



# SAGE COLLEGE

## Newsletter

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## GRANDPARENTS DAY at Early Years!!

This week we have enjoyed a great event at Early Years: Grandparents Day. The grandparents of Sage's youngest children had a great time with their grandchildren in a fun-filled morning of breakfast, games, dancing and lots of hugs and kisses, of course!



## UPCOMING EVENTS

**4 - 8 of April:**  
STEAM Week

**4th of April:**  
Early Years 22/23 Information Meetings

**5th of April:**  
Primary 22/23 Information Meetings

**7th of April:**  
Secondary 22/23 Information Meetings

**8th of April:**  
Easter Bonnet Parade  
Interhouse Sport Tournament

## MESSAGE FROM OUR SCHOOL HEAD



Dear Sage College community,

After a tough week of assessments we are almost at the end of this second term. My appreciation and admiration to all the students and teachers who have exceptionally made it to the end of term after a few months in which the shadow of the omicron variant finally gave us a break.

As you read these pages you will sense the beauty of what we call "**Sage family life**" in which our pupils' loved ones play a very special role. We saw how the **Grandparents Day** was a great success in Early Years, with tender scenes full of love and admiration for our grandparents.

Someone once said "**Grandparents may seem like the past, but they are the ones who teach you to live in the present and who can give you the most and educate you for the future**".

It is an honour to have enjoyed their company this week and to recognise the huge role grandparents play in everyone's lives, children and adults.

This coming week we will have the opportunity to meet with the school families to present the project for the coming school year and in doing so, continue to strengthen the school-family relationship with the intention of always providing the best possible education for our pupils and children. Have a great week!

Mr Wickham



# Sage College

The British International School of Jerez

The last  
Friday of  
every month!

*Non uniform day*

12 MONTHS

12 WAYS TO GIVE

Bring 1 € and support a good cause

# April



organisation that aims to provide the best possible education to as many children as possible in Bata (Equatorial Guinea).

HUMANIX



*week*

**4 - 8 APRIL '22**



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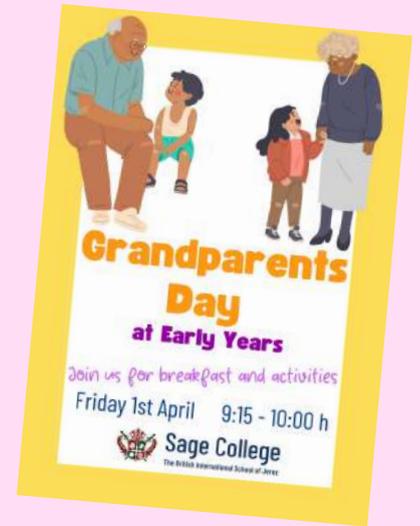
# -EARLY YEARS NEWS-

## Grandparents Day at Early Years

On Friday, Early Years held a very special event for some special and important people.... **our Grandparents!**

We welcomed them into our classes so they could see all the amazing work we have created over the past term, and gave them gifts which we had made to show how much we love them.

**Have a look at some of the photos** we took from our special event...





# -PRIMARY NEWS-

## Year 3 All about me

Our Amazing Jantastics have been working really hard this term. After discussing the Value of the Month "Equality", we realized that while it is important to remember that everyone should have Equity in life, it is also important to remember that we are all unique and special. With this in mind we have been working on a project "All About Me". **The children have made a fantastic poster to show us all about themselves** and finally presenting their projects to the rest of the class.

It was amazing to see the things that we have in common, the things that are different and the things we didn't know about our friends. As you can see, they did an excellent job with the poster and spoke clearly and confidently. Here are just a few - but they were all great!

**Well done the Jantastics and Happy Easter.**



# - MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS -

## GREEN SAGERS GO GLOBAL

Two groups of Yr 9 students **have entered an internationally recognised competition for wearable, eco art, Junk Kouture.** Everything created and visible on the platform is fashioned and crafted by creatives 13 to 18 year old, out of nothing but recycled materials. Over 1000 schools are involved covering such countries as Ireland, UK, New York, UAE, France and Italy. Good luck to the teams and their upcycled designs entitled ' **Meditative Rose/Homage to Salvador Dali,** Carmen , Manuela, and Duna, and ' **Pavo Power,** Carla, Carlota and Maria.



## BEYOND THE STREETS

This term in Art students across KS3 have been researching Street Art and Graffiti. They have created an artist research and title page, four initial ideas and a final outcome. This final design is then being enlarged by the gridding technique and will be duplicated onto a prepared recycled cardboard canvas.

A Street Art pop up day is forecast for early next term! Watch out Banksy Street Art Saggers are ready to roll!



# -HIGH SCHOOL NEWS-

## PEARSON-EDEXCEL VISIT

This week, we received the **visit of Mark Wilson, Pearson Regional Development Manager for Spain and Portugal.** It was an informal visit where we shared experiences and worked together, and he was impressed by the changes introduced since his last visit some years ago, as well as with the academic work carried out in the Edexcel subjects. We would like to thank Mr. Wilson for all his collaboration with us and we hope to see him again soon.



## ASSESSMENT WEEK

This week, our High School students completed their **March Assessment Week.** For most of them, it is the last assessment week before starting their external official exams. These exams help students to study and revise constantly, in order to be as well prepared as possible for the official exams.

In line with this, **our Year 11 IGCSE English as a second language students have been preparing for their speaking exam,** which will take place next Monday. We wish them all the best.

## WORKSHOPS-SCIENCE CLUB

Learning by doing is an important methodology that helps students to consolidate their learning. **Our High School Science Club, formed by some Years 10 and 11 students, is preparing different science projects that they will present during our STEAM Week.** From analysing the impact of science and technology on sports or the use of drone to measure environmental pollution, to the analysis of different myths in science, they are projects carried out for our students.



# Meet the Year 7 Student Council member, Pastora Lara



## **Pastora, how long have you been at Sage?**

I've been here a long time, exactly 9 years, since Nursery.

## **Then, why did you want to join us?**

The thing that I like the most about Sage is how they include everyone in every single activity, and how everyone respects each other no matter who they are or where they come from.

## **How do you feel taking part of the Year 7 student council?**

I feel really happy that my classmates and friends gave me the opportunity to form part of the school council and that they trusted me, so that made my self confidence really high and I learnt that you can do whatever you want if you work hard for it.

## **What are your expectations for this school year as a student council?**

My expectations are that this year will become the best year for lots of students. I want them to be happy and enjoy everyday in their lives. I also think that me and Marco N., the other student council member, are going to make lots of changes that are going to benefit the school.

## **How do you see your future?**

I see my future as a really hard working person and that I am going to follow my dreams and I think that I'm going to achieve them. I want to be a doctor to help the humanity and to save people lives, because nothing makes me more happy than a smile on other people faces.

