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Work Experience Placements

This week saw our Year 10 students out on their Work Experience Placements with a huge variety of local and national businesses and enterprises. The students independently sourced their placements and contacted their employers before applying to complete their work experience with them. This was a fantastic way for students to develop their verbal communication (and telephone skills) as well as learn how to complete application forms and work to a deadline.

During the week, we visited and spoke to our students and asked what they had enjoyed about work experience and what they had learned;

“It’s going great! I’ve been doing lots of different things.” Lois Robinson.

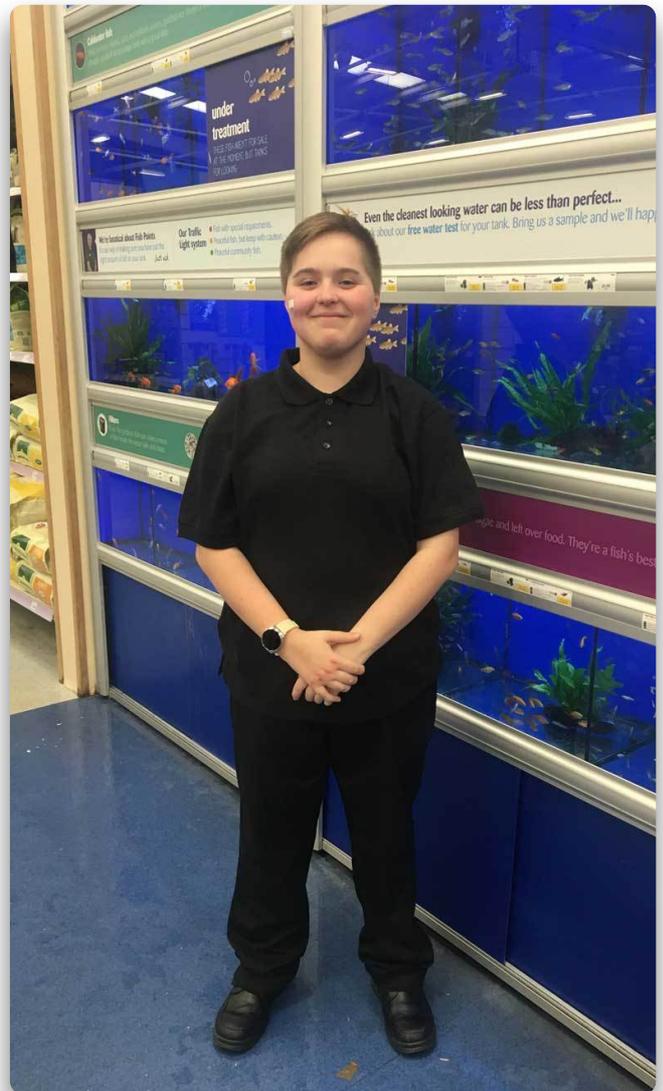
“I’m having a great time - I can really see myself being here in the future.” Aisha Afzal.

“It’s been really fun - I’ve learnt a lot and I’m having a really good time!” Sam Fullerton.

All of the students thoroughly enjoyed their week placement. It provided them with an invaluable insight into potential career options allowing them to be more focused and determined as they now get ready to move into Year 11 and sit their GCSEs.

The feedback from employers has been incredibly positive as well. Sharples School is incredibly grateful to all of our employer links for being incredibly accommodating and providing such brilliant opportunities for our pupils. They have allowed them to develop and gain skills that they will carry with them throughout their entire academic (and professional) careers.

A huge thank you also goes to Mrs Khan and Miss Amdavadi for running the entire process for Year 10. The quality of this year’s placements have been outstanding and our students are extremely lucky to have these opportunities. We would like to sincerely thank all employers for their continued support and look forward to working with you again next year.





