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Bank Holiday!

**Parents@Park
(30.04.21)**

Notices



The Big Ask: Parent Information Sheet

All of your child's answers will be confidential, and they don't have to answer any question if they do not want to. They will be used to inform the Government of the changes that children would like to see.

This week your children will be given the opportunity to complete The Big Ask questionnaire. This is a national survey for young people that has been created by The Children's Commissioner for England, Dame Rachel de Souza.

She's keen to hear from young people about the things that make them happy, that worry them and that they would like to see in the future.

Your child will be asked to complete the questionnaire at school this week.

[Find out more information](#)

VOTESFORSCHOOLS

Children's COMMISSIONER

- Twice weekly Covid testing - home testing continues until further notice. As per the guidance please continue to log the results with both the NHS and school log.

[Report student Covid home testing results to school](#)

- Thankyou for your continued support with the wearing of face coverings. These will continue at Park until further notice.



Year 11 leavers assessment and general updates

- [Please click here for vital Year 11 information for parents](#)



- **All Year 11 students have been given a copy and emailed their individual timetable for the summer assessments starting 10th May -21st May.** The timetable includes the length of exams and the individual rooms students will be working in. These assessments will be used as part of the evidence to form an holistic teacher assessed grade alongside previous mock examination, standardised tests, coursework and in class assessments. The timetable is also below.
- For any queries or concerns with Year 11 in their final weeks of school please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Sarah Huntingdon shuntingdon@park-high.co.uk (Head of Year 11) or Mrs K Coffey (Pastoral Support Year 11) kcoffey@park-high.co.uk who will be happy to help

Year 11 Overall Assessment Timetable

	Monday 10-May	Tuesday 11-May	Wednesday 12-May	Thursday 13-May	Friday 14-May	Saturday 15-May	Sunday 16-May	Monday 17-May	Tuesday 18-May	Wednesday 19-May	Thursday 20-May	Friday 21-May
Period 1	English	Maths 1	Normal Lesson	English Lang 2	Chemistry			Maths 2	Science Writing - Normal Lessons	English Lit 2	Normal Lesson	Option 1
Period 2	Lang 1		Normal Lesson	2	1						Normal Lesson	
Break												
Period 3	Normal Lesson	Normal Lesson	Normal Lesson	Normal Lesson	Normal Lesson			Normal Lesson	Normal Lesson	Normal Lesson	Normal Lesson	Normal Lesson
Break												
Period 4	History 1	Option 1	Option 2	Humanities 1	English Lit			Physics 1	Normal Lesson		Normal Lesson	Humanities 2
Period 5					1				Normal Lesson	Maths 3	Normal Lesson	2

- **Year 11 Careers Update from Mr Tillotson:**

Over the following week our Year 11's will be filling in a questionnaire found on Year 11 Microsoft Teams posts. Under the Gatsby Benchmarks for excellent Careers Education in schools, schools must maintain records on the destinations (where and what students have gone on to do) for students for 3 years after they finish in Year 11. We must, therefore, obtain consent which enables LCC to share this data with us, rather than us contacting students individually.

The purpose of collecting this data is to ensure our students are provided with the best possible careers information, advice, and guidance; and to inform our planning and evaluation of our careers provision.

For further questions please do not hesitate to contact Mr Tillotson (jtillotson@park-high.co.uk)

Broadening Student Horizons

- **The Words of the Week** for the week beginning 3rd May





- **Intrinsic PD**

As part of our ongoing commitment to provide high quality Personal Development for our students at Park and in response to the restrictions as a result of the COVID 19 pandemic, we have introduced an Intrinsic PD programme at Park. This which runs each **Tuesday and Wednesday lunchtime** and complements our existing Personal Development curriculum, reinforcing but also reinforces our ethos at Park, British Values and international, national, local and current events. The information for students is deliberately brief whilst being informative, covering an extensive range of relevant, age appropriate topics such as diversity, the rule of law and healthy lifestyles. Some of the topics covered so far have been Coping with the Pandemic (COVID safety), Cancer Awareness, Who do you think you are?, Anti-Bullying Week, Fairtrade, Being Safe on Our Streets and Chinese New Year. The topics are designed to provoke thought and debate amongst our young people and highlight issues that affect them and the world around them. For further information please do not hesitate to contact Mrs C Bridges (cbridges@park-high.co.uk)

- Park High School's [Careers Newsletter Week 28](#). Please also see the below opportunity available for our students:



Join us for our

Year 8, 9 and 10
Virtual Open Event

Nelson and Colne College
Tuesday 27 April | 6pm - 8pm

Accrington and Rossendale College
Wednesday 5 May | 6pm - 8pm

Register today!
www.nelson.ac.uk
www.accross.ac.uk

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- The Extra curricular timetable continues:

Get involved!

