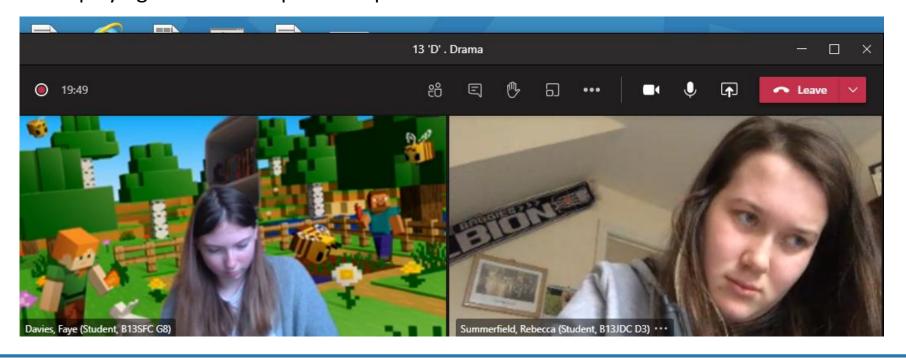
DSHS GALLERY

11th – 15th January 2021 (Part 2)

Year 13 Theatre Studies

Students working hard in a student taught activity in Theatre Studies. Grace Clews led the first activity in the lesson, and it was so good that Miss Lapsley will steal it for future; she led a directed question hot seating activity for the characters that students are playing for their component 2 practical exam.



Year 13 Theatre Studies Monologues based on their most precious possession.

The comfort item (The black hoodie) by Grace Clews

'I am your comfort, that is my job, it is what I was bought for - without you even realising.

I have been there for you in your darkest times and in light, yet you discard me in the corner like a rag.

But yet I stay here, to be here for you, I have a purpose for me and a reason for you to keep me. But one day, I will disappear, and you will have to confront your issues – even though I know will do anything to avoid that, you know why? Because you are a dumbass who cannot face their problems.

I know this, you know this, we all know this, yet you chose comfort over confrontation. Fair choice but the decision must be made;

Break free? Or stay trapped within yourself?'

Faye Davies - Monologue

If I could say one thing to you, I'd say don't take them for granted. There will be so many things that come your way... no scratch that. Ummm ok. I want you to know that you'll be ok, you've got people by your side that you - no ughhh how am I meant to do this! Distraction. Distraction is needed. Whether it's playing football or learning a new language or simply just reading, even if you've read it a million times before. It'll keep you sane. The memories that come along with this photo are... lovely, but sometimes too much. They can be comforting when thought of at the right time but also just too real. You'll need more to escape to. You'll need somewhere you can hide away from everything, even when people tell you that that's wrong. And if you need to come back then use the photo. But only if you are at a point where you can, without falling, without breaking. Good luck.

Oliver Foster - Monologue

This is my yoyo. Its pretty cool its metal I'm not that good with it but I'm still learning *try a trick* I got it for Christmas because I broke my old one its my 3rd yoyo my first one was this one its still works I promise it still works but it's a bit broken I can't do any tricks with this one but it okay I got the new one. Its soooo much better but it does hurt if it hits you. I also have this other yoyo it was also a Christmas present but this one isn't one I can do tricks with its from my nephew and its engraved but secretly my metal one is my favourite. yoyos they've been around for years there's a lot you can do with them, of course you could do tricks or you could simply just throw it up and down for hours I actually could. I only started trying to use it again recently and I forgot how fun it is. It's super rewarding when you finally land a trick or just try and learn a new one. Wait... what what am I doing? Why am I talking about yoyos? This lockdown madness is getting to me

Phil Capewell - Monologue

They sit on my head with a gentle securing squeeze from the band. It's solitary light blinks at me to tell me it's ready. I pull out my phone and connect it. The ever-recognizable tone plays as I go to my app. I scroll through thousands of artists and choices, until I land on one. And for the walk, I hear the beat and strum, or voice of discussion and fun.

A Speech on Remaining Positive and Resilient by Ruby Boulton

Hello everyone, I am Ruby Boulton and today I am going to be talking about 2020. And I know you have all heard enough of 2020 for now but lets focus on the positives...

