Year 8 Art

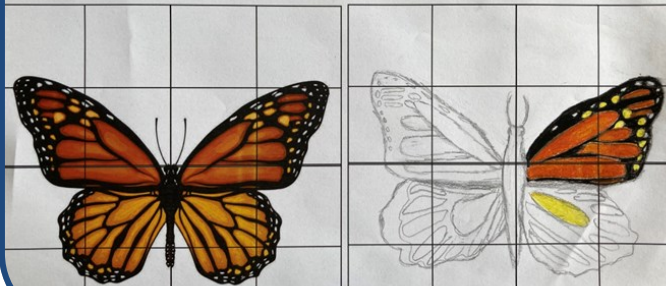
This term we started our final project of the year – Environment. We continue to practise different ways to create art. So far, we have created our title page to introduce the project. Students also had a chance to explore grid method, colour blending and more.



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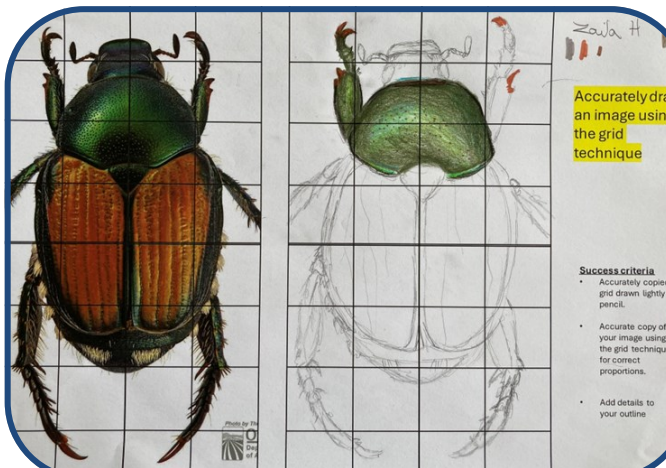
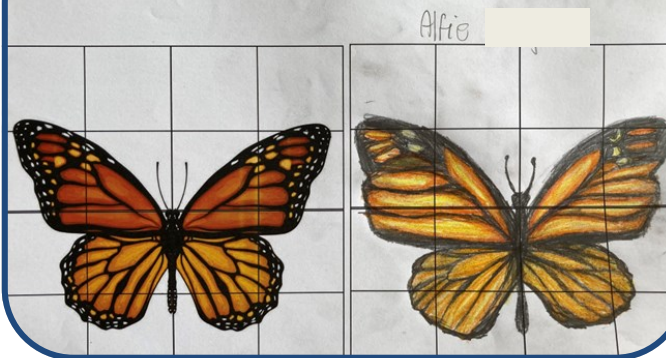
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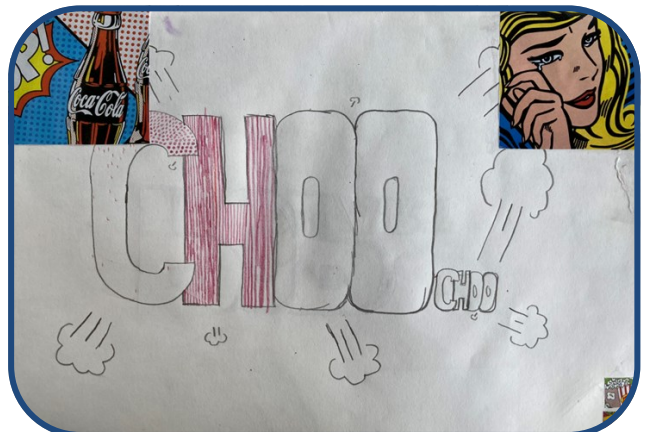
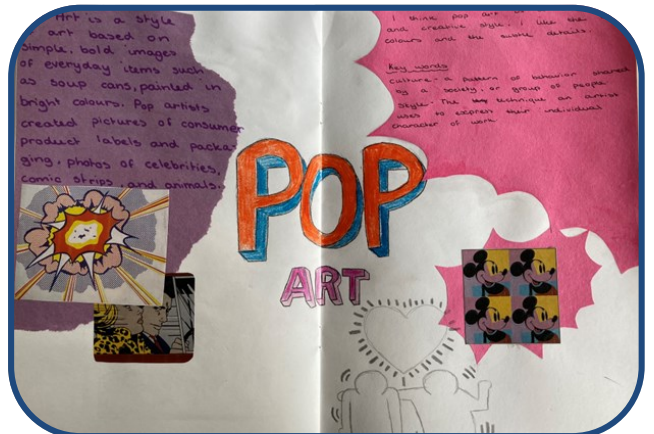
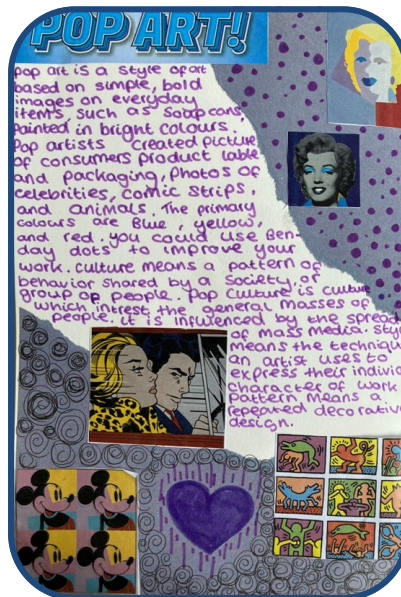
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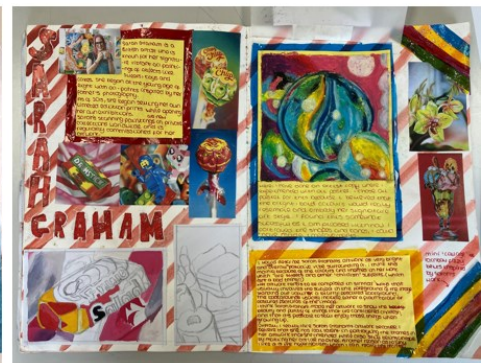