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Rotary Interact Triathlon

This week, the members of our Rotary Interact Club took part in a mini triathlon after school to raise money for life straws. This life-saving piece of equipment can filter dirty water for a single user to ensure that they are not drinking any dirt or bacteria. Each straw costs approximately 1 pound and our members completed 10 minutes cycling, 10 minutes running and 10 lengths of the swimming pool whilst being sponsored for their efforts. A huge well done to Paul and Jean (from Bolton Le Moors Rotary Club) who joined our youngsters and took part too.

We look forward to the final total being announced!



UK Maths Challenge

This year 190 students across years 7, 8, 9 and 10 took part in the UK Maths Challenge. Years 7 and 8 completed the junior challenge whilst Year 9 and 10 completed the intermediate challenge. This was Sharples best set of results yet! Altogether, we won 54 certificates which was a fantastic achievement!

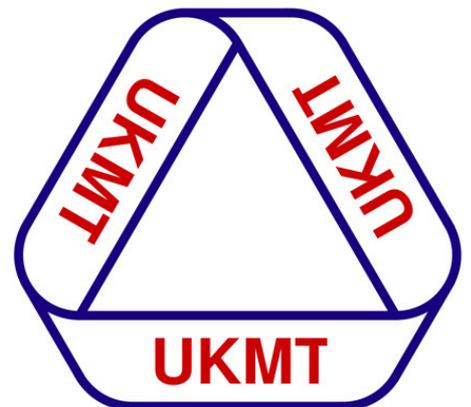
In Year 7, Ayyan Atif was awarded Gold. Alex Wood, Graice Cross, Imaan Hassan and Zainul Mohmed were awarded Silver.

In Year 8, Dylan Breward and Tashana Dalhouse were awarded Gold. Maria Ehiamen, Sania Mahmoud, Ummihani Mohmed, Elliot Whittle and Leighton Kennedy were awarded Silver.

In Year 9, Muhammad Dawood, Ellesha Leach and Zaeem Kauji were awarded Silver.

In Year 10, Shamail Aurang was awarded Gold. Sam Fullarton, Ibrahim Ali, Muhammad Shabbir and Leon Haslam were awarded Silver.

Well done to everyone who took part and congratulations to everyone who won a certificate!





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Food Tasting

Pupils at Sharples travelled the world (this Wednesday lunch time) by sampling a selection of foods from different countries. Greek, Italian, French and Spanish foods (along with some Indian and Polish treats) were available for the pupils to try and many were not shy to try a range of new flavours. Whether they liked the food or not, pupils got the chance to try something new and experience tastes they had never come across before. Overall, it seems the Polish wafer biscuit was the most popular treat with many pupils asking for more! The Language Ambassadors were the perfect hosts, laying the food out and even going around the classroom to serve their peers. It was a very successful MFL event at Sharples School.



Runshaw Taster Day

On Thursday, Sharples School took a select group of Year 10 pupils to Runshaw College for a taster day. Pupils had the opportunity to experience what a day as a college student entailed as they spent time in lessons as well as learning about the application and interview process. They were almost made aware of the entry requirements. Pupils were provided with a personalised timetable allowing them to spend time in the subjects and courses they are interested in applying for next year. It was a brilliant opportunity for pupils to spend time at Runshaw College in lessons that were of interest to them before they take their options at the start of the next academic year. A huge thank you goes to Mrs N. Smith, Ms Harrison and Mr Stanier for accompanying the pupils throughout the day.





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Year 11 Prom Reminder

Our Prom this year is on Friday 5th July at Haigh Hall Hotel (Wigan).
<http://www.haighhallhotel.co.uk>

Keep this date in your diary.



HAIGH HALL

MFL Flag Competition

We are also launching a competition to design a flag to represent all the languages spoken at Sharples. As we will be moving to the new building, we would like a fresh design that is original and that will represent the MFL department perfectly. Entries can be done digitally or hand-drawn. There is a ten-pound gift voucher up for grabs for the winner along with your art being on display in the MFL department for years to come. Entries close on 12th July and the winner will be announced on Wednesday 17th July.

