

Vocational 6th Form Newsletter

2023/24

Week 7

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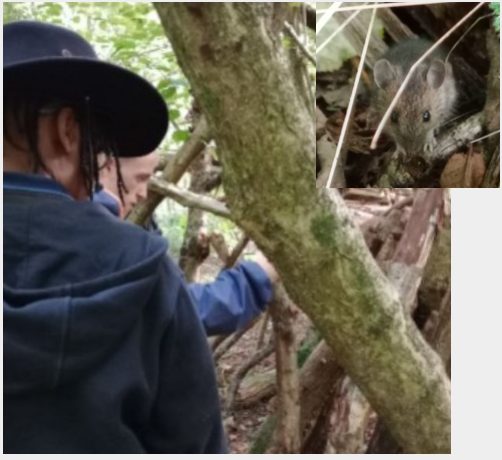
A bridge between school and college or work placements and apprenticeships, giving young people opportunities to learn how to do things for themselves in real life situations.

The sixth form base is closely aligned with our young people's desire for more independence and a more 'grown up' feel to their school day. This provision is a bridge between school and college or work placements and apprenticeships. It will give young people opportunities to learn how to do things for themselves in real life situations.

For some the work will closely link to our work experience programmes and internships for others it will be more based on learning how to live more independently or enabling them to have a greater number of choices as they move on in the future.

The facilities at Middlefield Lane include two kitchen areas, the work skills DIY practical workshop, offices and usual classrooms as well as outside growing areas and areas for leisure.





Groups have been exploring forest school with great teamwork in den building. They even saw a mouse!



A group of students visited the Pumpkin Farm to see how pumpkins grow and are harvested.

This week at V6F:

Some students have been enjoying after school club sessions, including taking part in sports. There have been groups doing cooking sessions making shortbread, spaghetti bolognese or chocolate fridge cake.

Reminder: check the main newsletter for important news, such as the upcoming half term dates.

Notice: A number of items have been misplaced over the half term. Please check belongings and let us know if any extras are found. Many thanks for your support.

KEY STAGE NOTICES -

Be prepared for going out into the community, especially when it is raining.



A group visited a local park to enjoy the equipment. They really enjoyed the fresh air and exercise.



One group worked together to create a new game in their PE session. They decided how to use the equipment and trialed their game, helping each other throughout the session.



A group visited the fire station to learn about the work of fire fighters. They even had a chance to use the hose!



A group of students visited the Everyday Living cafe to enjoy a meal out and work on their communication skills.



Some young people have started work experience placements - learning about many things such as constructions and teamwork.