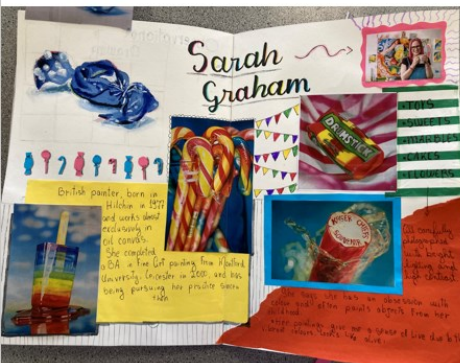
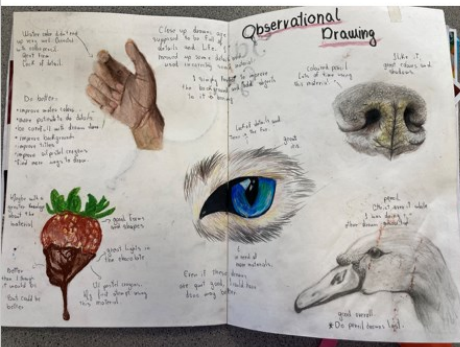
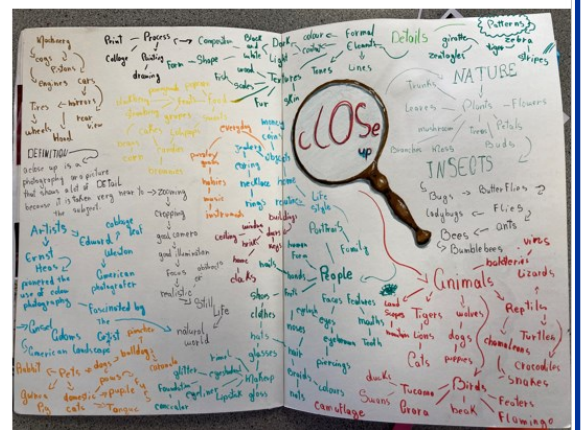
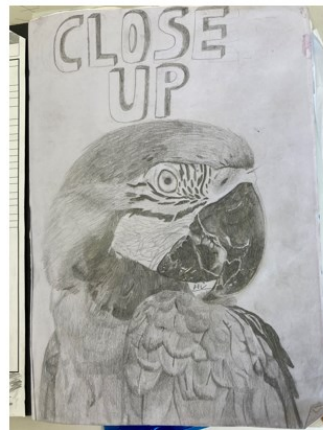
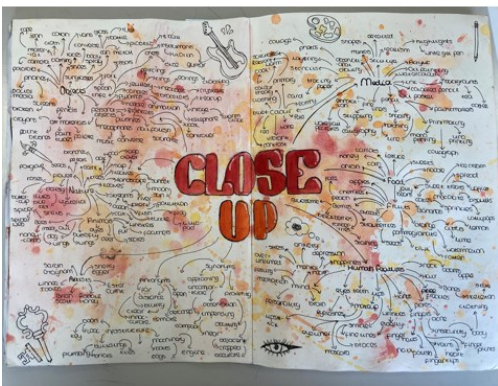
Year 9 students have just started exploring Pop-Art as our final project of the year. Students all had a chance to create a title page to introduce the project.



Year 10 Art

Year 10 ART Term 5

This is the first mock exam preparation for our current Year 10 students. It is a 12 week-long process where students get to experience what an art exam feels like. Currently students have completed their title page, mood board, ideas page, observational drawings, and are in the process of completing their first artist research about Sarah Graham.

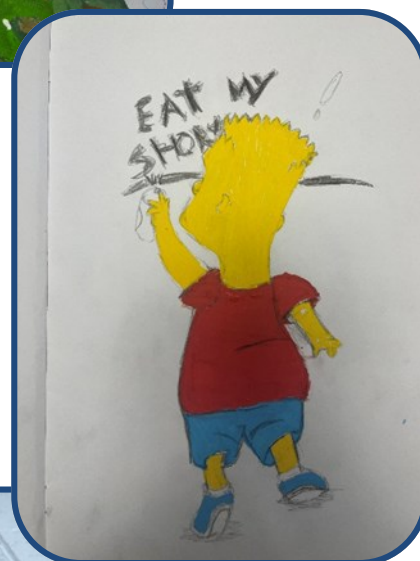


Art Club at KOA

We are so happy that Art Club has continued this term. Students have the chance after school on a Thursday to experiment with their own style whilst using the Creative Technology department's resources.

If anyone has any arts and crafts supplies at home they would like to donate please drop them into reception.

Many thanks.



NEWS FROM LOWER SCHOOL

Joey draws for School Art Supplies



Our very own King's Oak pupil recently set up a GoFundMe page with the help of his family to raise money for art supplies for his whole year group. Joey endeavoured to draw illustrations based on request from all over the world so that he can fill the school with as many art supplies as possible and create a special end-of-term treat for his peers!

After hoping to raise at least £50, Joey managed to raise an incredible £275! We are so proud of Joey and his selfless work – he has truly been living our values of Work Hard, Be Kind and we can't wait for him to share his fundraising news and art supplies with his friends!



Road Safety Show from South Gloucestershire Council

Lower School children enjoyed a Road Safety Show delivered by Louis Taylor from South Gloucestershire Council Road Safety Team. Our Year 3 and 4 children really enjoyed the brilliant presentation that included magic, drama and puppets to get very important road safety messages across: stop, look and listen!



Family Forest School Session in Reception

Reception enjoyed sharing their forest school session with parents and carers this term when we planted sunflowers seeds to take home and grow with our families.

We also enjoyed showing off our bug hunting skills, climbing and balancing. Thank you to all the parents who visited us.





Playground resources

Once again, we have been incredibly lucky to have received a contribution from our Friends of King's Oak Academy group towards new playground equipment.

School playgrounds play a crucial role in promoting physical activity, social interaction, and overall wellbeing among students. We are very grateful to have received this kind donation and have used the money to invest in some long-lasting equipment to support our children in their development of gross motor skills and creativity.



British Science Week

Lower School children participated in a British Science Week poster competition before Easter holidays. As our theme this year was 'Time', each child was encouraged to think about time – what it means to them and how it relates to the science they've learnt about during the course of the week. Below, are our KOA competition winners, runners up and highly commended entries from KS1 and KS2.

Congratulations to all who participated and engaged with this challenge and sparkled brightly with emerald, sapphire and diamond powers!



Progressive Sports Enrichment

This term, children participated in **Cricket World Cup** themed sessions. They engaged in a variety of activities aimed at developing their cricket skills and fostering teamwork. They started with warm-up exercises to prepare their bodies for physical activity, followed by skills practise focusing on batting, bowling, and fielding techniques. Under the guidance of the coach, they practiced proper stance and grip for batting, learned how to deliver accurate bowls, and honed their catching and throwing abilities when fielding. Throughout the session, emphasis was placed not only on individual skill development but also on the importance of communication and collaboration within the team.



KOA Student Council Visit to Minerva Primary Academy



The Lower School Student Council, ready to roll!

We were very glad that the Friends of KOA helped us to get a mini-bus so we can do fun things!



First we all gathered to share our names and the classes that we represented. A difference that we noticed was that we have named our classes after trees and MPA named their classes after areas in Bristol. We were very excited to learn more about what we do the same and differently.



We were then taken on a tour of the school. We loved MPA's playground and hope to use some of their ideas at our school too!



Reception Cake Baking Session

This year, we are participating in the local authority project that will ultimately lead to the creation of an 'outdoor food recipe book' that will be made available to all primary schools in South Gloucestershire. Mrs Lindsey, our forest school leader, has been supporting this project by providing opportunities for planting and growing our own produce! Last week, Reception children learned about preparing their own food by making delicious carrot cupcakes. They particularly enjoyed smelling the ingredients and, of course, tasting their lovely creations! Blossom and Catkins class children even wrote down their recipes for others to enjoy.





