CELEBRATING REDWOOD CLASS!

A photo-rich celebration of learning and achievement

TERM
Autumn 2
2026

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LEARNING IN ACTION



Learners have been working on responding to new and unfamiliar sensory experiences, helping them to develop their tolerance of changes in routine and different activities. We have been sharing a sensory story and exploring a range of smells, textures, and sounds to bring the story to life.

PROUD MOMENTS



Learners worked on preparing to host the school Halloween disco, last term. Each learner had the opportunity to select a song for the playlist using their preferred method of communication. They used switch technology to make popcorn to serve and created spooky art to decorate the hall. We saw hand skills, turn taking, tolerating new and less familiar experiences and environments. Well done, everyone!

DEVELOPING OUR SKILLS



Our daily visits to the Post 14 flat provide opportunities for learners to build confidence in a familiar setting beyond the classroom. Here, they practise communication skills through food preparation activities and social interactions with their peers. Learners are also developing their ability to sequence instructions and decide on the next steps in an activity.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT / BRITISH VALUES

*Last month, we were delighted to welcome the **Cornwall Hospitality Collective** to our school. As part of this exciting visit, a professional chef gave our post-14 learners an insight into life in a busy kitchen, creating a valuable careers encounter and hands-on learning experience. Learners explored a variety of ingredients using their senses and took part in every stage of the cookie-making process, from mixing and rolling the dough to tasting the ingredients. The session encouraged curiosity, independence, and active participation while introducing learners to different roles within the hospitality industry. Once the cookies were baked, learners enjoyed decorating them with toppings of their choice, adding their own creativity to the finished products. The visit was a wonderful opportunity to strengthen our community links while providing a fun, engaging, and meaningful experience that our learners thoroughly enjoyed.*

REMINDERS & NEXT STEPS

Useful information for families

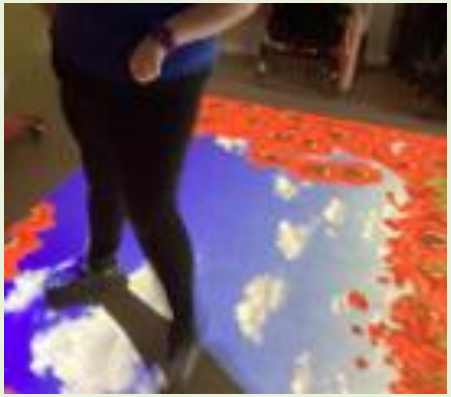
TRIPS & UPCOMING EVENTS

- *4th December – Doubletrees Christmas Market (2pm)*
- *11th December - Parent afternoon tea (2pm)*
- *18th December – Last day of term*

THE CLASS TEAM



SHARING OUR LEARNING



Magic Carpet



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Make it Happen

DON'T FORGET

- *Please check the home-school diary for updates and reminders*
- *Swim sessions are on Monday and Friday*
- *A change of clothes for messy play / creative arts is encouraged*

MORE MOMENTS



CONTACT & UPDATES

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