

We are Aiming for Excellence in Computing!

Putting our IT skills to good use...

Selected students along with our Computing Ambassadors from Wood End Park Academy visited the Sky Studios Academy to use Green Screens to film a persuasive message.

Pupils explored a number of real-life technological issues. Pupils worked in project teams to come up with their own 'Big Idea' as a solution to one of the issues and then considered how to pitch their solution. With the help of one of Sky's expert teams, our students used their persuasive skills to showcase their ideas in an exciting promo. The teams' promos were then screened at the end of the visit - to much delight!

The work was entitled 'FUTURE: Ideas & Innovation' and it supports the Computing curricula. It helped the students to develop ideas and solutions to challenges, and then writing persuasively to pitch their 'Big Idea'. It developed the students' Creativity, Collaboration, Communication, Enterprise, Problem-solving, Decision-making.

Additionally, our students took part in the Micro-Tyco challenge which is where they start off with a £1 and in 30 days they have to raise as much money as possible. The money raised goes to the WildHearts foundation. Our students worked with post 16 students at Park Academy West London to plan and prepare for their charity events. The students used their Computing skills superbly to promote the event and then carried out the event in our academy. One of the events was a Bake Sale where they made their own cakes and sold them after to school; they managed to raise a fantastic amount of £114.40!

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