2020 wasn't the best year but in some aspects it was also good and positive. Some examples of positivity in this year were things like the rainbows that people drew to put in their windows, and the NHS clap. But today I am going to be talking about Joe Wicks; I think that what Joe Wicks was doing for people all over the world was amazing! Considering he had his own problems too, he still put a smile to so many peoples faces. I know most people would say 'its just a workout', but no, exercise is so much more than physical.

Exercise isn't just jumping jacks and squats. Its an escape place for people. Its an enjoyment for people. Its positive for people. It can help your mental health so much, even just by running down your road or going on a dog walk. It can clear your mind. And in these hard times Joe Wick helped so many peoples mental health and just by him doing a happy workout on TV, it could've saved someone's life! Just like if you walk past someone on the street and smile at them, that could've saved their life too.

During lockdown O.I at the start of 2020 Joe Wicks recorded a live workout every single weekday! So many families all over the world took part in these workouts, not just little kids. It was such a big positivity of 2020 as it started people's days off happy and ready for home learning. Every morning he would do shoutouts to people across all countries; it really did bring light to thousands of people's faces!

Joe Wicks helped us learn more about our mindset and how to be healthy, not just physically healthy but mentally healthy. He taught us to have fun and be stupid even if you are 40 years old. He taught us about foods and that you should love yourself.

So all I want to say is that if you aren't having the best day, please, please, please just go for a walk around the block or across a flowery field. I don't care where you walk but just go. Please. You may not feel like going before but, after you will feel so much better! Trust me.

2020 has been a rubbish year but it has taught us so much. Really so much. It has taught us to be grateful for everything. It has taught us that you can pretty much do most things from home. It has taught us more about mental health than ever. But most of all its taught us to appreciate the tiniest things more. To appreciate just a drive past your nan and grandads house to wave at them, or just a small facetime with your friends. So I do want to say thank you 2020.

Thank you.

How to Remain Positive by Sophie Gomersall

Positive news - 2006.01.2021 Danie okey there & thannels Period Poverty Penguins, shown around AM Museum erodicts after il years se campaigning o England or Tampon tax abolished on all sanitary products ot in 5 momen experience period poverty. On average E13 amonth is spent on period products, thousands over a lifetime Welcome, welcome: One and Hall: And congradulations. Congradulation to activist, MPs and those who menstrate. A battle has been won, in scotland, againts the growing fight of period Poverty, Period Poverty is something that I in 5 women experience in their lifetime Period Poverty is the 4 not having enough money to pay for necessary period poverty. Living in this can prevent women from attending Sto school, work or even leaving the house. Thanksully, the number of women going the through this will decrease. Thanks to Monica Lennon, no one in Scotland will be ever have to go through this as As, actor

freducts have been made cree and universely accessable. In the words of Lennon rithis will make a massive difference to the lives of womens and girls and everyone who menstructes.

In other good news, England has scrapped the tampond tax on ALL period products. At teaving the EU, Rish: Sunak took the responsibility in the abolishement of tampond tax. "And I congratulate all right honourable members who campained for this" he and said in his first budget announcement.

These small steps lead the journey to the abolishment of period poverty world wide. It is show there is still light in the darkest of time.

Year 8 English Success

 In 8L/EnT, Lily Hall, Emily Gandy, Shaylah Stokes and Taylor Pugh have all made strong contributions to online learning since the start of January.

Year 10 English Success

 In 10L/En1, students have been turning in some impressive work. In particular, Freya Brindley-Jones, Charlie Hokins-Budd, Ruva Nyamande, Max Strange, Bella Allen, Poppy Gidley and Laney Lock have all been commended on their impressive commitment to learning.