Destination Rail Event

On Tuesday, Miss Atherton took 8 of our Year 9 pupils to The University of Salford for their Destination Rail Event. It was a fantastic opportunity for students to learn about the wide depth of careers available in the rail sector. Students were mentored by industry experts, whilst they took part in workshops, before completing a STEM challenge and presenting their solutions to a panel of judges. It was an engaging and informative day allowing students to gain a further idea on the various Post-16 options available to them.

Sports Report

Year 9 and 10 had a fantastic experience representing the school at the annual Bolton Schools' Athletics Championships last Thursday. The weather was kind to all pupils who took part and all students thoroughly enjoyed the experience. Some of the highlights from the event were Harvey Stigwood (2nd place discus 24.9m), Isabelle Smith (2nd place 100m final 13.3 seconds), Yasmin Walker 3rd place 200m heat and Katie Davies 3rd (200m heat).

Year 7 and 8 have their opportunity to showcase their talents, on Tuesday, again being held at Leigh Sports Village.

Last week, several of our pupils had another great session at Amir Khan's Boxing Club. Last Tuesday, our students were greeted with an extra special surprise with a personal meeting from Amir Khan himself! Students had the opportunity to speak to Amir (and take photos) before ... *continued* ...

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wishing him good luck for his upcoming fight.

Year 7 and 8 also had a fantastic day out at the Bolton Schools Athletics Championships on Tuesday this week. The weather was unbelievable yet it did not dampen the Sharples students spirits. There were some amazing performances by our students including Abbie Aldred (Year 7 pupil), who took 1st place in the discus with 18.4m after only throwing a discus 6 times! Phil Ufuoma (Year 8 pupil) took 1st place in the triple jump with 11.10m, and Harvey Kenny (Year 7 pupil) 1st place in 1500m with a time of 5.04mins which is a new Bolton school record!

All competitors had a fantastic day out and represented the school in the highest manner.

Sports Report



This week, the rounders team traveled to Westhoughton. The weather was kind to us and we managed to get two innings played. We went in to bat first and made contact with nearly all of the oppositions bowls. This meant that we managed to score a number of runs which put us in a good position to start with. Westhoughton went into bat and scored a number of lucky rounders putting them into the lead after the first innings. The second innings was a lot closer as we got into the swing of both batting and fielding. Westhoughton beat us by 15 points in the end. Well done to all who played and especially Lucy Olive who got 'Player of the Match'. Good luck to the Year 7 and 8 teams who have their tournament next Tuesday at Harper Green.

Attendance

24th June -
28th June

Best Year Group:

Year 7	97.0%
Year 8	96.0%
Year 9	94.5%
Year 10	97.6%

Best Forms:

7P1&L	98.6%
8E	99.1%
9S	100%
10S	100%

61 pupils have
100% for current
academic year.

Dates For Your Diary

Monday 1st July -
Year 10 D&T New
Designers Trip to
London

Tuesday 2nd July
& Wednesday 3rd
July - Year 7 - 10
Parliament Visit

Thursday 4th July
- New Intake
Transition Evening
(6:00 – 7:00pm)

★ **Sharples**



Fashion Show & clothing sale

Tickets

£3

Up to

75%

**off shop
prices**

Wednesday

17th

July

6.30pm -

9.00pm

at Sharples
School

Sizes

6-22

available
to buy and
take home on
the night

£3 includes
pastie supper
& a glass of
(non-alcoholic)
fizz on arrival!

