Littlegreen Academy

We've embraced thrive in our Setting

SOLENT Academies Trust

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Littlegreen Academy's Vision

Our vision is that all pupils at Littlegreen Academy will grow to be confident adults who communicate well, so that they can live healthy, happy, and successful lives.

The foundation of all our endeavours in everything we do.

Class of The Week: Bignor

This term, Bignor class have been super busy, pupils have been working hard revising for their GCSEs, showing real Perseverance and pushing themselves even when things felt challenging. Their effort and determination have been great to see.

There has also been plenty happening outside of the classroom. Mountain biking at Fort Purbrook has been a definite highlight, with Bignor class enjoying the challenge, supporting each other, and being Accepting of setbacks while learning new skills.

Many pupils have enjoyed coaching and managing football games for younger pupils, which has helped build confidence and leadership. Alongside this, they have been getting stuck into their option subjects, engaging well and showing how Ambitious they are about their future.

As the term comes to an end, pupils have been preparing for the next stage of life through real-life scenarios and open class discussions. These sessions have been a great chance to reflect, share ideas, and think about what's coming next.

Value of the Week- Accepting

Lenny, Lloyd, Martin, Bailey, Charlie, Riley and Jack from Butser class have all shown Acceptance by accepting help in Maths and English. Well done class!

Tristan has been nominated from Halnaker Class for showing Acceptance with his English work. He returned to school this week with a fantastic attitude and tried really hard with his learning.

Cooper from Bignor Class has been nominated for Accepting support from all those around him. Including class peers.

Riley S From Kingley Class has been chosen for taking the time to welcome a new adult in to the school.

Jenson from Oak Class has been chosen for recognising and Accepting people's differences.

Forthcoming Events

4th May- Bank holiday- School closure

14th May- GCSEs begin

25th -29th May- Half term

1st June- Pupils return

Subject of The Week: English

The Spring term was very busy for English across the school. Reading for pleasure is now firmly embedded, and we now have a new focus moving into the summer term. Some of our pupils find the process of writing difficult, rather than relying solely on daily practice, we wanted to explore how we can better understand and support the underlying fine-motor, sensory, and organisational demands that make handwriting challenging for many of our pupils.

To facilitate this, we carried out a Pupil Voice session with our Occupational Therapist (OT) Delphine, pupils shared openly what they find most difficult ranging from sitting at their desks, holding a pen or pencil or even maintaining focus.

Their feedback directly created a wish list, with several items being ordered straight away. The last couple of weeks, pupils trialled the equipment they asked for. Delphine also visited classrooms to fit flexi-bands to chairs to support regulation and provided pencil grips tailored to individual needs. We also looked at alternative ways to record and improve our keyboard skills.

Alongside this World Book Day gave us a snapshot of writing progress: in Upper School and Lower School assemblies pupils wrote short sagas in ten minutes, demonstrating not just improved fluency but a growing belief in themselves as writers.

This success is the result of the steady, everyday encouragement from staff reading with pupils and celebrating writing.

Right of the week

Responsibilities of parents

Parents are the main people responsible for bringing up a child. When the child does not have any parents, another adult will have this responsibility and they are called a "guardian".

E-Praise

Congratulations to our top point scorers of the week:

Luca from Harting class for upper school

Dexter from Elm class for lower school