Team PE

Extra Curricular activities – Week beginning 4 May

Sports hall activities

Day	Year group
Monday 4a	Bank holiday
Monday 4b	Bank holiday
Tuesday 4a	Year 8 'A' band
Thursday	Year 9



After school activities

Tuesday – Year 8 rounders
Thursday – Year 7 & 9 rounders, Year 8 Netball
Friday – Year 7 Netball and Year 7 & 8 Football



- [Colne Youth Activity Group](#)

This group has been set up to provide fantastic activities in the local area. The first two activities that have been set up are detailed below:



- **Football: Burnley FC** in the Community Team (Lee and Lewis) are running 5 aside football every Wednesday at 5 p.m. at the MUGA at King George V Playing Field all welcome boys and girls.

- **Cycling: Go Velo** are doing a mountain biking course on the Park High site on Monday 26th April at 5 p.m. You will need to register for this and pay £3 joining fee but the sessions are free. Join at www.cyag.org

Please look at the website for all up coming activities.



Inter house Badminton Results



Results – Individual winners

Year 7 Girls

Winner – Isabelle Riley (Dragon)

Runner-up – Macey Rollinson (Phoenix)

Semi-finalists – Megan Morton (Pegasus)
& Ruby Starkie (Pegasus)



Results – Individual winners

Year 7 Boys

Winner – Ethan Ni (Pegasus)

Runner-up – Charlie Ellison (Griffin)

Semi-finalists – Jayden Gifford (Phoenix)
& Callum Singleton (Dragon)



Results – Individual winners

Year 8 Girls

Winner – Elizabeth Smaldon (Phoenix)

Runner-up – Erin Sagar (Dragon)

Semi-finalists – Nicole Singleton (Pegasus)
& Gemma Roberts (Griffin)



Results – Individual winners

Year 8 Boys

Winner – Jackson Allen (Griffin)

Runner-up – Rhys Howard (Phoenix)

Semi-finalists – Michael Hoyle (Griffin) & Alex Byrne (Dragon)



Results – Individual winners

Year 9 Girls

Winner – Anisha Khan (Dragon)

Runner-up – Annabelle Bretherton (Phoenix)

Semi-finalists – Megan Matthew (Griffin) & Francesca Bracewell (Pegasus)



Results – Individual winners

Year 9 Boys

Winner – Kieran Bowden (Phoenix)

Runner-up – Booth Haigh (Griffin)

Semi-finalists – Shayne Howard (Phoenix) & Ben Stratton (Griffin)



Results – Individual winners

Year 10 Boys

Winner – Adam Little (Dragon)

Runner-up – Connor Denton (Phoenix)

Semi-finalists – Archie Redman (Dragon)
& Tom Holgate (Pegasus)



Team event

1st – Phoenix

2nd – Dragon

3rd – Griffin

4th – Pegasus



House Champions
Badminton

Phoenix



Next inter house event...

Inter house football

Week beginning 24 May



Introducing our new Attendance Manager: Orme

Mrs Helen

Mrs. Orme began her career in education as Musical Director at her local high school, directing Musical Productions during extracurricular activity time. After leaving University she then trained to become a Music Teacher to follow her passion for working with young people and sharing her love of music and theatre. Her career actually started here at Park High and then she continued teaching for the next 10 years in Lancashire and across the border in Yorkshire.



After having a family of her own, Mrs. Orme left teaching in 2018 and began a new career working in Attendance. Knowing that all adults in education can have a positive influence on young people; Mrs. Orme's ethos is that all students **should have access to the best education possible** by actively encouraging them to attend school to **ultimately succeed and be the best they can possibly be in life**.

In her spare time, Mrs. Orme is still in touch with her musical roots, being heavily involved in Musical Theatre Productions and performances, whilst enjoying quality time with her family.

I am sure you will join me in welcoming Mrs Orme back to Park - we are sure she will help our students to ensure they attend school and shine!

The week ahead

- Park High School is closed on Monday 3rd May due to the Bank Holiday

- Polling Day 06th May 2021 - some areas of school will be out of circulation. Affected students will be contacted individually.

- Year 7-10 PRPs (to assist with student assessment and exam preparation) will be distributed to students on Friday 07th May in preparation for 10th May start. PRP's will run for three weeks.

