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THE BELSTEADS SCHOOL



NEWS OF THE WEEK



Read more - Endeavour Class and Prosper Class both visited the Southend Planetarium, as part of their topic on Space. They found it really interesting to be immersed in the darkness so that they could follow the stars and the planets. Our team of helpers have continued with some tasks on site. They have learned how to mix concrete and lay crazy paving, which are real skills! Also, a mention for Carson, who has done a huge amount of litter picking and he has transformed the area by the main office reception, making it look neat and tidy again. Teamwork at The Belsteads is our most favourite thing! Also, look out for a picture of a basketball hoop and stand, made by DJ, completely independently!



THIS WEEK'S ASSEMBLY

Pete and Joulene's assembly introduced Black History month.



Photos include:

Our Teams meeting with Sheila Parks, niece of Rosa Parks. Also, helping outdoors to improve our site and to get it ready for the chickens. Felix's 15th birthday celebrations, the Planetarium trip









Students were given the opportunity to speak via Teams, with Sheila Parks, who is the niece of the very famous Rosa Parks. It was very generous of her to give up her time and to join us from America. She answered our questions and it was really interesting to hear things first hand.

Dates for holiday club in October will be:

**Thursday 30th October -
Halloween Day**

**Friday 31st October - Big Bonfire &
Firework event!**



**This week, Felix has been given my award. Felix has been very thoughtful and kind towards others. He also helped another student, who had had an accident and he made sure they were safe and feeling ok.
I am proud of you Felix!**

Essex and Havering local authorities, have some excellent support as part of their 'Local Offer'. Please click on the links and see what is available to all.

<https://schools.essex.gov.uk/special-educational-needs-and-disabilities-send/send-services-and-support/essex-local-offer-website>

<https://familyserviceshub.havering.gov.uk/kb5/havering/directory/site.page?id=noOX-b4WNx8>

and finally...

We have a very useful link on our website, which demonstrates our approach to behaviour at our school. It's really useful.

<https://belsteads.essex.sch.uk/behaviour-approach/>

The Essex Local Offer website

provides information about help available to children and young people (aged 0 to 25) with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND).

You can also find information on:

- support, groups and activities
- help with learning
- advice for young people
- health and wellbeing
- housing and employment
- financial support

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