

An Awesome Autumn term

We have had another fantastic term with all of the students, lots of great learning and opportunities to experience new places, people, and activities. We have welcomed new staff Chelsea and Natasha and also some new students; Sophie, Warren, Hayden and Tyler.

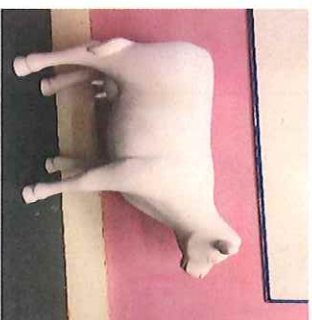
As you will know we have a culture and ethos of Thrive across the school and use the Thrive approach to support and guide students with their emotional and social wellbeing. I am pleased that Diane completed her 10 day practitioners training this term and so now is a qualified Thrive practitioner. As part of our therapeutic and resilience development all students spend a few hours per week at Wisbech Community Farm working with the animals, building enclosures, growing food for the pets and generally contributing to the care and welfare of the animals. All students seem to enjoy the experiences and have been able to make excellent contributions. We have also signed up to the Cambridge Mini Moo project, our cow arrived a few weeks ago and Gemma and Lisa have been working with the students to finalise the design for the cow. Once it has been painted it will be displayed in a prominent position in Cambridge, so we will be able to visit our gorgeous mini moo art installation, we will let everyone know where and when.

Wishing you all a Happy Christmas and a Joyous new year.

Jane Wilson



ON TRACK EDUCATION



Introducing OTE our mini moo! OTE is to be designed, then shown off in Cambridge for 12 weeks before coming back to school late next term. We cannot wait to show you the finished OTE!



This term has seen some great progress at the Community Farm in Wisbech. Students assisted in building a large outbuilding for the small animals. All students have enjoyed getting to know the animals at the farm too! These are our students Sophie and Riley on the 3 wheel trike.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Finish Autumn Term – 18th 12:30pm

Start back to school 7th January

Finish for half term 14th February

Start back 24th February

In Science this term the main focus has been on Biology and Chemistry. However, Warren and TJ have really enjoyed making electrical circuits, and have even made flying propellers!



Meet our resident On Track Oasis tribute band made up of Bobby and Kenziel!



We was invited to the 38th Annual Joan Mann Sports Day on the 24th September which was attended by the whole school. This was a spectacular day which saw 2 of our students get Silver and Gold on the 100m sprint! Well done to Dexter and Riley for winning those medals but also to all the students who got involved with the activities such as running, obstacle course, basketball and football.

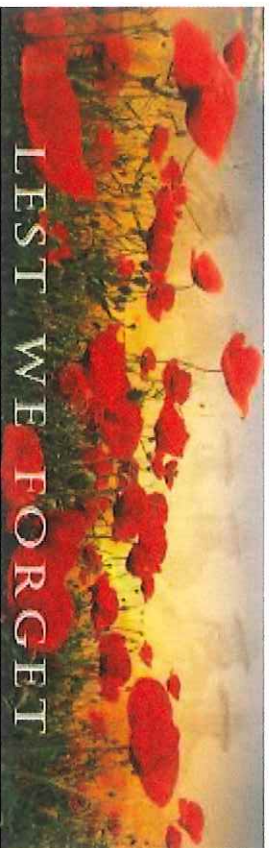


On Thursday 12th December most students attended the pantomime, Aladdin in King's Lynn. This was a brilliant performance by the cast from Jordan Productions. Twist and Pulse who have just won BGT The Champions not only joined the cast, they directed the entire panto too!

"Following their recent win for Best Choreography at the Great British Pantomime Awards, the Lighthouse Theatre, Kettering are over the moon to welcome back Twist and Pulse for Aladdin." – Jordan Production.



On the 11th day of the 11th month at the 11th hour, the country falls silent to pay respect to all those who have paid the ultimate sacrifice. This year, it was my honour to lead the students in a 2 minute silence. Having served in HM Armed Forces for eleven years, I can say that the students observed this silence with the thoughtfulness and reverence that I have witnessed at State ceremonies. They should all be as proud of themselves as I am of them. – Holly Wilson



Lola's chopping skills!

