

Amazing Learning at Laude

A snapshot of the inspirational learning happening across Laude San Pedro...



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1 – Enriching the learning process:

Year 8 German:

This year our students are benefiting from the support of their older peers as part of the Sixth Form



Enrichment Program. Not only is this an interesting and valuable experience for our younger learners, it also enables our A-Level students to gain key skills needed in their future paths. Here the Year 8 German students can be seen alongside Lilia, their language assistant, showing some poster presentations about the seasons, weather and activities you can do during the different times of the year. A special thanks to Lilia and Constantin for all their help in German!

2 – Hands-on learning:



3W went on a trip to the Botanical Gardens in Malaga. The students were each undertaking the task of finding the different layers in the forest and identifying the different leaves. They did this by touching the different plants and looking

for similarities and differences. **3W** explained what some of these were. Once we had chosen a group of plants, we created a success criteria as a class together to help explain the differences and why.

3 – Learning to teach:



In **Year 5** we have been thinking about how we learn best. To do this we all put ourselves in the role of the teacher. Viktoria taught some gymnastic

moves and concluded that Macarena was a good student because she listened, inquired and had fun. Afterwards we evaluated our lessons with feedback from our students to see how we could all become

better teachers and, more importantly better learners. We concluded that teachers and learners often needed the same skills, for example patience, a willingness to practise and repeat activities, as well as good concentration.

4 – Learning with the senses:



In **Year 2** we have been learning our five senses. We went on a sensory walk around school to discover what which senses we could use. We also took part in a sensory workshop to explore our senses of touch, taste, hearing and smell and sight. We really enjoyed tasting and smelling some interesting things!

5 – Learning about other cultures:



As part of an extended PSHE project, **8M** are undertaking a cultural exchange with St Paul's High School in Armagh, Northern Ireland. For the last two weeks, the students have been learning about Irish

culture, schools in Ireland, how they differ, but in many respects have many similarities to Laude San Pedro.

After learning and discussing various cultural aspects, the students were assigned a pen pal from a Year 8 student. Subsequently, they were assigned the task of buying a postcard, then writing a fun, personalised message about themselves. The aim of this project was about celebrating culture and broadening horizons. Students are looking readily forward to receiving the response to their postcards in the upcoming weeks.

Learning News...

This month, our Senior Leadership team, alongside colleagues from other LAUDE schools in Europe, attended a conference in Madrid led by David Doran. All schools worked towards the same aim: leadership for learning.