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January Catchup

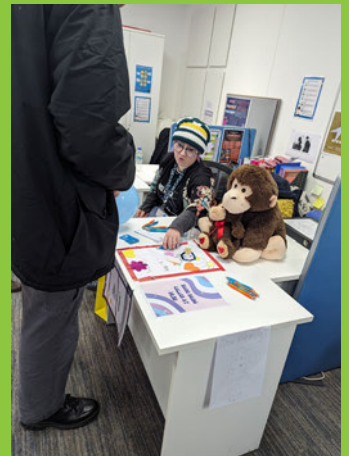
Our lovely Year 3 learner Hannah organised a charity event in aid of the Donkey Sanctuary. Everyone was invited, family, friends and co workers. Along with refreshments there were various activities to engage with, along with a raffle and name the monkey competition.

Raffle gifts were kindly donated by local businesses; Social Bar & Kitchen, Austins, The Works, Pure Nails & Aesthetics, Leonard Coombe Equestrian Ogwell Antiques and Toys, Subway and more!

Thank you to all those that supported us. The event was a big success and Hannah managed to raise £240



Fund Raisers



Sponsored Walk

Learners from Newton Abbot also took part in a sponsored walk around Newton Abbot Town Trail to help raise money for the Children's Hospice South West.



CAREERS Programme

Part of our Careers Programme is to ensure that our learners have access to the tools and knowledge they need to progress in their life, after Eat That Frog. Part of this includes building trusted links with companies within our local community. These links can develop into further education or career opportunities. To view our careers programme - [click here](#).

Our wonderful learner, Dasie had her second interview with Moo Music for a work experience placement, and the amazing news is they have offered her a place!

She will be starting after half term and is super excited about it! Moo Music are keen to build links with the community and are excited to be making links with Eat That Frog.

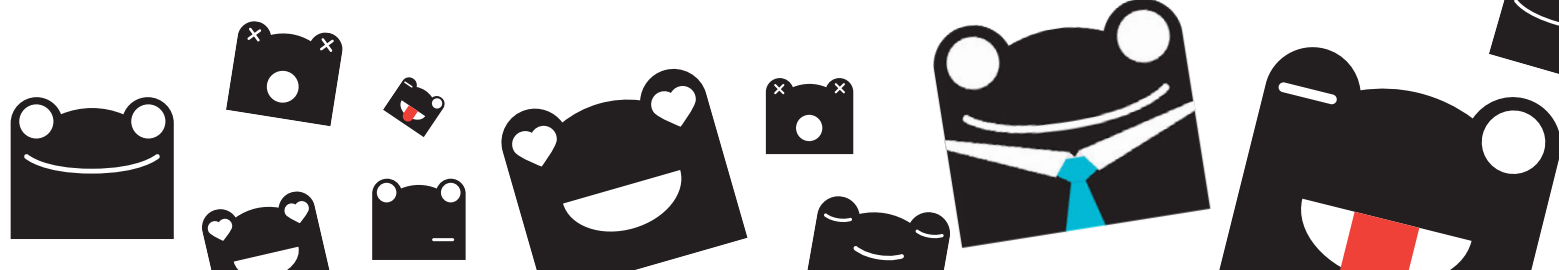


Work Experience Success

Our learners completed a group volunteering session with Avenue Methodist Church where they supported their community coffee morning.

Learners helped serve refreshments, welcomed and greeted members of the public to the event.

Seven learners took part in the opportunity to develop their work-based skills.



Screen Free Week

One of the activities learners and tutors participate in across all centres is 'Screen Free Week'. This week long activity was designed to give both learners and tutors a chance to not rely on the internet and screens to keep them educated and entertained. It's a real chance for learners to engage in social skills and extra curricular activities.



Board Games

As part of screen free week, learners, in their English sessions, created their own board games utilising both English and Maths skills.

Panto time

Learners were treated to tickets to the pantomime funded from the SEND innovations team - with MacDonalds, ice cream and everyone that attended had a fantastic time. So much so that Dame Kelly Holmes acknowledged our learners.



Apple Donuts

Apple Doughnut making - led by Dariusz and his learner Ben. A great healthy version to a doughnut and it was fantastic to see everyone's creative juices flowing.



Nail Art

Nail art and art masks - tutors, Katie and Paul curated a hands on creative afternoon expressing themselves.