Year 10 Music

The Y10 RSL Music Performance Course students have been learning how to describe songs. The following have submitted impressive work which will go towards their qualification:

- Maya James 10HAB
- Rochelle Harris 10SB
- Jayden Dorans 10ADM
- Kyle Hartwell 10LAH
- Daniel Hansen 10RLS

Year 9 Music Success

- Y9 music students been creating their own Hero Motifs using Soundtrap WonderWoman, Captain Marvel, Darth Vader, Superman have new musical ideas.
- Film Composers of the future could include:
- Billy Deacon 9TFS
- Kyran Newman 9DAM
- James Rudkin 9CMR
- Annabelle Brannan 9JB
- Joel Park 9MDD
- Oliver Freeman 9JB
- Oliver Barker 9CT
- Lucy Bott 9MDD

- Joseph Bradbury 9DAM
- Emmie Clark 9ES
- Lucas Colley 9PCT
- Emily Dutton 9JEN
- Sophie Gomersall 9LMJ
- James Lettis 9CMR
- Tom Mansfield 9JEN
- Poppy Slater 9DAM

Lockdown Instrumental Tuition

- Have a look at our instrumental tuition information, with all lessons being delivered remotely. If you would like to organise individual tuition for your child, complete the form and return it to the email address in the booklet
- https://website.droitwichspahigh.worcs.sch.uk/wpcontent/uploads/2020/06/DSHS-Guide-to-Peripatetic-Instrumental-Tuition-SEPT-2020-b.pdf

Music Making during Lockdown

 If you would like some musical activities to do as a family, or, if you want to share your musicality with our community. Send an audio or video recording to Mr Aitchison, Head of Music, aitchisonms@droitwichspahigh.worcs.sch.uk

Excellent monologue written by Katie Hodnett (Year 10) in Drama:

It was my 21st birthday, and my parents and I were on our way to Cali, Colombia to spend Christmas with my father's side of the family. It was around 9pm, we were only about 15 minutes from landing when, without warning, the pilot pulled the nose of the plane straight up into the air. The cabin was shaking violently, the turbulence was unbelievably strong. And there was panic.

My mother was in the row in front. I was next to my father in the exit row over the wing, but I remember hearing my mother praying. Her voice calmed me down. I didn't think we were going to crash or die. I just kept thinking "Hurry up and fix this. Straighten it out." Then we heard this incredibly loud booming sound from the back of the plane and there was a strong vibration. I grabbed my father's hand and he held mine really tightly. I put my head in my lap and closed my eyes.

When I came round, I was disorientated. Everything was in pieces all around me. The middle of my right thigh was bent and the bottom half on my leg was behind me, but I couldn't feel any pain.

It was later discovered that 15 minutes before the plane crashed, the pilots accidentally entered the wrong code into the flight computer. They didn't realise we were heading into the mountains until the ground proximity warning system started to sound. That was when they pulled the plane up. The loud booming sound was the back of the plane hitting the mountain.

Excellent History work by Ruva Nyamande

The Yalta Conference

Date: February 1945 Location: Yalta, Ukraine

Delegates: Joseph Stalin, Franklin D Roosevelt, Winston Churchill

Purpose: To discuss and agree on the post-war agreements after Germany loses.

What was AGREED on, and DISAGREED on, at the Yalta Conference?

Agreed:

Stalin agreed to enter the war on Japan after Germany was defeated.

That Germany was to be split into four zones (American, British, French and Soviet) and since berlin was deep in the soviet zone – it would be split up into 4 also.

To hunt down and punish war criminals who were responsible for all the genocides in Germany that the Allied Soldiers discovered.

Since countries were liberated from occupation of the German Army, they could hold free elections to choose the government they wanted.

All three decided to join the United Nations Organization in hopes for peace after war

Since the Soviet Union faced a lot during the war (20 million deaths), so they agreed that Eastern Europe was the Soviet sphere of influence.

Disagreed:

Stalin wanted to border of the USSR to move westward into Poland and that in turn, Poland could move its border westwards into German territory - however Churchill did not approve but since Stalin's red army was in total control of Poland and Eastern Germany, he had little power. Roosevelt also had to be persuaded by Churchill to accept but they both agreed as long as if the USSR stayed away from Greece - where the UK were attempting to prevent the communists from taking over.

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Cold was.

