

Headteacher's Award

Well done to the following pupils who were given Headteacher's Award certificates this week.

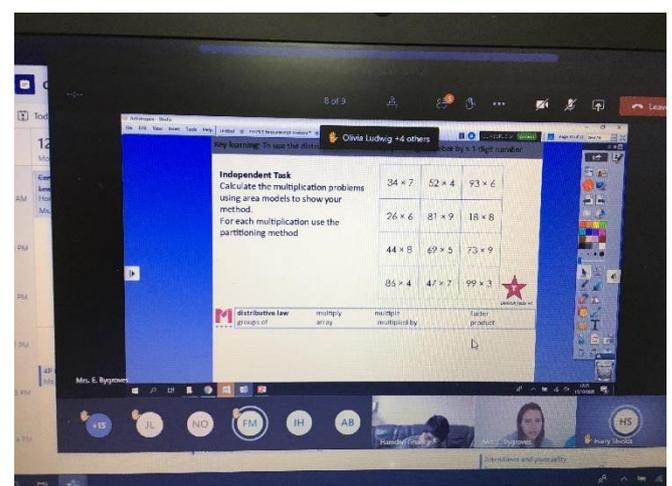
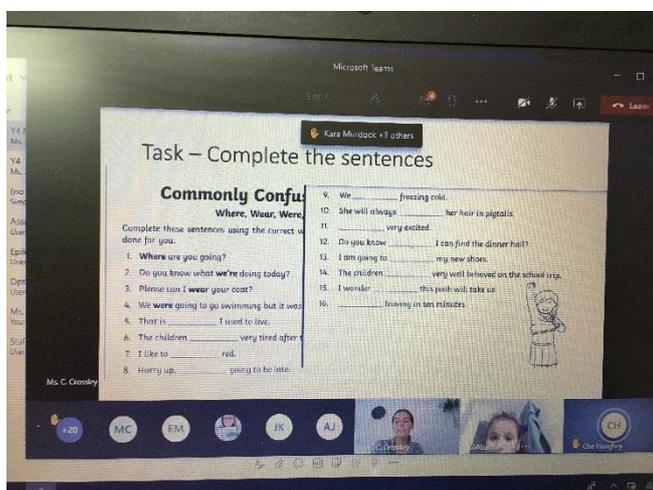
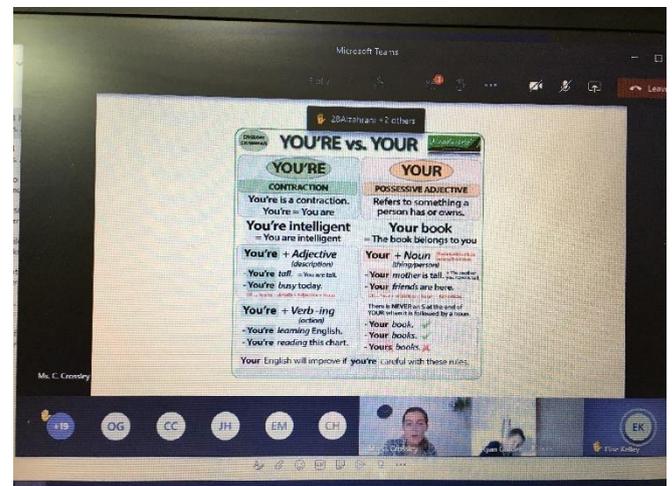
Rosie M-L, Eva L, Jacob T, Alena Q, Mae H, Bobby L, Lottie G-B, Olivia L, Oliver N, Millie C, Lucas D, Sam P, Hannah W, Chet L, Alexa C, Emelia M, Stanley Ca, Sophia T, Poppy M, Alisha S, Neha J, Ben C & Gino McN-L.

A massive thank you to 4Q & 4P pupils, parents and staff! Whilst both classes are at home isolating their learning hasn't stopped.

Lessons swiftly moved on the Microsoft teams and Seesaw.

Just a few reminders for the online lessons

Please ensure that your child is dressed, not in their bedroom and has equipment ready to learn.





Year 6 pupils have been learning about where fruit comes from around the world in Geography and the impact of Covid 19 and Brexit on the supply chain. The children were very fortunate on Tuesday to have a Zoom interview with Kate from Adam's

Apple Greengrocer on Allerton Road. They asked Kate lots of questions and she explained how circumstances at the moment are affecting the market and possible implications for the future. We would like to thank Kate for taking the time to talk to Year 6 and for presenting such a clear, articulate view of the current situation and how this influences fruit sold in the greengrocers.



With our residential for York (Year 5) and Anglesey (Year 6) coming in the summer term, we are holding out hope that these can still go ahead. If we attempted to cancel and rebook last minute, we would not get a place which would be such a shame, especially having missed out last term.