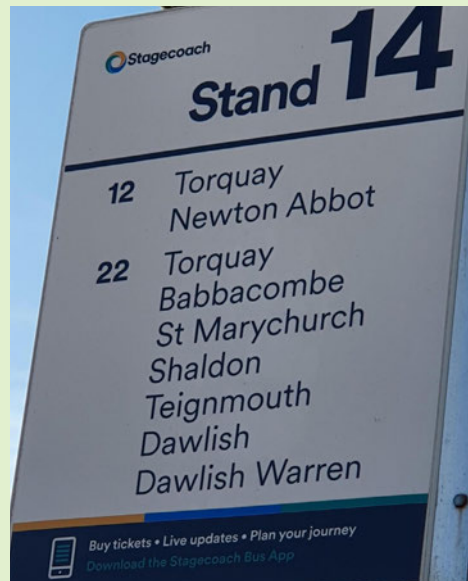


Music Maestros

Tutor, Jack has been working on a song with learners Harrison and Thomas on drums and guitar. For a sneak peek of what they are working on [CLICK HERE](#).

Photo Bingo

Photo Bingo - designed by tutor Paul and supported by all - a hands on bingo game where learners had to be in their local community and photograph things on the bingo card.

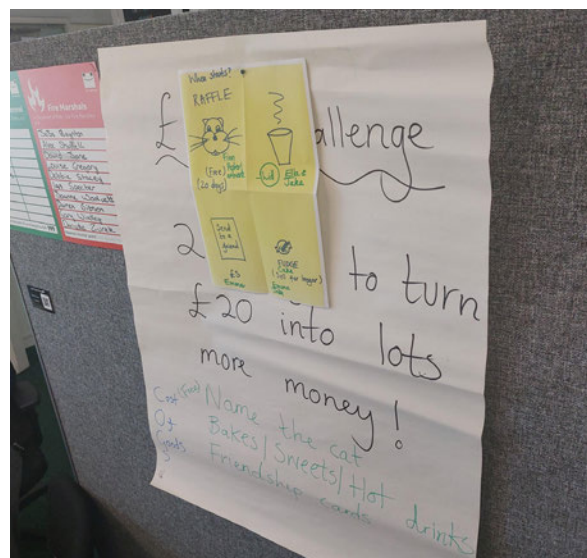


Business Meeting

Post 16 learners across all of our centres are going to be taking part in the Children's Hospice South West | £20 challenge. The aim of this challenge is to raise as much as you can with £20 in 20 days. <https://www.chsw.org.uk/event/20-challenge>

Each centre have been busy coming up with ideas on how to raise the most amount. After a very productive business meeting, during Screen Free week, ideas such as a car wash, cake bake, selling postcards, raffles etc were laid on the table.

To stay up to date with their progress and donate - follow us on Facebook or Instagram



Business meeting in Torbay to raise funds - Part of Screen Free Week

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CONFIDENCE WITH TEAM



Vocational, Education and Training

January brought a wealth of experiences as we hosted the ETF Prince's Trust and ETF Post-16 groups on our sunny island. From cheese-making workshops to cultural activities, participants enjoyed a packed schedule. Excitement builds as we finalize agreements with ROC College and INFOCUS. South Devon College's upcoming arrival on February 20th marks a significant milestone, initiating our first partner trip of the year, promising seven days of exploration. Our Spanish team is crafting a tailored itinerary for South Devon College, including joint activities with local students from IES El Rincón to deepen connections and foster cultural exchanges. Our commitment to immersive experiences extends beyond education, with partnerships highlighting meaningful exchanges and lasting connections.

SCHOOLS - TURING PROGRAMME

Eat That Frog celebrates January achievements with its Turing Scheme Project and potential partnership with Longcause Community Special School. Longcause, advocates for lifelong learning for children with Autism Spectrum Conditions, prepares for a March adventure with Eat That Frog, evaluating activities in Gran Canaria. Collaboration with IES Simón Pérez ensures a comfortable transition for Longcause students. Excitement mounts as Eat That Frog finalizes a partnership agreement with South Devon College, building on the success of the December visit. With a focus on enriching experiences for learners with special needs, Eat That Frog continues to inspire in the education world. Cheers to more educational wonders ahead!

RECRUITING NOW -

**Staff and learners can now apply
for Turing Trip to Gran Canaria**

2nd - 16 th July 2024

This 2 week trip is for Torbay and Newton learners with a focus on independent living skills and employability.

(Plymouth's trip is now fully booked)

[CLICK HERE TO APPLY](#)

IMPORTANT Information

Dates for your diary

Princes Trust TEAM Start Date - 5th February

February Half Term - 12th - 16th February

Sustainability Week - 11th - 15th March

Bank Holiday - Friday 29th March



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