This period, known as the cold war, marked an era of tenson that never led to direct, military actions. It was carried out through diplomacy, a race to develop the best weapons, and poxy wars.

	Commusism	Capitalism
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politics	one-party government.	issually multiple politics parties; government chosen by the people in democratic elections.
Economics	Controlled economy	Free economy
Society/Equality	lower average Standard of living but wealth more equally shorted; encourages farmes and equality.	Great differences in wealth but majority have high overage standard of living encourages opportunity for all.
Symbols - how did each system show their values in their flags	the hamner and sickle on the soviet flag represent the workers who took power in the Russian Revolution.	the us flag represent the original founding colonies. that fought for freedom from the British rule.

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Lord of the free!, individual right always seen as the most important

Why was the USSR communist? Rich vs poor was most important to them

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Promising History work on the Cold War by Priya Sharma

Excellent History by Megan Randle Year 10

Capitalist or Communist?

Communism's spread must be stopped

Capitalism creates large numbers of poor people

Capitalists control the world's trade and world prices so that poorer countries never get a fair chance for their products

Capitalists stay rich by keeping other countries

Communist countries stop freedom of speech and movement – their people are slaves

Capitalism is all about selfishness and greed

Capitalism – the American Way – brings freedom, wealth and happiness.

Communists only understand force – they won't listen to reason

Capitalist countries want to crush Communism and destroy our way of life

The Communist Russians are planning world conquest – they want to dominate the world

In Communist countries, everybody is guaranteed a job, a wage and a place to live.

A History of Mistrust

WHY was the USA capitalist?

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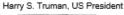
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1941: Hitler invades Russia and the 'Allies' get together. However, Stalin's repeated demands for a 'second front' to take the pressure off Russia are put off again and again until 'D-Day' in 1944. Stalin saw this as deliberate delaying in order to let the Germans weaken Russia.

1945: This 'history of distrust' comes to the fore in 1945 with the end of the Second World War; the Allies no longer have a common enemy. Takes over as leader of his country in 1945 following his predecessor's death. More hard-line in dealing with the Soviets – doesn't trust Stalin at all. Wants to show Stalin not to mess with his country and has the technology to do this





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Leader of his country since 1933, he wants to trust Stalin and work with him. He faces opposition to this within his own government but knows that post-war Europe needs cooperation. Dies in 1945.

F.D. Roosevelt, US President



Leads his country through war and wants to make sure it remains an influential power. Wants to restrict the Soviet's control in postwar Europe.

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Becomes leader of his country in 1945 following an election. Not as experienced as his predecessor, and the other leaders know it. Therefore he can't be as strong with his opinions as the others.

Clement Attlee, British PM



August 18.

Il Popolo D'Italia

Il Duce proclaims 'Battle for the Lira'

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Battle for the Lira!

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has produced fascist propaganda for his work on Mussolini's cult of personality.

Jon Smith in Year 12



In 1935, Mussolini was reintroduced to a long-term failure and dream of Italy, as he commanded Foreign Policy, many were powerless to stop his plan. The rest of Europe, however, could have done but they opted out largely in the meantime...

Mussolini set his eye upon the long desired 'Empire', he ventured across the Ionian Sea and to Ethiopia. His militia was brutal, dropping tons of gas bombs on Ethiopia, which was an atrocity which later had BIG consequences, much to Europe's discontent, leading to the newly formed League of Nations imposing trade sanctions but not on large items such as oil as the fear of a European War was large. A slight contradiction as Mussolini declared if the League imposed oil sanctions they would have withdrew and not cause uproar. However, Europe's ignorance in the 20th Century was once again evident.

Italy already commanded Eritrea and Somaliland so they used this tactical advantage to invade Ethiopia from the North and the South. After 10 months of battling for another notable foreign conquest Mussolini announced the Ethiopian victory to a huge crowd of 400,000 in Rome. 'This achievement marked the peak of the Italian publics support to the Fascist Regime.' The Cult of Personality sprinkled its magic wand over almost all of Italy as it achieved a LONGOSSM dream of this nation, since Risorgimento.