All major cards accepted

Tickets available from Pupil Reception

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including lunch

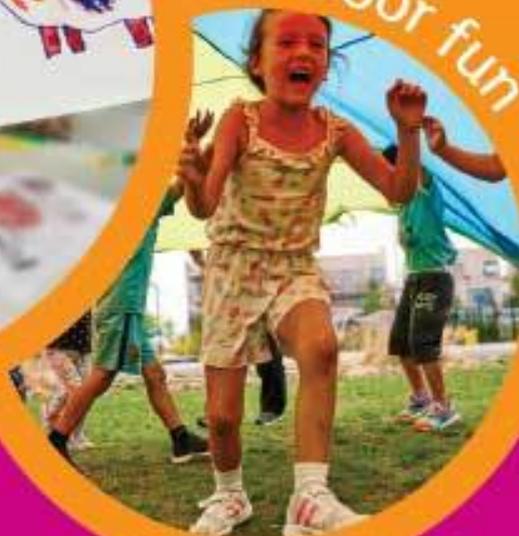
Active Kids Holiday Clubs



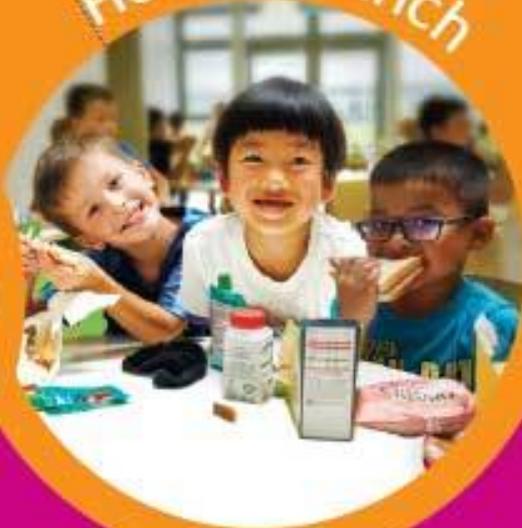
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Promoter is Sainsbury's Supermarkets Ltd, 33 Holborn, London EC1N 2HT.



PE Fixtures and Activities



Monday 1st July:

- KS3 Swimming Club
- Cricket practise

Tuesday:

- Year 7 & 8 Rounders Tournament:
@ Harper Green
- KS3 inter-school Football tournament

Wednesday:

- KS3 Swimming Club
- Year 8/9 Cricket v Essa Academy (h)
- BTEC ALS

Thursday:

- Year 9 & 10 Rounders Tournament:
@ Harper Green
- Running Club - all years

Friday:

- Staff football
- Cricket practise



WEEK 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal	Sausage £1.35 Enchiladas £1.55 Pasta King £1.85 Curry Pots £1.85 Various Baguettes and wraps £1.75	Meat Pie £1.55 Cheese pie £1.35 Pav Bhaji £1.55 Pasta King £1.85 Various Baguettes and wraps £1.75	Salsa Potato Skins £1.55 Mac Cheese £1.10 Chow Mein £1.55 Pasta King £1.85 Curry Pots £1.85 Various Baguettes and wraps £1.75	Pizza £1.35 Chick pea lentil Dahl £1.55 Pasta King £1.85 Various Baguettes and wraps £1.75	Fish fillet £1.55 Cheese and onion pasty £1.10 Pasta King £1.85 Various Baguettes and wraps £1.75
Meal Deals £2.35	<u>Sweet Potato Enchiladas</u> Served With Herby Diced Potatoes Side Salad Small Grapes or Biscuit And Drink Carton	<u>Pav Bhaji</u> Served with Yoghurt and Mint Dip Side Salad Small Grapes or Biscuit And Drink Carton	<u>Salsa Potato skins</u> Served with Side Salad Small Grapes or Biscuit And Drink Carton	<u>Chickpea lentil dahl</u> Served with Tortilla Chips Veg Samosa Side Salad Small Grapes or Biscuit And Drink Carton	<u>Cheese and onion Pasty</u> Served with Small chips and beans Small Grapes or Biscuit And Drink Carton
And there's more	Salad bar £1.85 Various Sandwiches and Wraps from £1.27 Jackets with Various filling 80p	Salad bar £1.85 Various Sandwiches and Wraps from £1.27 Jackets with Various filling 80p	Salad bar £1.85 Various Sandwiches and Wraps from £1.27 Jackets with Various filling 80p	Salad bar £1.85 Various Sandwiches and Wraps from £1.27 Jackets with Various filling 80p	Salad bar £1.85 Various Sandwiches and Wraps from £1.27 Jackets with Various filling 80p
Desserts	Fruit Pots £1.10 Grapes lrg 70p sm 55p Popcorn 60p Crackers 75p Tray bake 61p Biscuit 41p	Fruit Pots £1.10 Grapes lrg 70p sm 55p Popcorn 60p Crackers 75p Tray bake 61p Biscuit 41p	Fruit Pots £1.10 Grapes lrg 70p sm 55p Popcorn 60p Crackers 75p Tray bake 61p Biscuit 41p	Fruit Pots £1.10 Grapes lrg 70p sm 55p Popcorn 60p Crackers 75p Tray bake 61p Biscuit 41p	Fruit Pots £1.10 Grapes lrg 70p sm 55p Popcorn 60p Crackers 75p Tray bake 61p Biscuit 41p



