



LANSDOWNE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

This week we are delighted to announce that we will be holding a series of parent/carer meetings. Letters have been sent out with the dates and we look forward to having these face to face meetings. It has been a long time since our last events of this type and I know you will welcome the opportunity to meet your child's teachers and discuss their progress.

Roots and Shoots came to visit last week. Working with Year 13, they harvested lettuces and radishes and ensured all the plants were well watered and the beds were free of weeds. Well done 13AM.

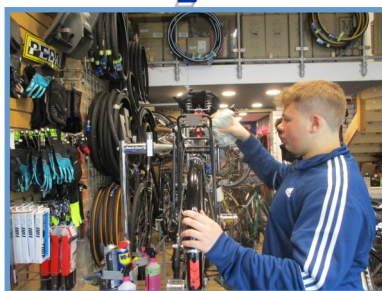
Class of the Week

Congratulations!

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Mr Jukes

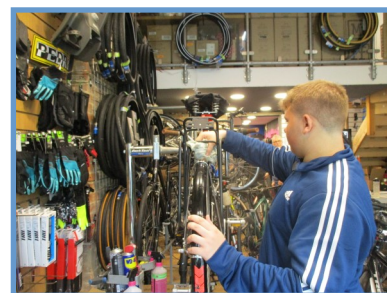
work Experience



Last week we had two students out on work experience.

Krystal enjoyed her time at the Italian Day nursery and Kanye learnt new skills at Bicyclogenation in West Norwood.

Both students kept a work experience diary so that they could reflect on their working days. They were both represented Lansdowne wonderfully and we are very proud of both of them.



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year 11 Art Trip

Year 11 students had a lovely time exploring the art installations at the exhibition *Testament* at the Goldsmiths Centre for Contemporary Art.

Forty seven different artists took part in this exhibition and the variety of art practices was evident. Most popular artworks were a giant monster where visitors could walk in and nap inside its wide mouth, a walk-in inflatable pub and a realistically looking furry cat sculpture asleep on a plinth (we could see the cat breathing too!).

Students' comments on the show:

"The artworks were illusional, creative, unbelievable and extravagant. I had a lovely time on the art trip, my mood was happy, vibrant, positive and cheerful. My favourite bit was the inflatable pub." Daniel

"We went inside the monster, it looked hilarious, funny and scary at the same time." Tamara

"The monster is an art installation as we sat inside, this made me feel funny and sleepy." Adam

"The composition of this artwork (hand sculpture) is calm and classical. If I could interview the artist I would ask how did she create it and what materials she used. The hand looks restful. The reason why the cat sculpture is my favourite is because it has a special feature, if you want to know more about the special feature you have to go to the Testament exhibition at Goldsmith's." Leandro



After school clubs

<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>
Football	Art
ICT	Bikes
Wii Dance	Drama
Sensory Play	Dodgeball

Working together

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