This was every Italians dream over the last 65 years, to see it come to fruition after several failed attempts in the 19th Century at the hand of the Liberals, it was a surreal and nostalgic moment for Italians, It was a monumental achievement to many. The national pride was immense, people celebrated this endlessly. Mussolini had secured a strong dictatorship in Italy but up until this point never really flexed their military capability, so it was arguably the final piece of the Jigsaw to the cult being completely complete! Mussolini had ultimate control over everything in Italy so for him to orchestrate this was not hard and many praised him for it. Knowingly however, slowly over the years Mussolini had begun to move away from the radical and brutal part of his dictatorship and party as it was not seen as appropriate or needed so him going back to these routes was short term beneficial and was really hyped up. But ultimately, later career and life ending.

However, this moment may have been at which was the peak of Mussolini's support as it backed all the evidence that he was 'Italy's Saviour', 'Superhuman', 'A Model for all Italians', the cult in Italy was fully operational and Mussolini believed all his own hype.

But the cracks soon started to appear.

The use of atrocity weapons in the conquest led to Italy being frozen out of the League of Nations, France and Britain's suspicions on Mussolini soon. began to arise. But that decision by the League of Nations proved later costly, as Italy had a newly emerged and powerful ally who were full of praise towards their new empire, one nation fuelled on vengeance and revenge became Italy's new ally. Two dictators as leaders surprisingly bonded even if momentarily, Hitler and Germany supported Mussolini.



Mussolini's Fascism by Harvey Newman in Year 12.

Emily Horton - History work on The Cold War

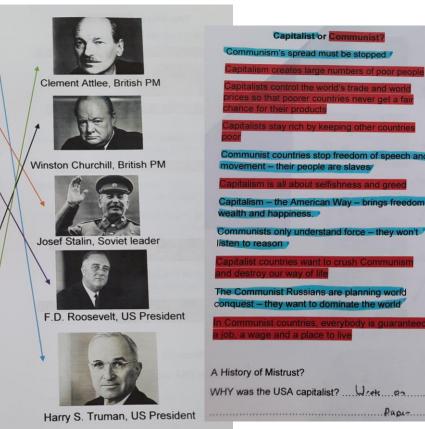
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Live in hitler's Fermany In Nazi Germany life for the Germans was terrible. You clidn't know who you could trust. The wrong person could cause to loose you life. Nazi and mounty Hitler really did not like Jews and anyone eles that was not their perfect. Many people were beaten and sometimes. killed in the Streets. Overbmillion Jews were killed by the New during Hitlers years in power. Jews could not marry or have sex with non-Jews all Jews Lost German Citizenship They were not allowed to have newspapers or magazines, or not allowed to attend school or college. About 16,000 were arrested and sent to Concentration camps. Shop windows got Jewish symbols pounted on them, members of the 34 would standoutside to threaten Shoppers and anyone who also go in the Shops. Jews were burned from all State Jobs such as civil servants, teachers, Journalists lawyers and even rucio announcers Jewish and non-Jew children were not curowed to play together. All of this made life nava and not pleasant for the sews, this is what Hitler wanted so that Jews would leave his beloved exermony. One grandparent who themself was gewon too were considered Jewish This made like very restricted.