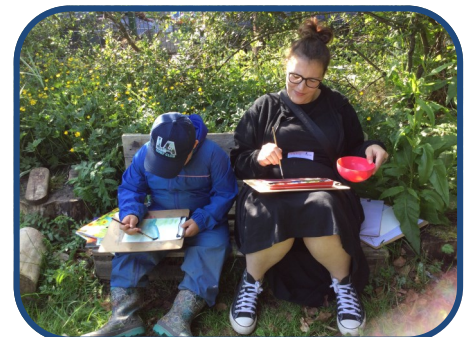
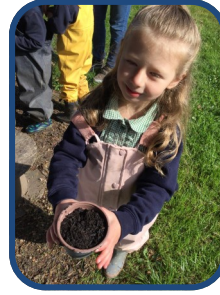
Ingredients

- 125g carrots
- 100g sugar
- 75g margarine
- 100g plain flour
- 1 tsp cinnamon
- 1 tsp baking powder
- 1 large egg
- 60g Sultanas

1. Preheat oven to gas mark 6/180°C.
2. Peel and grate the carrots into a bowl
3. Add sugar, margarine, flour, cinnamon + baking powder
4. Mix together Beat the egg and add to the mixture
5. Add the Sultanas. Stir again
6. Divide the mixture between 6 cupcake cases.
7. Put them in the oven for 15-20 minutes
8. Remove from the oven.

News from Reception

This term Blossom and Catkins classes have enjoyed welcoming parents and sharing our learning. They have watched us learning phonics to see the amazing progress we have made since September, many parents have joined us for our local welly walks, including a story on Siston Common, and have explored Forest School, planting sunflowers seeds and making crowns. We have loved sharing our curriculum with them and look forward to lots more exciting activities together in our last term of Reception.



News from Year 1

This term Year 1 have been busy as usual with more chances to get outside and enrich our learning. We have had Forest School sessions to enhance our learning about plants, including helping to plant new saplings and of course exploring the area's mud kitchen and fairy garden!



As mathematicians we set up a Numicon hunt in the playground to support our understanding of doubles and halves within 20.



As artists, we have been exploring collage this term, including children creating their own collage faces using every day and craft materials.



We have been creative as computer scientists as well this term, using a lot of resilience to create digital paintings on the iPads.



Well done to everyone in Year 1 for a spectacular term!

News from Year 2

Year 2 have had a joy-filled term learning all about animal habitats! We have been exploring how animals have adapted to live in different habitats and how they have special features that allow them to live there. We have also talked about how some human behaviour affects animal habitats such as building houses, forest fires and littering. We completed a litter pick around the school grounds and were shocked at how much rubbish we discovered! We have pledged that it is ALL of our responsibility to look after our planet!



In Maths we have been working hard to tell the time to every 5 minutes and in Author we have written our own recipes for a Terrible Soup!

We have enjoyed several other activities such as planting our own sunflowers to take home and having visitors in from animal charities.



We have had an incredible term!



News from Year 3

This term, Year 3 have had an exciting term.

As artists, we have been creating collages with various materials based on the work of Sara Fanelli.

As scientists, we have been learning about the water cycle and making our own.

As musicians, we have been learning to play various chords on the ukelele.

As authors, we have been retelling a story from a different perspective and creating our own persuasive brochure.

As computer scientists, we have been learning the basics of coding on Scratch.

For our PE enrichment session, we learnt the basics of batting, bowling and fielding for cricket.

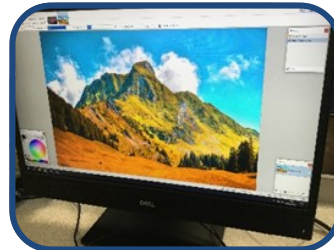


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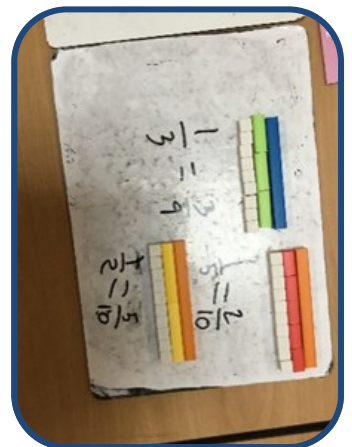
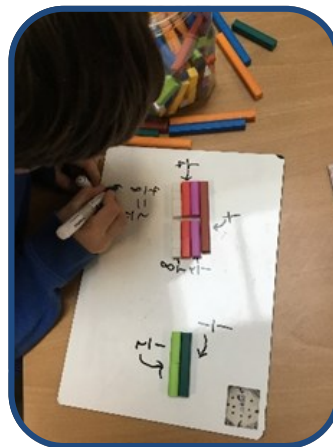
During our PE enrichment session this term, we enjoyed learning the skills needed to play cricket. We took part in activities to develop our batting, bowling and fielding techniques.



In Computer Science, we have been using paint.net to edit media. We have learned how to rotate and crop photos. We really enjoyed changing the hue and saturation of photos to create different moods.



As mathematicians we have been exploring fractions. We found out all about equivalent fractions by using colour rods.



As scientists, we have been exploring sound. To help us understand pitch, we made our own pan pipes! We also used a datalogger to find out if sound gets quieter when the distance increases.



NEWS FROM MIDDLE SCHOOL

News from Year 5

Book Club

As part of our reading for pleasure agenda at King's Oak Academy, Year 5 have a session where we read books of our choosing. We have been reading in the library, however, we have begun to make the most out of the lovely summer weather and completed these sessions outside and in the sunshine.



