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COMMUNITY VISITS



Our community visits have been enjoyed by all of our students this term.

Visits have been based around work experience activities, community inclusion and enterprise projects. A particular

favourite was exploring and picking our favourite pumpkins ready for our Halloween display for our spooky enterprise sale.

We have enjoyed making choices, ordering and paying for our items in Rowberry's cafe. Everyone enjoyed spending time with their friends and getting to know new members of the team.

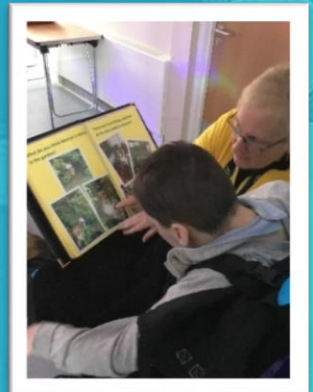


IMPORTANT DATES

- Tuesday 11th Feb, 6pm-8pm - Parents Evening
- Monday 24th Feb, staff INSET day - College closed for students
- Transition Meeting for Parents of college leavers - Tuesday 3rd March 1.30pm - 2.30pm
- Wednesday 1st July - Summer Fete
- Tuesday 7th July, 6.30pm-8pm - Celebration Evening

THERAPY DOG

Merryn the therapy dog has been visiting our students and making herself at home. We have been learning about caring for dogs and her life as a therapy dog as part of our curriculum.





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CHRISTMAS MARKET

On Friday 22nd of November we held our annual Christmas market on Bromsgrove High Street. Despite the cold and persistent rain, our staff and students did their best to sell the products they had worked hard to create during the previous term.

On sale was our usual assortment of Christmas themed, hand crafted decorations, gift packs and treats.

We would like to thank everyone that helped out on the day, staff, students, friends and family, along with all the many customers that came to buy from us and donate money to the centre.



ROMEO AND JULIET



As part of our independent living skills curriculum all students are taking part in sessions based around equality and diversity. Through acting out scenes from Romeo and Juliet students are developing communication skills.

SIGN OF THE WEEK

We've launched a 'Sign of the Week' blog post on our website. Each week our students focus on a new sign and we upload a video of it to our blog!

To take a look, please head over to:
chadsgrovelearningcentre.org.uk



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IT'S PANTO TIME!



Six students and four staff visited the Palace Theatre in Redditch on Tuesday the 10th of December and all thoroughly enjoyed the pantomime, Cinderella... Oh no they didn't! Oh yes they did! We laughed, hissed, booed and ate posh ice-cream, a great day had by all.



MUSIC THERAPY

Music is such a powerful medium for relaxation, entertainment and of course, education. Students on our 'Explorers' pathway have been accessing Music Therapy sessions to take full advantage of the benefits that it provides. I think the picture speaks for itself!



MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Students return to college on the 6th of January. Until then, from all of us to all of you, a very Merry Christmas! See you in 2020!