Dates for diary - further ahead

- Year 11 assessments start 10th May

- Year 10 assessments start 07th June

- 25th June 2021 is **Year 8 HPV inoculations** taking place in school. More details will follow.

Become part of the Park family



Park High School

Raising Aspirations



Lead Practitioner of English

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Teacher of Mathematics (Full Time - Permanent)
(with responsibility which attracts a TLR)

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Teacher of Mathematics (Full Time - Permanent)

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Teacher of RE (Full Time –Permanent)

EVERY LESSON SHAPES A LIFE



Pennine Teaching Alliance (PTA) is a Multiple Teaching Alliance consisting of partners spanning across the full age spectrum from Early Years Foundation stage to post 16 education, offering Secondary Teacher training. Our Alliance facilitates opportunities for our schools to work collaboratively to drive improvements within the education system. We can help you to make a difference in the lives of our young people. Together we share the vision and passion for outstanding provision where you will be supported to inspire and educate future generations. You will be part of a successful, professional family from the outset where nobody gets left behind and you will be encouraged to be the best that you can possibly be.

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info@pennineteachingalliance.co.uk
For further info contact Ann on 01282 865200

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Receptionist

Please visit our website for [Job opportunities](#).

!!NEW!! In addition to last week's advertised posts, we are also looking for a permanent part time receptionist to join our team

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Artwork at its very best for our KS3 students!

Year 7 were given an Art prep challenge of making an African mask out of creative materials. The pupils really excelled in producing masks out of Salt dough, paper mache, clay and even tree bark! Year 8 were given an Art prep task to produce some work based on sweets and art inspired by a contemporary artist called Sarah Graham. Again our students really shone and thoroughly enjoyed producing work on canvas and wooden board and card. Here is a selection of their wonderful work!