Summer Term PE

This term we have been lucky enough to take our PE lessons outside. We have been learning and improving our cricket skills on the school astro with Mr Cornick and Mrs Salvage. It's been great to be outdoors learning new PE skills.

English

In English this term we have been really inspired by our class text *Where the Forest Meets the Sea*. We have written some excellent stories about the young boy's return to the forest years later where he finds that the rainforest has been replaced by a busy city and takes action to bring the rainforest back to life! We've also written some brilliant explanation texts titled "Why is the rainforest important?"

Thursday 16th May 2024
I can write an explanation text.

Why are Rainforests Important?

It begins with plants and animals. Plants and animals in the rainforest are home to many species that we don't know about. Some of these are over 10 million years old!

Medicine
Many medicines, such as the cancer drug aspirin, come from plants in the rainforest. It is estimated that 25% of all our medicines come from plants growing in the rainforest.

Animals
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People
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Conclusion
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Thursday 6th May 2020
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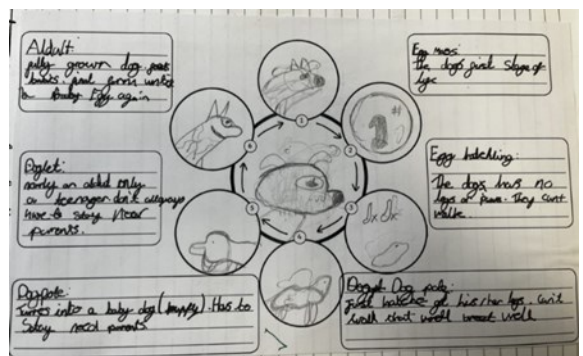
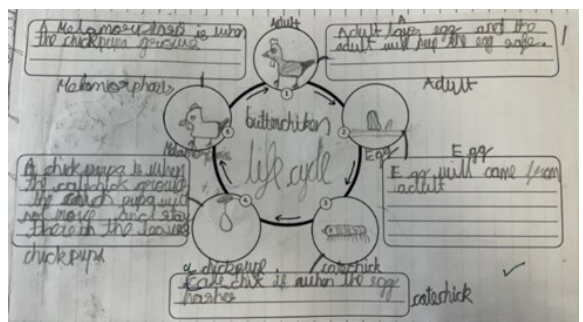
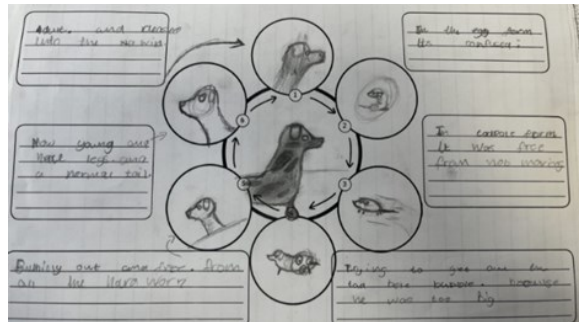
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Science

As Scientists we have been learning about the life cycles of different living things, including animals, humans and plants. We've had fun combining different animal types into one life cycle to help us understand what the different stages of different life cycles mean.



Progressive Sports Enrichment

This term our PE enrichment was focused on Cricket. We had lots of fun putting the skills we've learned in PE to the test!

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• The rainforest
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• The Congo
• The DRC
• The Gabon
• The Ivory Coast
• The Liberia
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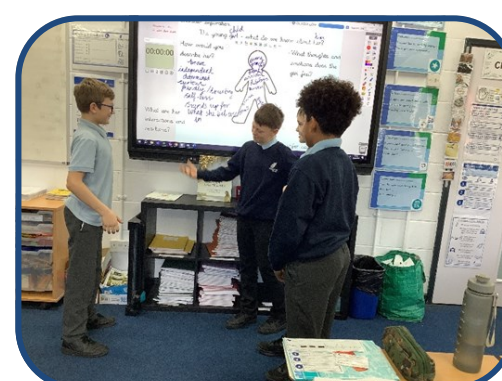
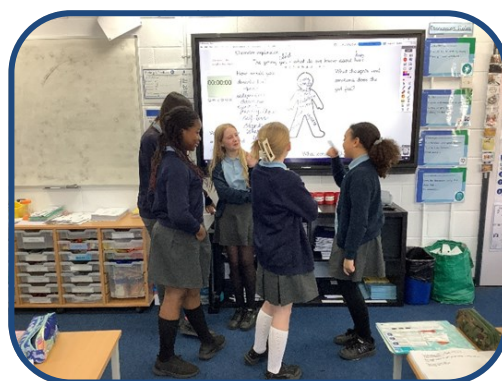
News from Year 6

Year 6 have continued to show their Emerald Power (resilience) and Grit Power (practising to improve) as they've done their final preparations for the KS2 SATs exams. Their learning in the classroom and through various reading and maths interventions have boosted their confidence and we are feeling very proud of all their hard work.

