

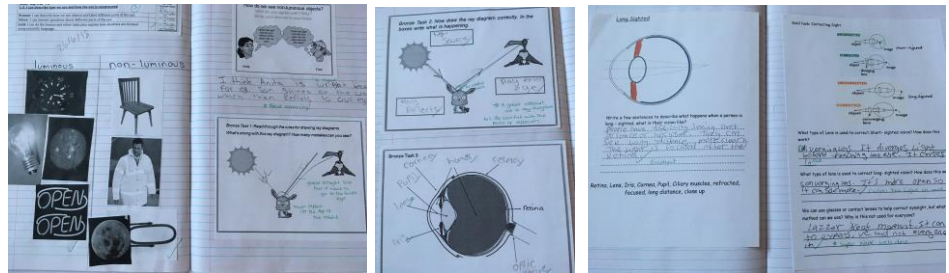
**Boxing with Boris!**

This half term some of the Key Stage 3 and 4 pupils have been to Boris' gym in Peterborough and participated in some extreme fitness regimes and boxing. Boris does not take any prisoners and puts everyone through their paces...



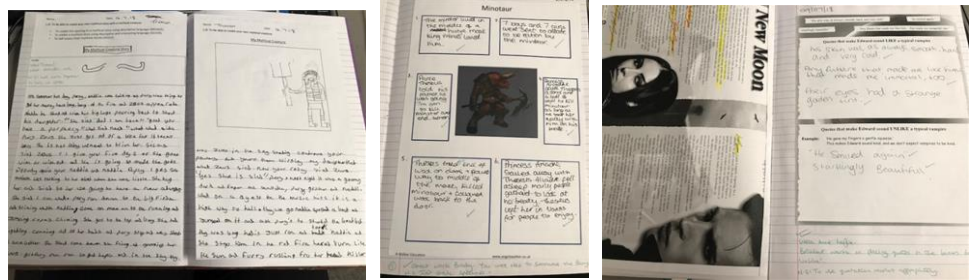
**Lighting up Science Lessons**

During this half term pupils have finished off their topic of Electricity and moved on to Light. They have looked at the structure of the eye; reflection and refraction; how we see in colour; and how vision can be changed with different lenses. Below are some pictures of their fantastic work, along with some practical work carried out with a ray box and lenses.



**Exellent English work**

This term students have been doing Myths and Legends, including learning about mythical creatures such as; The Minotaur and Vampires.



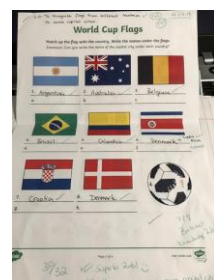
**Construction Projects**

In construction this term, students have worked on different projects around school. The pictures below show the latest project where work is underway for the making of a guinea pig run for our resident pets.



**Humanities**

Over this term students have been learning about King John and their local history. This included learning about rights of the King and the Magna Carta. Students replicated the Magna Carta and made it look old by scrunching it up and soaking it in tea.



Students also explored countries and flags associated with the World Cup 2018.

### **New roles at the Sessions House**

The children in KS2 asked to have special jobs within the school and following a discussion about what these roles could look like, the children decided that they would like to undertake the roles of classroom and lunchtime monitors. We also talked about the role of prefect, a position that the children could vote for, and this role would change on a weekly basis.

The monitor roles would involve getting out resources and tidying up at the end of sessions. The prefect position would be that of a role model, representing the school when visitors come round, organising the class to do activities etc.

Below are pictures of the children proudly showing off their new badges:



### **Food Technology**

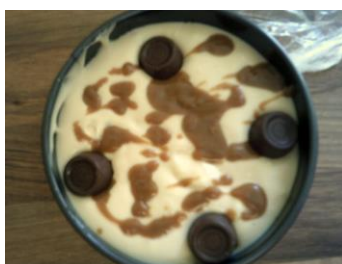
During the second part of the Summer Term, the Key Stage 3 and 4 pupils have been busy concentrating on foods and in particular meats that are “quick cook” and suitable for grilling on various appliances.

The picture below is a dish of Lamb koftas, served with a mixed salad and pitta bread.



Towards the end of the term, our attention was drawn to deserts. Deserts are always a firm favourite at the school with plenty of staff willing to be testers!

The picture below is of a Rolo Cheesecake.



### **AK buys DJ the Giraffe!**

AK saved money to buy a giraffe called DJ. She saved points at school and she did get enough money so on the 27<sup>th</sup> of June 2018 she buys the giraffe. She got it because she saw it and really wanted it.



AK stands tall with DJ the Giraffe.

10 year old AK bought a giraffe named DJ. AK first saw the giraffe in April and really wanted it. She got more and more excited every day she walked past it. When she eventually got it she felt happy. She said “It took 3 months to save up enough points to buy him”.

Article written by AK and HC



### Careers Fair

These pictures show some of our students attending a Careers Fair at Paston College. The students tried various tasks during the day; looking after a virtual baby and pedal power to create electricity. The students enjoyed the day and took an interest in different careers and activities that were on offer.



### End of term fun with furry friends!



This term students were visited by two furry friends; Rocky and Blue. Students took them for a walk in Thetford Forest and did tricks with them.

### KS2 Residential at Sacrewell



To finish a very successful year with our students, six children went to Sacrewell Farm, to camp overnight and undertake a range of activities around food and farming. All six were inevitably excited about the prospect and arrived, eager to familiarise themselves with the farm and to set up camp in their tents!! After a walk round the farm, the children looked round the mill and learnt about how flour was milled. Then they made their own dough, before breaking for lunch, when they explored the play area and the playbarn. After lunch, they dug holes in the pig pen, to fill them with water, so the piglets could wallow! Then they kneaded the dough in preparation for making bread for supper. After digging up potatoes and onions for tea, the children then made their own salads, which they ate with jacket potatoes and their bread. A spell round the campfire, singing and toasting marshmallows followed, before the inevitable tent swapping at bedtime!!

The next morning began with feeding the animals and it turned out that our children had an unusual effect on the alpacas, who were beguiled by our children and uncharacteristically friendly! A spell on the obstacle course brought the trip to an end and the delighted, but very tired children returned back to school. The team at Sacrewell Farm couldn't praise our children highly enough and we are hoping that this will be the start of an ongoing educational relationship! In the words of IS, 'It was the funnest trip ever!!'