



# LANDSDOWNE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

This week we feature our first Duke of Edinburgh camping trip. This was an exciting event for the school and took much planning. A big thank you to Mr Lee for leading the trip which promoted students' personal development and engagement with the natural environment.

We are very pleased to have a trained animator on the staff, namely our teaching assistant, Jeremy. He has worked with both our Art teachers recently and we hope you enjoy the images and write up.

Mr Juckes

## Class of the Week in KS4

Congratulations!

**10LT**

## Class of the Week in KS5

Congratulations!

**11VG**

### Animation Workshop

Students working towards their Arts Award Explore, Bronze and Silver Certificates have enjoyed a workshop kindly provided by our Teaching Assistant Jeremy. Jeremy is an Animator, he shared his Artistic journey, creativity tips and how he got inspiration for his animation City of Insects, in which mutant insects take over a city. Students showed their enthusiasm when interviewing Jeremy for their Arts Award, and got to create an insect collage, as well as dialogue in speech/thinking bubbles for the characters in a storyboard.

Ms Mendonça







### Duke of Edinburgh Camping and Expedition

The Lansdowne DofE group recently took part in a two day camp and expedition experience to demonstrate their camping and outdoor living skills.

On the first day the focus was on camping. The skills and activities that the students took part in involved: putting up tents/shelters, Fire-making skills using flint, camp cooking skills, washing up of equipment as well as taking part in outdoor team games.

On the second day the group went to Oxleas Woods where they took part in a walking expedition. Some of the activities included: tree swinging, den building, exploring Severndroog Castle and the Woodlands farm. Students were also required to make their own lunch during our break in Oxleas Meadows.

Mr Lee

### After School Clubs

Some images of our students enjoying their Tuesday After School Club. Clubs are free and there is space for students except ICT Club which is full. If your child is interested in attending please speak with our Office.

Mr Jukes



### After School Clubs

3.30-4.15pm

#### Tuesdays

ICT  
Anime  
Football  
Basketball  
iGCSE English

#### Thursdays

Drama  
Art  
Table Tennis  
Dodgeball



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