

Greetings from On Track Westbury.

We wanted to share with you a flavor of some of the exciting activities and events which students at Westbury have had the opportunity to actively participate in.

Our aim at Westbury is to support and guide students to develop into the best version of themselves and one of the ways we do this is to promote a sense of community, empathy, aspiration and achievement. Please take a few minutes to read through this newsletter and celebrate the amazing young people we have at Westbury On Track.







**Future Chef competition-** Two of our students were selected to participate in the Future Chef competition held in Bristol in conjunction with Bristol Brunel College. The standard of competition demanded skill commitment and tenacity. Our two amazing students were that good that they were both placed in the top 4 of entrants.

**Remembrance Day-** As part of our commitment to supporting the British Values curriculum and engendering respect for those affected by conflict, our students produced a soldier silhouette with poppies to display in our reception area. A representative group of students attended the Remembrance ceremony at Westbury war memorial and laid a wreath on behalf of our school community. In school students watched the cenotaph service and participated in the two-minute silence.

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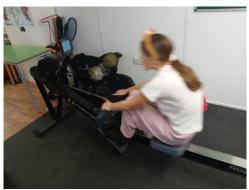
**Children in Need 2024-** Our brilliant students and staff worked hard to participate in a range of challenges and activities in support of the valuable work that Children in Need carries out. Some of these activities included: -Going on a (Pudsey) Bear Hunt

-Guess the staff member as a child photo competition -Baking and decorating cakes in Pudsey regalia -A 'Stepathon', 'rowathon' and a 'keepy uppy challenge'

The competition was fierce but friendly- the students even managed to beat the teachers in the rowathon!!



**UK Parliament Week-** As part of the British values curriculum the importance of democracy and freedom of speech, we encourage student voice to enable students to participate fully in the life of the school and be part of solutions. Students are encouraged to take on leadership roles within the school and we are pleased that so many have done so (they have badges!).



**Ice Skating-** As part of the active and healthy Thrive curriculum, we once again took the students ice skating to Avon Valley. This gave students the opportunity to engage with each other in a fun and active manner. There were many thrills and spills!





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**Christmas Fair-** This event really demonstrated the hard work and commitment of students and staff working together to create a wonderful event. Students made crafts, cakes and competitions to raise money for their school council. Thank you to all of the friends and families that were able to attend and support this event and a special thank you for Father Christmas for making time to stop by at this busy time of year!

Best wishes to all for a peaceful break and a very happy 2025!





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