So, it is for this reason we have kept our deposits in place from ParentPay. This notice is just to reassure parents that, if the residential has to be cancelled by law at that moment, you will receive a full refund. We would also like to give advance warning that the Anglesey trip has been extended to a full week, to take the place of Lakeside. So, if the trip gets the go ahead, there will be additional cost to pay for the extra few days.

We will try to give as much notice as possible if/when we are able to. In the meantime, if you have any questions, please contact Mr Stamper. We appreciate your patience on this moment, and hope you can appreciate the position we are in and what we are trying to do for our children!

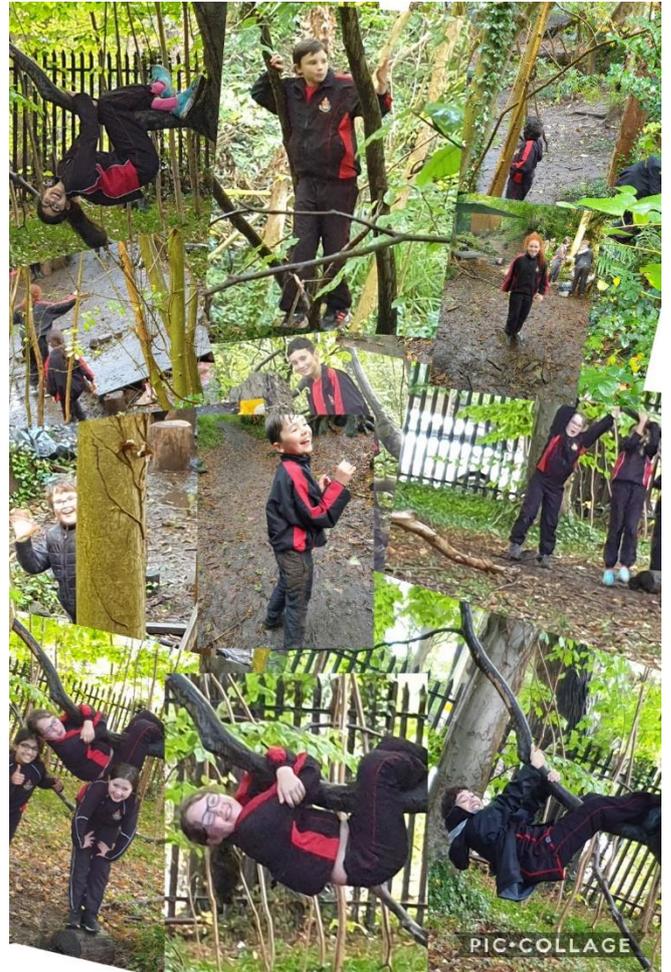


Forest school hasn't really happened this week, but it's imperative that we see the antics of Y5 and Y6 from last Friday.

Considering they are top of the Prep School in age, it never ceases to please me when they act and enjoy themselves like the children they are. Through squeals of delight, the mud-soaked monsters slipped and slid through rivers of mud, clambered up trees and hung from branches. They played together, explored and investigated, finding ever-new discoveries of fungi and bugs.

For the first time this term, in-fact, for the very first time, we lit our new (brand spanking new!!) firebowl. The crackle of the wood and the heat from the flames filled us with joy as we toasted our marshmallows.

What a great afternoon!! I can't wait to get back to it!!

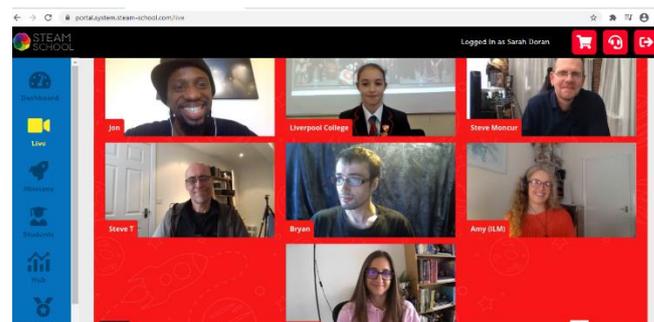
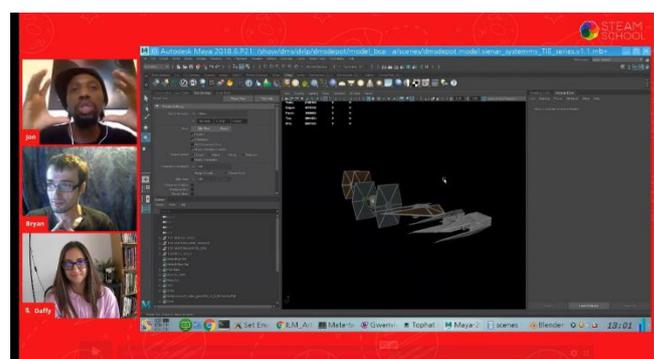
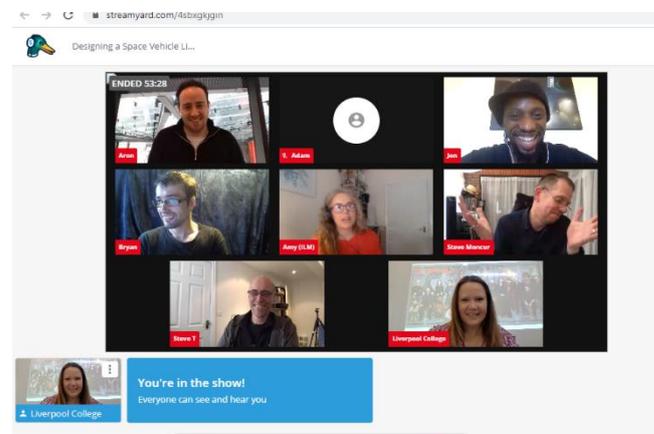


