

Hello to all of our families and friends at college. We hope you are all well and ready for Christmas.

Our final Newsletter of the year is dedicated to our dear friend Jack. Jack has had such a positive impact on all of us and we all feel so lucky that he has been part of our lives and a good friend to us over the years. We will remember Jack for his charming smile, dazzling blue eyes and of course for his wicked sense of humour. We will think of Jack when it rains, when we hear his favourite songs and when we share memories with each other. We will talk about Jack often and laugh at all the fun times we shared. We will keep Jack and his family in our hearts forever.



We would like to share just a few of our memories captured on camera of special times spent with our friend Jack. We ask you to click on the link to listen to the music and reflect on your own memories of this wonderful young man. <a href="https://youtu.be/gwL7OWgbruY">https://youtu.be/gwL7OWgbruY</a>









#### Jack's Friendship story massage

I give you this one thought to keep (The Calm)

I am with you still. I do not sleep. (The Squeeze)

I am a thousand winds that blow. (The Wave)

I am the diamond glints on the snow. (The Bounce)

I am the sunlight on a ripened grain. (The Circle)

I am the gentle Autumn rain. (The Sprinkle)

When you awaken in the mornings hush. (The Fan)

I am the swift, uplifting rush of quiet birds in circled flight. (The claw)

I am the soft stars that shine at night. (The Sprinkle)

Do not think of me as gone. (The Circle)

I am with you still and our memories will live on. (The Calm)



Click the link and enjoy one of Jack's favourite songs.

https://youtu.be/yqLLDZvbG-U



We would like to arrange a special memorial event for Jack as soon as we are able to welcome visitors back into school. Jack's friends and Teachers are hoping to buy a wind chime and plaque for our Sensory Garden which will be dedicated to Jack. This will be a special place for us all to go and talk about Jack and share our memories.

We will keep you all updated about this and hope to see you all as soon as we can.



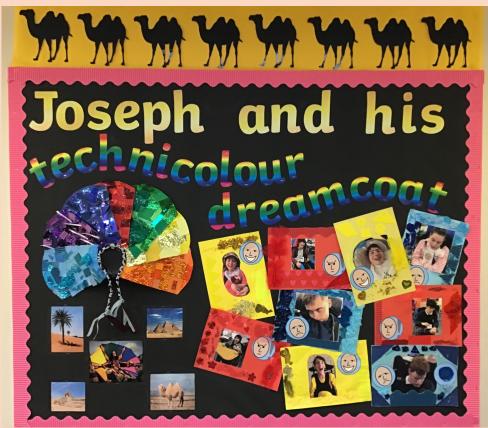


We are extremely proud of our two fabulous candidates for the Head Girl and Head Boy position at school. All of the votes will be counted and the results shared on January the 15th.

Good Luck Jessica and Mason!!!



Everyone has enjoyed working on our Joseph and his Technicoloured Dream Coat story this term. Look at some of the brilliant learning that has taken place. Well done to all pupils for their effort and engagement during a very different term at school.



Take a look at our colourful display in school. We have been learning about different emotions, which the pupils demonstrate so well in their own art work. We have enjoyed our sensory story and explored colour in lots of different ways.

















### College **News**











Another busy week at college and some of us are already starting to get into the Christmas spirit! Especially Chantel, who has been brushing up on her hairdressing skills. James absolutely loves to relax with a foot spa and he's been learning to set it up on his own. Jula and Connor were very excited to paint stones to exchange with their friends in 14US and really enjoyed going out to find the beautiful stones that 14US had painted for them.

It's beginning to look at lot like Christmas! During our last week at school we were getting into the Christmas spirit and having lots of fun with our friends. The chocolate art work went down a treat!

















A Christmas message from all the staff in 14US.

Thank you to all of our wonderful pupils for making this term so positive. You have all been a credit to yourselves and families and we are so proud of you all. We are a good team and support each other through the good and bad times. We all feel so lucky to spend our days full of love, laughter and happiness. Have a Happy Christmas everyone and we look forward to many more adventures in the New Year. Love from Ange, Ren, Ria, Kate, Hayley, Lisa and Derren. Xxxxxxx







Please click the link to see our Christmas messages.

https://youtu.be/higpghC4AsM