In our Enquiry and Authors units this term, we have linked our learning to the key question, 'How do we impact our environment?'. The children have enjoyed writing a sequel story about a little boy who tries to persuade the mayor of the town to shut down a factory that is causing climate change. In their non-fiction writing outcome, they have used persuasive writing techniques to write the speech that the young child delivers to the mayor, using real-life examples of young activists as inspiration.

In Enquiry, the children have been working on a group research project over the term, where they have deep-dived into one of six leading causes of climate change, and they will be hosting a climate change exhibition at the start of Term 6 to show off all their learning.

They also enjoyed a guest-visit lesson from one of our Upper School geography teachers!



News from Year 7

As we wrap up Term 5, let's focus on our achievements and look forward to the opportunities ahead in Term 6.

Term 5 Highlights:

Well done to Mr. Garner's tutor group, 7.2, for taking the top spot in our tutor challenges! Well done to everyone who participated within your tutor groups. You're doing great and your hard work has been noticed.

Throughout this term, the majority of our Year 7 students have exemplified outstanding behaviour, both in and out of the classroom. Whether you were cooking up delicious chilli in Food Tech or mastering new concepts in Maths, your positive attitudes and commitment to learning have been fantastic.

Looking Ahead to Term 6:

Exciting news awaits us as we move into Term 6! For the first time this year, the grass areas will be open for picnics at break and lunch times. This is a wonderful opportunity for everyone to enjoy the outdoors, relax, and bond with friends. Make sure to take advantage of this and help keep our school tidy.

Safety First

As the summer months approach, it's crucial to remember the safety advice we've discussed throughout the term. Water safety, community awareness, and your wellbeing are particularly important. Please go careful and look out for yourselves and each other. Whether you're swimming, spending time outdoors, or navigating the community, prioritise safety.

Lastly, remember that our support systems are always available. Don't hesitate to reach out if you need assistance or someone to talk to.

We wish you all a restful and enjoyable break and look forward to seeing you rejuvenated and ready for Term 6.

Mr C Nathan, Head of Year 7

News from Year 8

We've had yet another successful term in Year 8!

We have been looking at Grit power this term, ensuring that we are learning to set our own targets and work on them, using perseverance. Well done to those who won Gem Certificates!

Year 8 have been learning about how paper is made in DT, how to communicate in the past tense in French, natural hazards and disasters in Geography, The Red Cross in Health and Wellbeing and so much more!

We had our University of Bath trip and the students worked hard and were great role models. Remember that by the end of the year, all students (with the exception of some very recent newcomers) will have had the opportunity to participate in at least one careers event - in school or on a trip.

Speaking of newcomers, we have welcomed lots of new students into Year 8, they have settled really well and I am so proud of them and all of the students for making them feel so welcome. We only have one term left of Year 8 now, so I want to thank students and their families for really pushing to have the highest expectations of themselves, it truly is recognised around the school what an amazing year group we are.

With that in mind, as well as the Year 8 Camp, I would like to mark the end of the cohort's Middle School journey with a special assembly in Term 6. We will be asking the children to share their memories, photos etc., to create a 'Yearbook Assembly', so that we can look back at an amazing two years before we move on to Upper School.

This term, our Tutor Challenges have taken on a 'Richard Osman's House of Games' theme. We have had rounds such as 'Totes Emoji', 'Rhyme Time', Blast from the past tense' and 'Forbidden Letters'. At the time of writing, with two Tutor Challenges outstanding ('The Backwards Round' and 'Answer Smash') - our league table looks like this:

8.3 83
8.5 74
8.4 70
8.2 55!!!
8.1 54

The gaps are closing and each challenge this term has had a different tutor group winning, well done 8.2 for closing the gap and getting up to 4th place.

Finally, it won't be long until our Year 8 Camp - we had a successful information evening, and all information you need has been sent out to you.

Let's get rested and ready to enjoy Term 6!

Enjoy your break,

Mrs H Gribble, Head of Year 8

King's Oak ACADEMY **Tuesday, 14 May 2024**

Tutor Challenge – Totes Emoji

	TOTALS:
1 st – 8.4	8.3 83
2 nd – 8.5	8.5 74
3 rd – 8.2	8.4 70
4 th – 8.3 (1 wrong)	8.2 55!!!
5 th – 8.1 (extremely late submission?)	8.1 54

What's next?! **Submit answers by email to Mrs Gribble by 15:09pm! Late submissions will get minus points!**

THE BACKWARDS ROUND

You will see some quiz questions. They are written backwards. Your answer must also be written backwards.

