

CREATE Excellence Together

Message from The Executive Head

As we come to the end of another busy term at Sandwell Community School, I want to thank all of the students, parents/carers and staff who have helped lay the foundations for a successful year.

It is important to remember that,

“Success is the sum of small efforts repeated day in and day out”

So as we wind down for this break, we must keep an eye on the ever changing Covid situation and ensure we follow the rules day in and day out and in doing so we will have a successful Christmas period.

I would welcome your support to ensure pupils return to school in the New Year with a positive mindset and a clear focus to CREATE their futures

C	ore skills to maximise achievement
R	espect everyone’s unique contribution positively and safely
E	nterprising to solve problems
A	pply learning to new challenges
T	hinking skills to prepare for the future
E	motional intelligence to reach potential

I want to wish you all a very merry Christmas, a happy holiday period and a prosperous New Year.

Stay SAFE
Kevin Morgan
Executive Head Teacher



Attendance is mandatory and usual rules on attendance apply, including:

- Parents’ duty is to ensure that their child attends school regularly
- School having the ability to issue sanctions, including fixed penalty notices, in line with local authorities’ codes of conduct should a student not attend
- If your child is going to absent or you would like to discuss your child’s attendance, please contact school on **01215335802**

Attendance Ladder





Assessment Centre

Our campus were lucky enough to take part in Bikeability. This course gives everyone the confidence and skills to enjoy this skill for life and also receive a qualification for it if you pass. Students really enjoyed the session. They started off on the school car park to begin their level one and check they were safe enough and skilled enough to move onto level 2. Level 2 involved some road riding with the instructor.



Celebrating Events from Around the World

We enjoy learning and celebrating about different cultures and different events from around the world. What's better than learning to cook different dishes from around the world too... Some of the dishes we've made include this term include: chicken curries, vegetable curries, Halloween themed cupcakes, jerk chicken, onion bajis, pizzas and dumplings.



For our October Half Term reward trip, our top 3 students were lucky enough to go to Pizza Hut. These students had the highest CREATE points or were the most improved student. Each of the students loved having the opportunity to go offsite and experience eating in a restaurant with their friends. Lots of yummy food was consumed and we had a brilliant afternoon celebrating the student's hard work!



**Black Country
Women's Aid**

we listen, we support, we care

Preventative Centre

We have been working with BCWA to create artwork in regards to Domestic Violence, this artwork was exhibited at the West Bromwich Town Hall. One of our students represented the campus at this event with her artwork.

This was a really successful event and was shared via Sandwell Council website and in the local



Fundraising



We have had 2 fundraising events at CREATE this term: Macmillan Coffee Morning we raised £76.20 and Children in need we raised £32.00. A fun day was had by all that attended.



Farewell

We will be saying good bye to 3 of our students, good luck in the future to you all at your schools.

Attendance

Attendance - our attendance for the Autumn Term at CREATE is 83.7%. Would like to thank all parents/carers for their continued support.

Our attendance superstars this half term are: AsCo - 100% and MaLa - 97.5%. Well done both.

Behaviour

We use CREATE points to track the behaviour of students whilst at school, the CREATE points superstars of the term are: MALA and MARI. A big well done to both of you

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Football Report



SCS make a smashing start to the new football season. Well done lads, a well-deserved 3 points!

Final score: SCS 12-3 Brades Lodge

Man of the match: AdLe

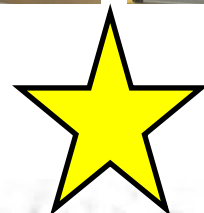
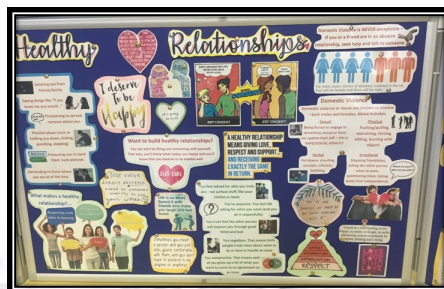
Match report

A game full of a lot of goals. A strong start to the season, in the first 10-15 minutes SCS were comfortably in control of the game and leading 3-0. A very strong defense stopping Brades Lodges attacking play. And some very good link up work by the midfield to assist the strikers to put us plenty of goals in front. Well done to JeWi for his first game in goal. Also HaHe and JaSo for a strong first performance. 3 new players to strengthen the squad A very good start to the season. Special mention to AdLe for man of the match and an athletic overhead kick!



NHS Roadshow Healthy relationships, puberty and sexual health

The NHS Roadshow consisted of a puberty booth with info on hygiene and changes in the body. A healthy relationship booth looking at Respect, Trust and DV. The Sexual health booth included information on contraceptives and STIs.



BLACK HISTORY MONTH



Sporting heroes

As part of Black history month, pupils learnt about the history of several sporting icons, and the difficulties they faced and barriers they overcame. Students explored how these athletes have shaped the sporting world of today.

SCS celebrated Black History day on 22nd October 2021. Students spent the morning learning about the various topics below.

Caribbean Cooking	Civil rights/ Black lives Matter too	Nelson Mandela and quiz	Sporting heroes	Art Project (Culture)	History of Music	Films and Hollywood Stars	Martin Luther King
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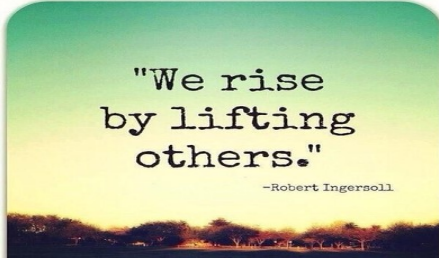
KS3 spent the morning preparing and cooking Caribbean food.





MacMillan

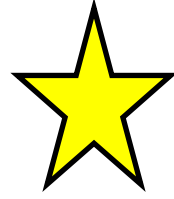
Cakes and beverages were sold to contribute to the MacMillan charity
Both staff and pupils donated £1 to wear their own clothes





BBC

Children
in Need



SCS raised over £77 pounds for children in need. Both staff and pupils donated £1 to wear their own clothes. AmWi, JuKa and DeWa sold hot chocolate and brownies to staff, students and visitors. Demi baked brownies which were delicious. These students were awarded certificates for helping to bake, collect orders and sell hot chocolate and brownies. Students took part in curriculum activities with a Children in need theme.



The Deputy head was very impressed with his 'posh' hot chocolate.





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The Executive Headteacher, Governors and all staff would like to wish our students and their families a peaceful Christmas and prosperous new year.

**We look forward to seeing you on
Tuesday 4th January 2022**

TERM DATES

Spring Term

Term starts: 4th January 2022

Half term: 21st—25th February 2022

End of term: 8th April 2022

Summer Term

Term starts: 25th April 2022

Half term: 30th May - 3rd June 2022

End of term: 21st July 2022



By N.Taylor

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