Excellent work by
Stefan Darby
(Year 9) on
Hitler's Germany

Art Caitlin Hill Yr13



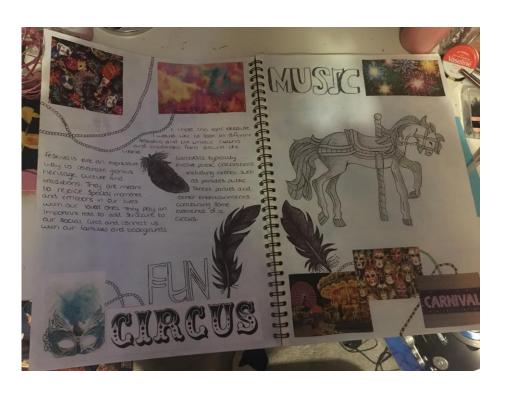


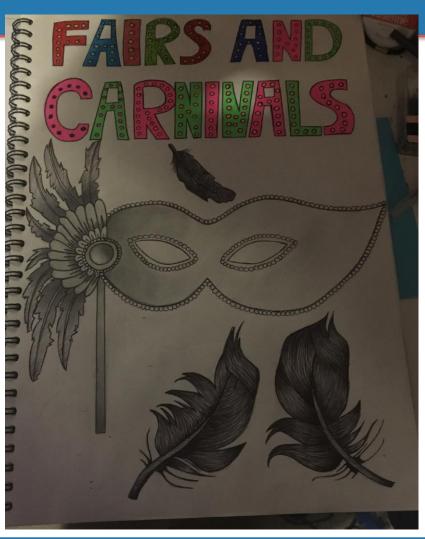
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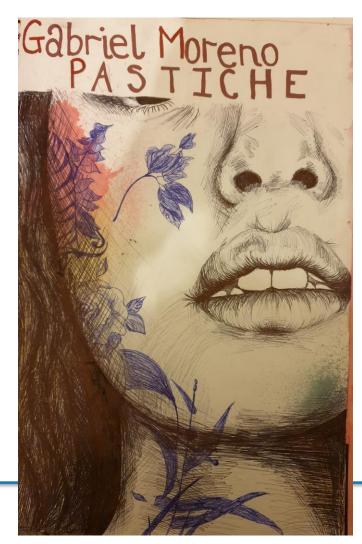
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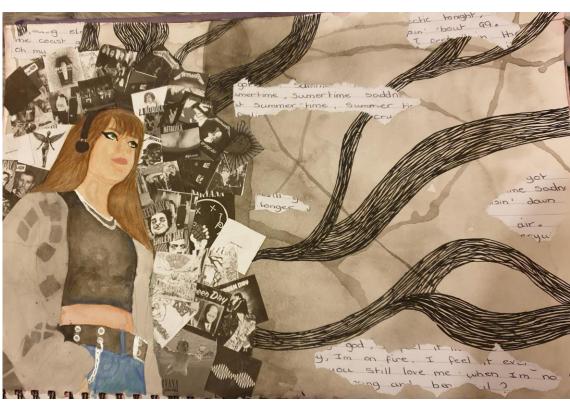




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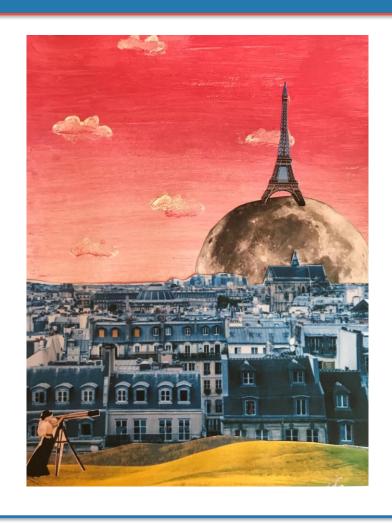
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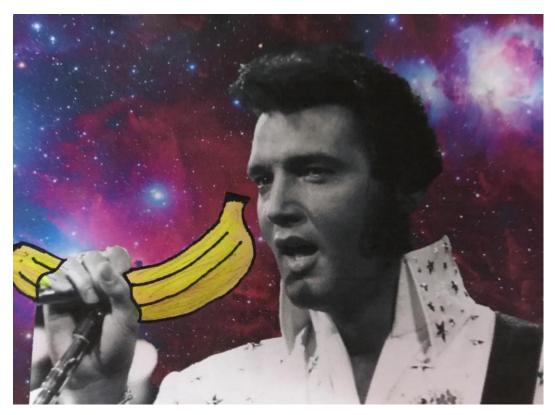




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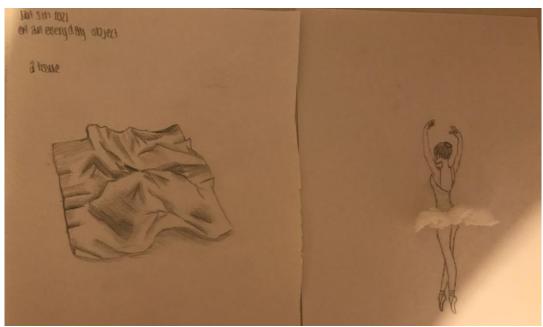