What's on THE MENU

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MAIN DISHES

- CHEESE AND ONION PASTRY - £1.10
- CHEESE AND LEEK TURNOVER - £1.35
- MEAT AND POTATO PIE - £1.55
- PIZZA - £1.35
- DAHL - £1.55
- MEAT PIE - £1.55
- POTATO SKINS - £1.55
- FISH - £1.55
- CHICKEN/FISH WRAP £1.75
- SAUSAGE - £1.35
- VEG/BEEF BURGER - £1.55
- LASAGNE - £1.55
- CHICKEN CURRY - £1.55
- ENCHILADAS - £1.55
- MEATBALLS - £1.55
- PASTA BAKE - £1.35
- BIRYANI - £1.55
- MAC CHEESE - £1.10
- VEG MOUSSAKA - £1.55
- CHEESE FLAN - £1.35

FRUIT AND TRAY BAKES

- LARGE GRAPES - 70p
- SMALL GRAPES - 55p
- GRANOLA POT - 80p
- WHOLE FRUIT - 40p
- FRUIT POT - £1.10
- STRAWBERRIES - £1.00
- TRAY BAKE - 61p
- BISCUIT - 41p
- HOT PUDDING - 61p
- YOGHURTS - 50p
- CRACKERS - 75p
- SOREEN - 61p
- POPCORN - 60p
- JELLY - 61p

SIDE DISHES

- JACKET POTATO - 80p
- POTATO SIDE - 80p
- VEGATABLES - 30p
- SIDE SALAD - 40p
- CHEESE PORTION - 55p
- BEANS - 42p
- SOUP - 60p
- BREAD PORTION - 40p
- CHIPS - £1.07

GRAB AND GO ITEMS

- CURRY POTS - £1.8
- PASTA KING - £1.85
- PASTA POTS - £1.35
- PANINI - £1.75
- SALAD - £1.58
- BAGUETTES - £1.75
- WRAPS - £1.75
- SANDWICHES - £1.27
- SANDWICHES - £1.55
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BREAKFAST AND MORNING BREAK (ONLY)

- SAUSAGE BARM - £1.35
- OMELETTE BACON - £1.25
- BREAKFAST WRAP - £1.20
- BACON BARM - £1.10
- TEACAKE - 41p
- PANNINI - 72p
- TOAST - 32p
- PANCAKE - 45p
- CHEESE TOAST - 65p
- POTATO CAKE - 41p
- CRUMPET - 41p
- CEREAL - 80p

DRINKS

- CUPLET - 32p
- AQUA JUICE - 42p
- MILK CARTON - 45p
- MILKSHAKE - 60p
- SMALL WATER - 50p
- PURE JUICE - 65p
- AQUA SPLASH - 65p
- OMJ - 70p
- HOT DRINKS - 80p

MEAL DEALS

AVAILABLE DAILY £2.35 INCLUDING DRINK AND BISCUIT OR SMALL GRAPES