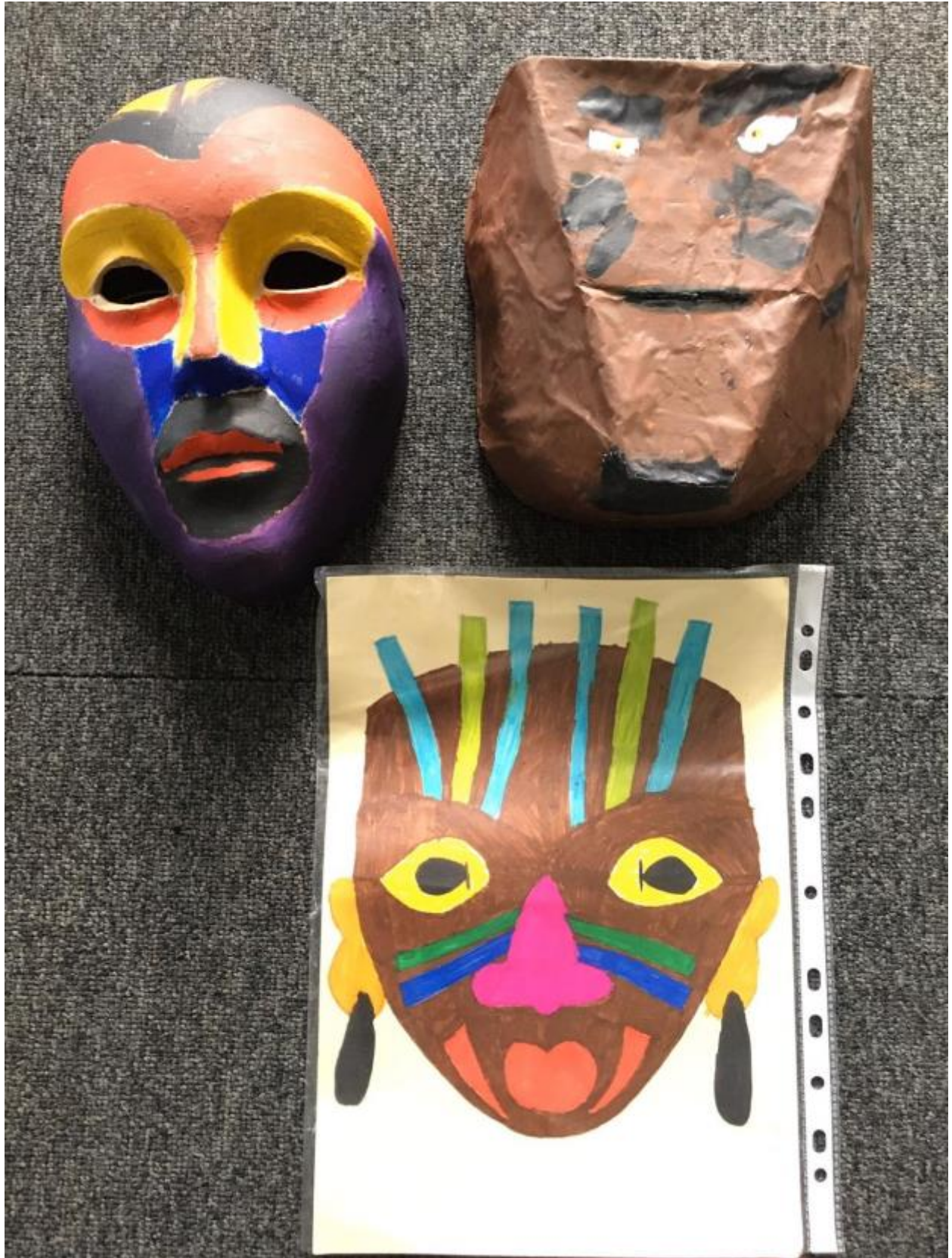


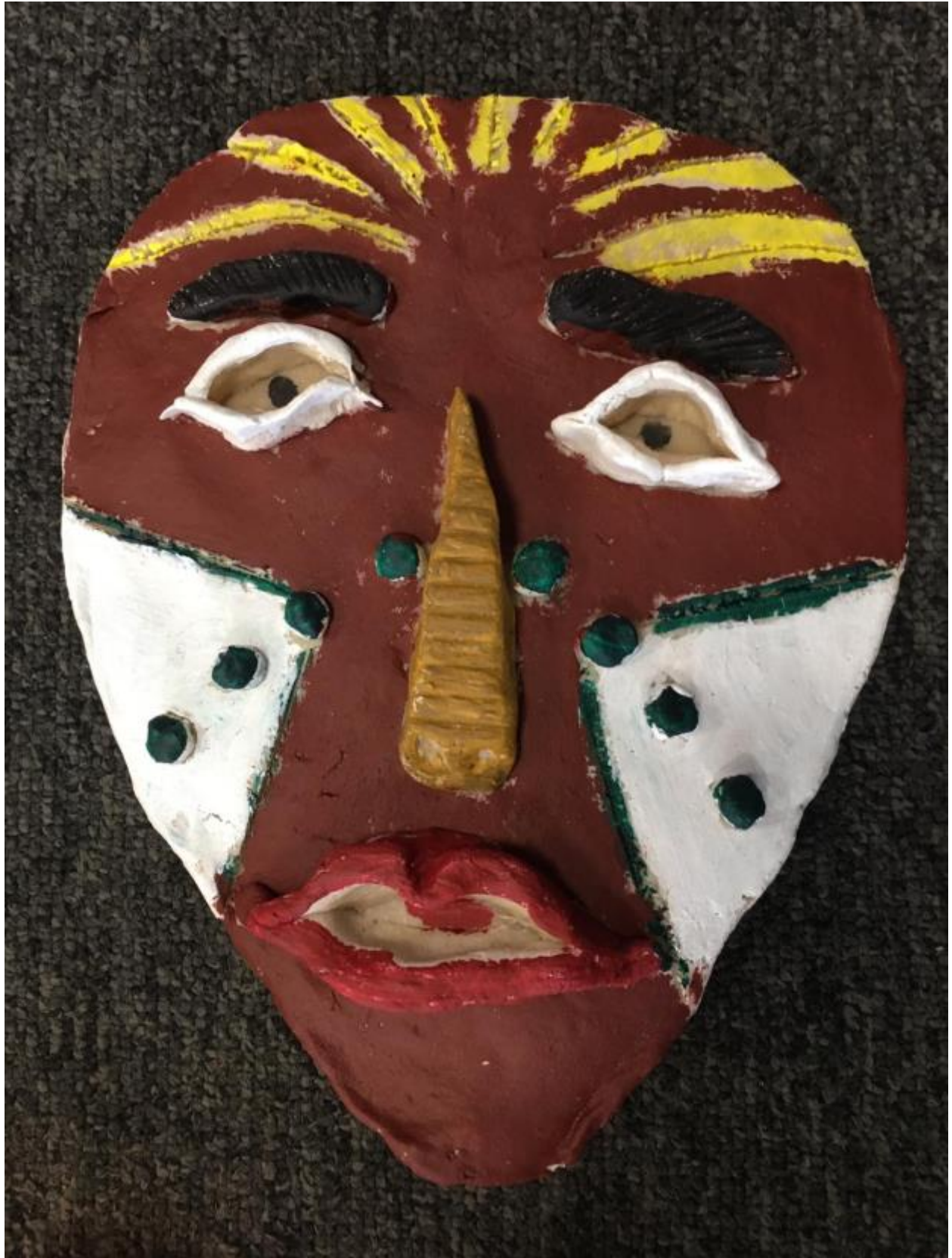