Example:
Q: mammal largest world's the is what?
A: whale blue

NEWS FROM UPPER SCHOOL

News from Year 9

Towards the end of this term, Year 9 students received their options selections. It was great to see that most students received the choices they had originally opted for and are showing excitement to be able to start these examination courses from September. Conversations have been had with students who it was felt would benefit from additional guidance and hopefully this has helped inform decisions. If you or your child have any questions, please do let us know.

During the last week of term, students were able to take part in a water safety assembly run by Avon Fire and Rescue. Students were focused and listened well in the assembly. I hope that they were able to take in the important messages that were being delivered and keep safe when in and around water especially during the warmer summer months.

We have had a number of students and families choosing to be a part of our year group from other schools and even other countries. It has been really pleasing to witness our Year 9 students help these new students feel welcome and part of the school community.

As we move as a year group from Year 9 into Year 10, it is clear to see the considerable strides that have been made since September. The majority of our students work well on a daily basis and show great maturity in the way that they conduct themselves and in their learning. We will look forward to students studying their options subjects and furthering themselves particularly in areas in which they have a keen interest.

Mr A Heath , Head of Year 9

News from Year 10

Hello Year 10 students,

I want to start off by saying a huge congratulations to the winners of the prefect and ambassador elections.

Our new Year 11 student ambassadors will be :

Leah P

Michael M

Chloe H

And our year 11 prefects will be:

Lily T

Aria C

Ella-Mae L

Rebecca P

Ruva C

Joe W

Jayton D

Lerato M

Your dedication to serving your school community and your leadership qualities have shone through, and I have no doubt that you will excel in your new roles.

As we look ahead to the next term, I want to remind you all that mock exams are just around the corner. Make sure you are prepared and ready to give it your all. Remember, these exams are a great opportunity to practice and improve your skills before the real thing.

I am also thrilled to see a huge amount of positive points being awarded to students this term. Keep up the great work and continue to strive for excellence in everything you do.

I want to take a moment to praise those of you who have completed work experience this term. It's fantastic to hear the positive feedback from employers about your work ethic, professionalism, and willingness to learn.

I am so proud of each and every one of you. Keep up the great work and continue to push yourselves to be the best that you can be.

Mr S Mannin, Head of Year 10.

News from Year 11

Year 11 have had a positive Term 5. The focus this term has been on the GCSE exams and the students have started these exams in a positive and mature way. They have been taking part in after school revision sessions and coming to school early to use their time productively to prepare for each exam. This can be a difficult time for Year 11 students, but I have been really impressed with their maturity and ability to cope so well during the first part of this exam period. Thank you to all parents / carers and staff that have helped support Year 11 students during this time.

During half term we are planning on running some extra revision sessions that Year 11 students can attend. These will run on Monday and Tuesday morning from 10am to 12 noon and will be maths and English sessions to help support students for their final exams in these subjects.

Congratulations to Ella S who has had a fantastic season with Bristol City, and she has been awarded the golden glove. She has been selected from all the goalkeepers in the academy as she has shown consistent and outstanding performances across the season. Congratulations Ella, we are all very proud of you.



Congratulations should also go to Luke S. He has been in the Bristol City Academy and has recently captained the U16 team in the PDL cup final. He has been part of this team all season and they have continually won their games and got to the final which was held at Charlton's stadium. Congratulations Luke.



Connor M has also had a successful season playing for Bristol Bears. He has been part of the U16 squad, has been selected for the U17 Bristol Bears squad next year and has secured a place at SGS as part of the Bears Academy. Congratulations Connor.



Connor L has also been successful in gaining an advanced engineering apprenticeship with Rolls Royce for next year. He was selected from hundreds of applications and had to deliver a technical presentation, have a behaviour and motivational interview, take part in a practical exercise and a team challenge. Connor performed exceptionally and will be starting this in September. Well done, Connor.



Louis M has also taken part in the Italian Kick Boxing world cup. He competed in the senior 18+ 57KG category despite only being 16 and came third. He also has a number of competitions lined up for next year. Congratulations Louis.



As it is coming to the end of the time Year 11 students have with us it is understandable that they are looking forwards to prom and leavers day. The Year 11 prom is on Thursday 4 July at The Bristol Hotel, Harbourside. I am very much looking forward to celebrating this with the students. We also have our final day celebrations to look forward to. This will be on Friday 21 June and consist of an assembly, shirt signing and time to say goodbye to the students and teachers in school. More information regarding times will be shared shortly.

As this is the final newsletter that I will write for Year 11 I just want to say what a pleasure it has been to be your Head of Year for the last four years. You are an incredible group of young people who I will miss very much. Please do come back and visit us here and let us know what you are up to. Well done for your continued hard work, concentration and commitment to learning / exams this term. I hope you all have a good break, and I am looking forward to welcoming you back in Term 6 for your final few weeks at King's Oak Academy.

Mrs S Holtby, Head of Year 11

CLF Careers

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Teddy Bears Holiday Club Sessions



Many thanks for your patience while we gathered interest to help us make a decision about the proposed dates in the summer break for holiday club sessions.

