



Corbets Tey@The Avelon



22nd October 2020 Newsletter



We hope you have a good half term break and we look forward to seeing the students back on Monday 2nd November

Future Inset Dates—22nd and 23rd February 2021

Park Lane News

Park Lane have had a busy couple of weeks in the run up to half term. They have been doing lots of Numeracy assessments and playing the multiplication game 'bingo bongo'. The students have been walking in the country park and using the outdoor exercise equipment so they didn't feel too guilty about ordering in pizza as a special treat on Wednesday! Everyone designed their own scary pumpkin then cut the face out ready for Halloween next week. All the students presented their 'Healthy Living' slideshow which they have been working on for the past few weeks.

Park Lane have been following their new rules really well; washing their hands regularly and making sure they don't share the classroom resources.



Vine Street News



Vine Street have had been having lots of fun learning how to cook safely. They have been paying extra attention on personal hygiene, keeping safe and health and safety in the kitchen. We have made smoothies, fresh juice, fruit kebabs, mini pizzas and apple crumble. Some students worked on individually following healthy recipes and weighing ingredients and some students worked on completing steps independently. All the students have enjoyed tasting all the healthy new ingredients and will continue to do so throughout the year.



Oxford Street News

This week Oxford Street class have looked at the seasons and the different temperatures. They have made frozen gloved hands filled with small Halloween items. These have been frozen and then the students have explored the best ways to melt the frozen hands using various tools. During reading sessions the students have continued to explore emotions through books they are listening to. The class has also been learning and matching safety symbols in the college environment. The students have been labelling, matching numbers and counting during their Numeracy sessions. During the motor skills sessions Oxford Street Class have been using their fine motor skills to practise using buttons, zips and tying knots. They have been using motor imitation to exercise their gross motor skills. The students have explored art in nature and made pictures with leaves and flowers. During their leisure time they have been working on making leisure choices from the activities available to encourage the students to choose something different rather than the Ipad each time. In Lifeskills the students have been learning to help tidy up after each activity, sorting cutlery, washing down the work surfaces and loading the dishwasher.



Bond Street News

Bond Street have continued learning about themselves and their bodies, in particular how certain activities may make them feel. They have been experiencing a range of activities that make them feel good. For example, daily aerobic and dance sessions, participating in stretching exercises, massage and relaxation, listening to their favourite music, completing puzzles, sensory activities and social games with their friends. The students have also made frozen fruit lollies during our cooking session and have planted lavender, pansies and spinach during gardening. All students have continued working on a range of life skills such as hand washing, wiping our tables and loading the dishwasher. To complete the theme for this term, they have also been learning about the weather and how this may impact on the clothes they wear or the activities that they do.



ETO Free Online Children's Show

Half Term release on Monday 26 October.

English Touring Opera have filmed an online puppetry performance of a brand new show and they're releasing it for free to all over Half-Term. It's suitable for all Early Years and KS1 audience, but also for SEND students.

Click for further information, a taster of the show and to register for free:

<https://mailchi.mp/englishtouringopera/family-mailing-list>

Please register before the show to watch at 10.00am.

Four friends fail in their hare-brained schemes to catch a beautiful birdy. The littlest of them knows that a bit of kindness can go a long way. Will his friends follow his gentle lead or will they get themselves into even more trouble?

The team behind the hugely successful 2020 digital & puppetry adaption of I Want My Hat Back return in style with a short film of Chris Haughton's much loved modern-classic SHH! WE HAVE A PLAN.



Dentist Recommendation

Can anybody recommend a dentist they have used who is understanding and caring towards SEN children and young people? If so please let us know so we can announce this on future newsletters.



Parents Calendar

November 2020				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Students back to college	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
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Easy Fundraising

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