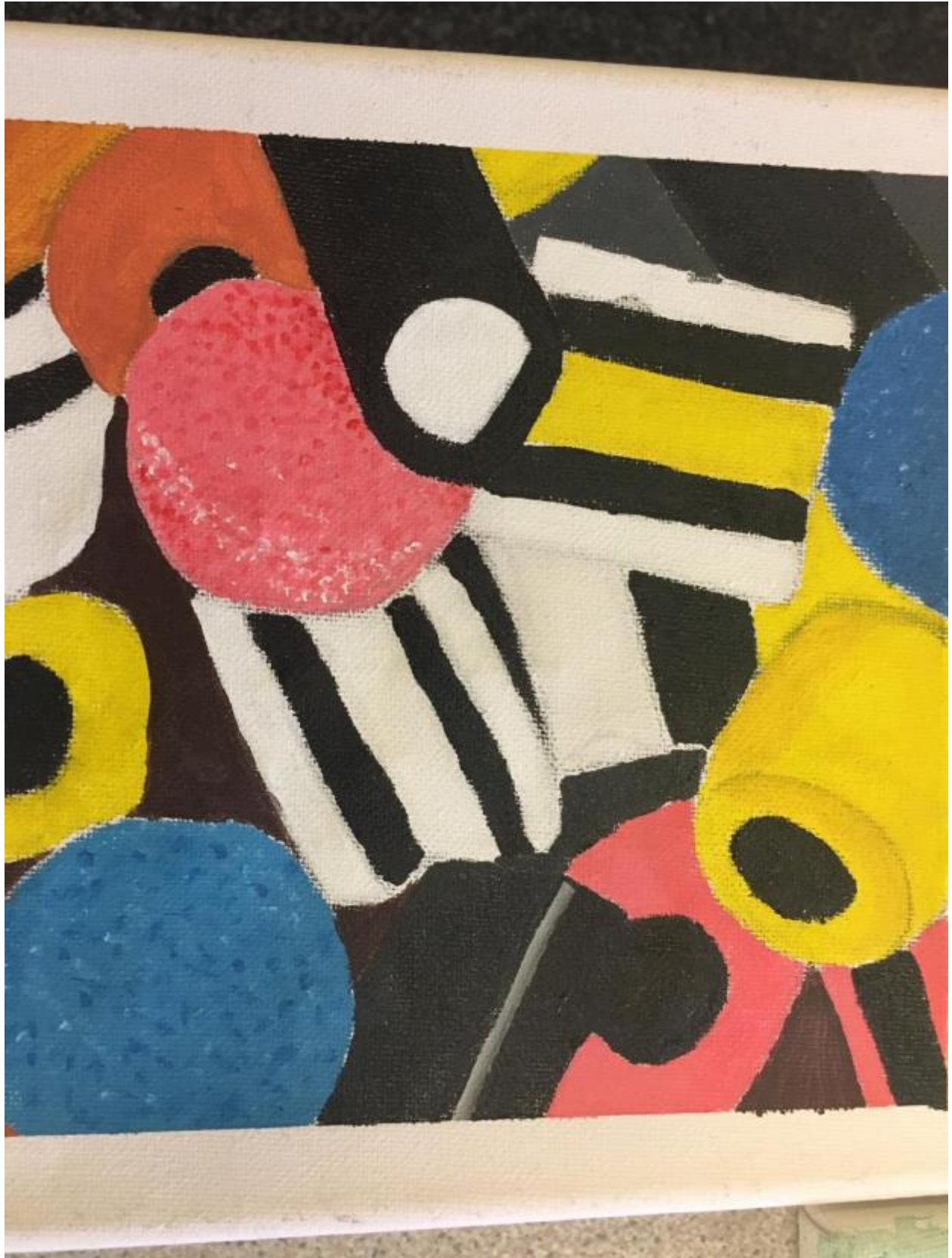




















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