We shall open on just the Thursday 25 July 2024 8.30am to 4pm. Anyone wishing to book this session please let us know what times you would like.

May half term will continue as we had previously advised on Tuesday 28th as well as Thursday 30th 8.30am to 4pm. Please view the times and prices below and let us know if you would like to book anything, if you have not already done so.

Fees will be:

8.30am to 4pm = £28

8.30am to 3pm = £25

8.30am to 12.30pm = £15.40

12.30am to 3pm = £9.65

We may also be able to book shorter sessions at £4-50 per hour should you want this.

When we return in September we will reconsider offering holiday club if there is a greater demand for it than we have previously experienced and we have the staffing capacity, so please do contact us then if you would like sessions during the academic year of 2024 to 2025.

Any questions please contact us.

Many thanks.

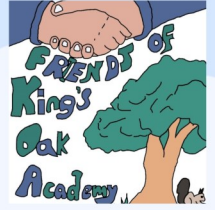
Regards

Cathryn (Manager)

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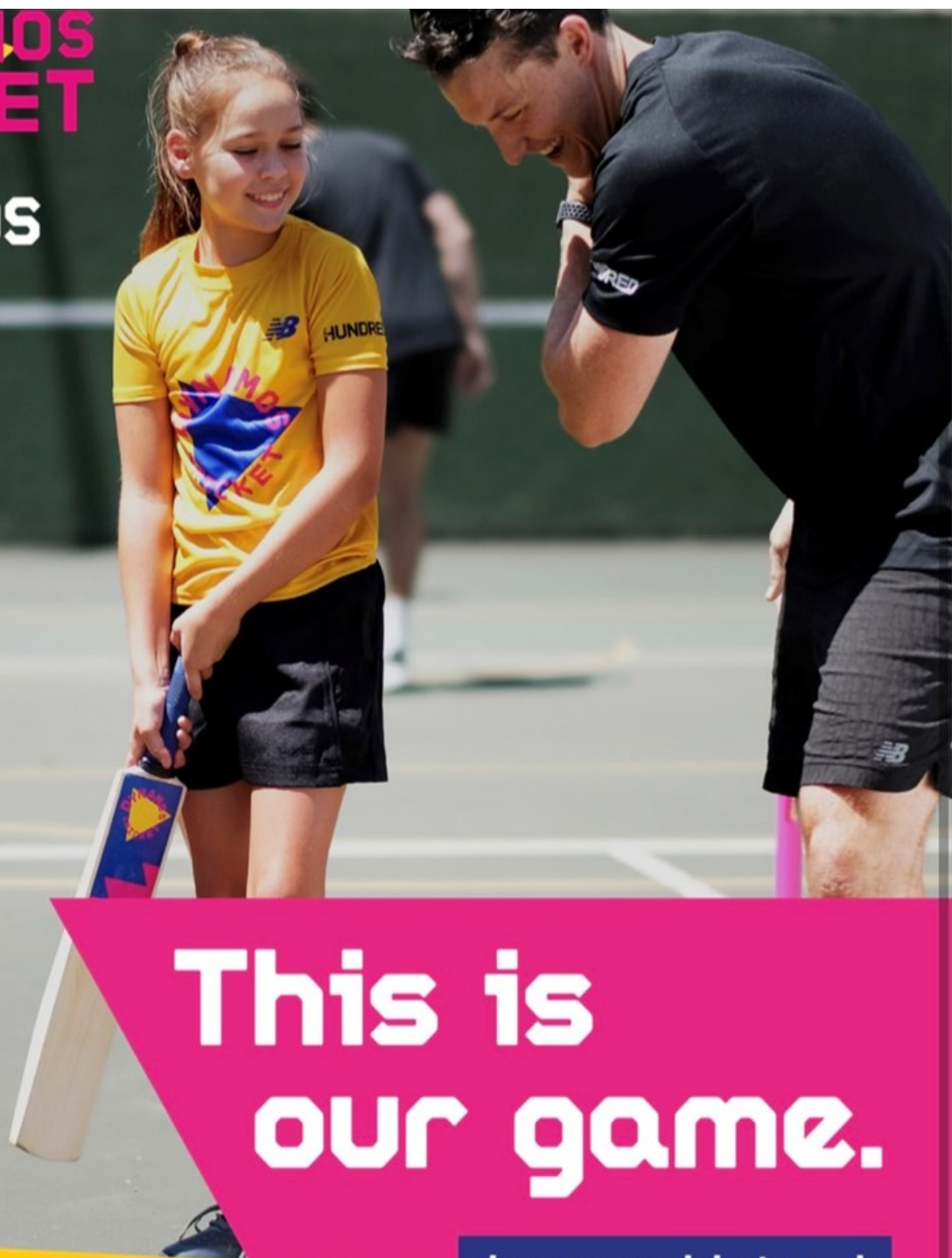
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