

Cambian Wisbech School newsletter

Cooking

In cooking lessons this half term, pupils have continued to develop their skills by making a variety of savoury and sweet dishes. Including; cheesy triangles, mincemeat whirls, pasta and sauce with garlic bread, cupcakes and sponges and also rock cakes.













Terrific Topic!

During this half term, some of our pupils have been learning about the 'Great War' World War 1. In Topic lessons they have used design and technology skills to create Dioramas - models representing a scene with three-dimensional figures – of the World War 1 trenches. Below are statements from the pupils and photographs of their amazing work:

CD aged 12 - "I really enjoyed making a World War One Diorama. This was our topic for the term and I have learned so much about the 'GREAT WAR'. It Took nearly 3 weeks to finish and I am so excited to take it home."



CH aged 10 – "Our Project for the term was World War One. I thought this was an amazing, fun and relaxing project. I enjoyed making the the smaller pieces like the ladders and planes but my favourite part was creating 'No Mans Land'. I used some natural resources which looks really affective. This is the longest project I have ever done and I am really proud of myself that I have finished it!"



IS aged 12 – "I have made a diorama of world war one. This took me three weeks and I have designed and made all of the structure and details myself. I have enjoyed making this and cannot wait to take it home."





Afternoon Antics

During the afternoons the children have the privilege to do a variety of activities as a reward for achieving their morning learning points. These are things such as outdoor games, hair and beauty, Lego, arts and crafts, films and cooking.

These activities also help the children gain social skills and form a positive bond with different staff members, They also encourage our young people to have an open mind set of what they would like to do later in life.



Super Sessions House!

This half term at Sessions house, pupils have continued their learning in morning lessons, taking part in English, Maths and Topic. Morning arrival activities have included; listening to stories, quizzes, yoga and hand writing. In English we have looked at character descriptions and using adjectives for effect, as well as reading comprehensions to develop imagery and understanding. In Maths, pupils have used the programme MyMaths to develop knowledge and practice maths skills. In Topic, pupils have completed their dioramas and have now taken them home for people at home to see. It has been wonderful to see the development of skills and creativity involved in making these. In Science pupils have continued learning about solids, liquids and gasses and changes of state. They have looked at designing their own experiments to find out if the changes are reversible or irreversible





Amazing Anglia Way!

During this half term Pupils at Anglia Way have engaged well in English, Maths, Science and Humanities lessons. They have covered a range of topics, some of which included: using a 3D globe to look at continents of the world; created PowerPoints after researching their favourite city; calculating different time zones from around the world and studying the positives and negatives of breeding animals for human use and how this has developed over time.

During the afternoons students have practiced team building skills in outdoor games such as; cricket, football, netball, tennis and basketball. This has really brought the students together and helped build their confidence.





Music Lessons



MS has continued learning the drums in her music lessons. She has got great natural rhythm and is progressing well.

Art and Crafts





This half term we have been very lucky to have been provided with fantastic art kits by our play therapist and art teacher Michelle. Pupils have really enjoyed these. In addition to these, pupils also enjoyed creating some V.E. Day bunting!

Home Learning's a hit!

As we know, due to COVID-19, many of our pupils are working at home, being supported by their remote tutors. There have been reports from tutors of great learning experiences and of having lots of fun to keep them motivated and in good spirits during this difficult time. LC, one of our KS2 pupils has been creating a Lego project (pictured below).

PL (KS2) has been very interested in horrible histories and has conducted a survey of the wildlife on the River Wensum where she goes every day. HG (KS2) has been hand rearing some Egyptian goslings, which follow him about! They are nearly ready to go back and live in the field where his family keep their horses. He has also been really into My Maths and Guardian Defenders of Mathmatica on BBC Bitesize. Other pupils have been taking part in online learning activities and having fun with family. Here are some of their photos below:

