

Lindsworth School: Residence

Summer Term Newsletter



As the school year draws to a close, it's time to celebrate the incredible experiences, growth and connections made in our Residence Provision. Lindsworth School's extended day programme is a sanctuary of learning and laughter - a place where students thrive academically while developing vital life and social skills.

Rooted in our **PRIDE** values, the provision encourages **Positivity** in every interaction, nurtures **Respect** through teamwork and shared experiences, builds **Independence** in daily routines, champions **Determination** by trying new challenges, and nurtures **Equality** through inclusive activities that bring every resident into the fold.

Community & Collaboration

Mondays are a particular highlight, with students and staff coming together to plan and prepare delicious meals based on pupil preferences. Whether it's pancakes, pasta, or hearty stews, residents learn about budgeting, nutrition, and teamwork - all while enjoying a homemade dinner together. Shopping outings to Sainsbury's teach pupils how to work within a budget, an empowering hands-on life skills experience.

From quiet moments with comic books and word searches to energetic laser tag matches, each term is packed with opportunities for creativity, movement and discovery.





Last Term Highlights

- ✓ Cinema visit and Cadbury treasure hunt
- ✓ Swimming in open-air baths and aquarium exploration
- ✓ Geology field trip
- ✓ Creative sessions: art, story writing, design projects
- ✓ Dodgeball, badminton, table tennis, football, and gym training
- ✓ Nature walks in local parks and Cannon Hill Park



Alongside leisure, students engaged in practical lessons in road safety, laundry, cleaning, setting the table, and even shoelace tying - real-life skills that support a confident, independent future.



Prior Terms This Year

- ✓ Park walks: Kings Norton, Lightwood, and Cannon Hill
- ✓ Mother's Day crafts, Lego night, and Hama beads
- ✓ Aquarium setup for KS2 pupils
- ✓ Board games and body-building practice in the gym
- ✓ Basketball, badminton, and preparations for Sports Week, including a motivational walk-tracking system with pie-chart rewards!



Some residents also chose to support others through the confidential creation of food parcels for pupils in need, exemplifying compassion and community spirit.

Celebrating Achievements Together

To round off this year, students were recognised with personalised Certificates of Achievement, followed by a joyous BBQ, water fight and games afternoon! It was a moment that truly reflected the unity and growth within our residence community.

Whether cooking, creating, exploring or learning, our students have demonstrated the essence of what it means to live by the Lindsworth School **PRIDE** values. Our Residence Provision continues to be a nurturing environment that empowers young people to flourish both in and out of the classroom.