

Peel Weekly

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PEEL POINTS



5 new awards to give out this week, as Peel students continue their relentless march to prizes and points.

A big silver congratulations to Sophia P, followed by bronze awards for Arran, Abigail L, Archie B and Patrick. We are literally just shy of half the house now having at least a bronze award, so hopefully we can get there as a community before Easter.

Separate praise now for Matei, Sophia (again) and Hannah B (who you can read about below) for being our big points scorers this week, each with over at least 30 points earned. A praiseworthy purple patch of points for these perfect Peel people!

AERIAL SILKS

We felt we had to ask Hannah B what her Genius Hour project was about, as silk and sport aren't necessarily two words that you naturally put together. Here's how she reviewed her prize topic.

"Aerial silks is a beautiful aerial skill which consists of a long piece of slightly stretchy silk fabric, which you can climb, wrap yourself in and drop down it too. It's a dangerous but beautiful sport, and it is by far my favourite circus skill that exists. More people should learn about it."

TERM END INFO

Hopefully all are aware from emails and letters from the school about changes to the end of term and the Easter holidays. The end of term has been brought forward to **12:30 on Friday 27 March**. Please keep checking emails for more updates, for any changes and new information as it is released.

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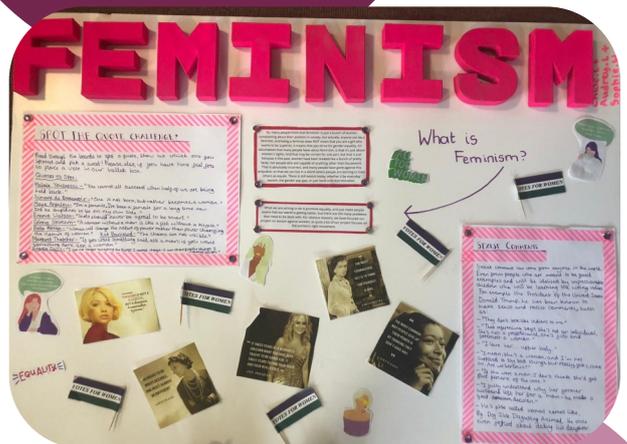
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GENIUS HOUR

We did warn you last week that there were some seriously good projects dreamt up and executed by the Year 8's for their Genius Hour work. We had several prize winners in Peel therefore, starting with Alex, Harley, Elliott and Theo for their Natural Disasters project.

Well done also to Ryan and Joshua who won in the Geography category for their work about Africa, Hannah in the Sports category for a project on Silks, and Chloe L for a very detailed and well researched project on Feminism which won in the Social Problems category. Looks like we will have some fine geographers and sociologists in the near-GCSE future.



BOARDER LIFE

Last week, our boarders got exceedingly creative with sprinkles, sweets, icing and biscuits on Friday night. Check out some of these happy smiles and creations. We'll be on Bake Off one day, for sure.