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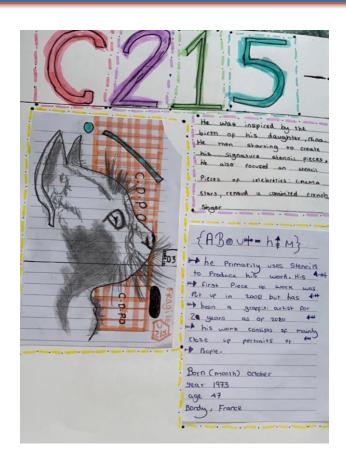


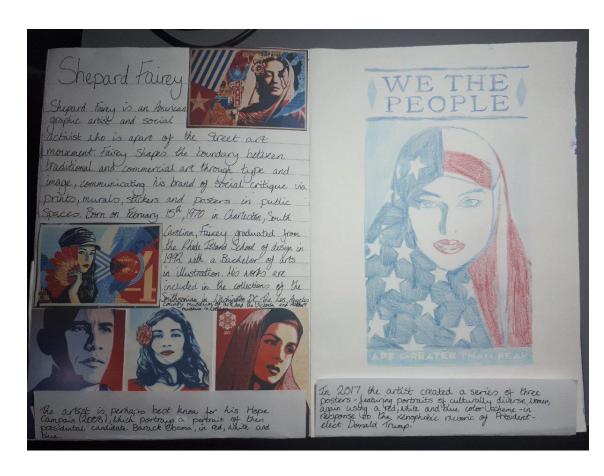


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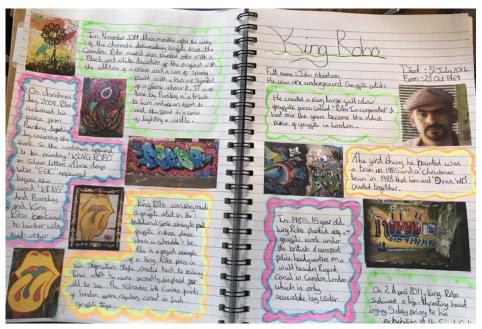
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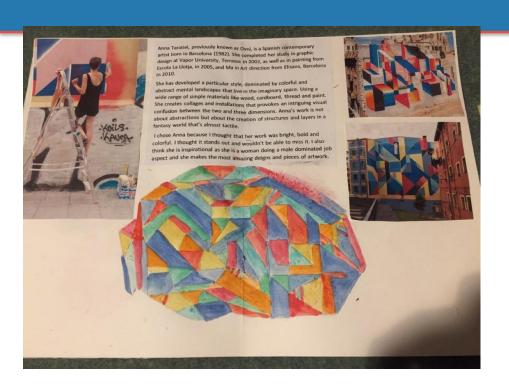
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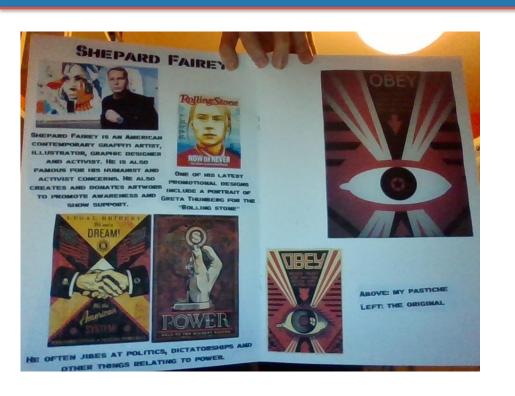
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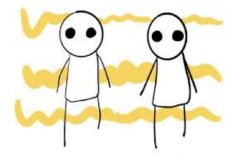
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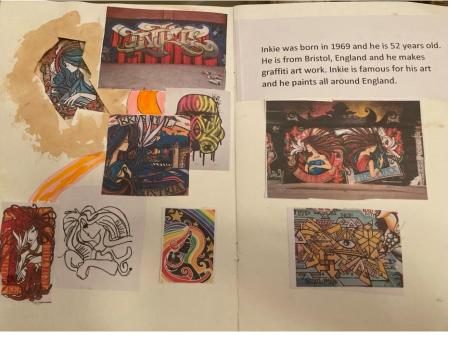
Stik is a brithish graffith of artist based in London the paints stik like figures as the street art.