On Tuesday Liverpool College was involved in an event out of this world when our students were invited to attend a live workshop led by Industrial Light Magic. For those who don't know, ILM was the special effects company formed by George Lucas in 1975 to make the most successful movie series of all Time - STAR WARS. The special effects company has since gone on to create over 300 blockbusters, such as Indian Jones, Pirates of the Caribbean, Ghostbusters, Jurassic Park, Back to the Future, Spiderman, the Avengers films and the transformers movies (to name just a few)!

The broadcast included a practical demonstration by actual artists, 3D modellers and special visual directors. They taught students the process of drawing Star Wars Space vehicles from concept thumbnail sketches to 2D drawing from different perspectives followed by how to convert these drawings into a 3D models that can be brought to life on screen. Liverpool College students were then given an opportunity to present questions to some of the greatest he special effects experts in the world. Our thanks to Edward, Bailie, Leilani, Hannah and Emily for their wonderful questions, Mrs Doran and STEAM schools for coordinating the event and of course ILM for their SUPERB workshop.

Most students should have now watched this broadcast in school time. If you haven't seen it and would like to, a recording is available for two weeks only at <https://portal.system.steam-school.com/login#> Students will need their STEAM schools username and password which has been emailed via Seesaw.

Industrial Light Magic have now launched an incredible competition with some incredible prizes. Please see 'Design a Mars Vehicle' for more details.



Star Wars competition is out of this world!

ALL students in the Prep school have been asked to produce a competition entry this weekend for the Design a Space Vehicle following the ILM workshop. ILM are the special effects team that created Star Wars. All details, including how to submit entries, have been **emailed via Seesaw**. The competition is to 'design a family vehicle to use on Planet Mars'. You can **draw your design** or **make a model** or do a video. I recommend you explaining why you have designed it the way you have to match its environment.

Things to think about

- Mars is very cold-- way below freezing! Heaters!
- Mars has about one-third the gravity of Earth. Will this affect the vehicle design?
- The atmosphere of Mars is much thinner than Earth's. People would not be able to breathe the air on Mars.
- Can you communicating with home.
- Think Engineering. What is it's power source?

To submit, please email Joanne, our Community Manager, at communitymanager@steam-school.com with a link to a file location (dropbox/google drive/onedrive) for your entry. Please state the school, name and year group. The Deadline is tight - entries must be submitted by **Wednesday 21 October 12noon**.

Any questions please email Mrs Doran sedoran@liverpoolcollege.org.uk

Good luck - and may the force be with you!

Year 3 and Year 5 pupils were thrilled to take part in a virtual reality day this week. Enhancing their Science and History topics. Organised by Mrs Doran, the virtual reality headsets brought to life the entire universe for Y5, allowing students to explore our entire solar system in a way they had never seen before. Their understanding of the scale of the universe was significantly improved as a result of this fantastic experience.



VIRTUAL ORGAN RECITAL!

Mr Harvey will be delivering a virtual organ recital on the **31st October 2020** live from the School Chapel. This will be Mr Harvey's organ recital debut and has a cracking show-stopper of a programme install. Mr Harvey will be playing pieces by well-known composers such as Bach, Johnson, Hammerstein and Widor.

For the link and virtual programme please contact Mr Harvey on: lharvey@liverpoolcollege.org.uk

Best wishes to you all for a
good weekend!
Mrs A Pease - Head of Prep



The good news Prep school all of the school swimming lessons will continue as normal.

Year 6 don't forget your kit next week!

PLEASE CHECK THAT ALL KIT/UNIFORM IS NAMED THIS WEEKEND

We have rather a lot of lost property in the lost property box.

Malaya S has lost her named school coat