He started in Hackney but now paints all over europe & Asia.



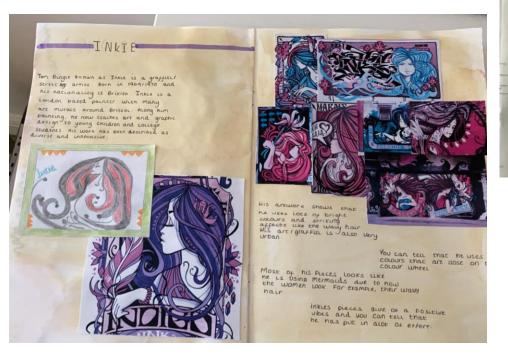
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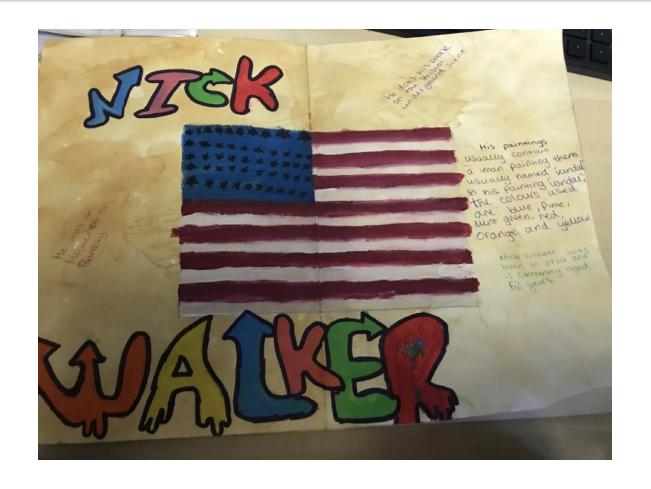
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Kelsey Dewhurst Ford & Louie Horton





Kayleigh Rich

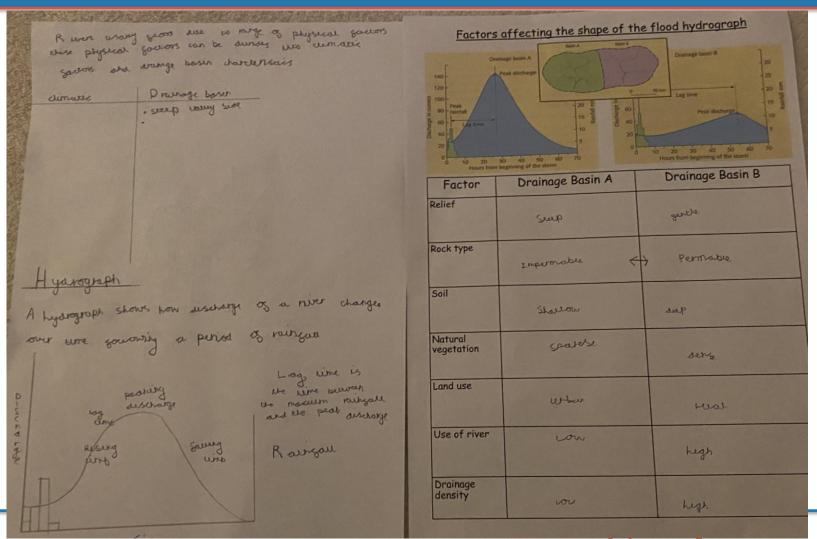


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Jack Hastie in year 8 has designed and made a coffee table in his spare time during lockdown. Some excellent craftsmanship!



Excellent Geography work on Hydrographs by Archie Chesson Willetts



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