



PRESS RELEASE

Ascend Learning Trust Celebrates the Coronation of our Majesties

Pupils at Ascend Learning Trust celebrate their Majesties' Coronation. Each school took their own twist on the celebration.

As the Coronation of the King and The Queen Consort draws closer, the schools within the Ascend Learning Trust have been busy organising events to mark the occasion. The coronation is a special moment in our history, with our King Charles III being crowned in St Edward's Chair on Saturday 6th May and people lining the streets of London to catch a glimpse of our King and The Queen Consort as they travel in the Gold State Coach.

Lawn Manor Academy have decided on a sweet approach, with the pupils and staff creating their own cake inspired by the coronation, pupils brought in the cake to share with their tutors and staff to shared theirs in an afternoon tea at lunch. Mrs Jones, Design & Technology Technician came out on top taking first place with her yummy coffee & walnut cake. Mr Koza, Assistant Headteacher and Mrs Smith, Head of Design & Technology, have gone the extra mile with decorating the school's kitchen in a spectacular showcase of red, white and blue. All of the pupils have been allowed to wear red, white and blue to mark the occasion.



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The Wellington Academy hosted their 'Food Fit for a King' competition, the pupils were set the task of drawing or creating a dish for their Majesties. Whilst the creative students are busy in the kitchen, the History geniuses were busy delving back into the history of our coronations. Whilst the student takes a step back in time, they will be writing out their journey that has been entered into a competition for their houses and potentially going into national competitions.

The Wellington Primary Academies are having outdoor picnics with the traditional British dish of fish and chips with a coronation themed cupcake. During the picnic the pupils sang the national anthem, with a rotation of games, bunting hats and a special visit from the Chair and Mayor of Tidworth Town Council, Mark Connolly. The pupils spent the afternoon, making crowns, learning about the Monarchy and the coronation, and having a celebration.

At Noremarsch Junior School the Year 4s have been getting their artistic juices flowing, creating collages, bookmarks and creating their very own kahoot quiz all around the coronation. The King's portrait was used to create the collages with the bookmarks using different designs featuring the crown, Their Majesties' and the British flag.

Royal Wootton Bassett Academy have been getting in the spirit of the coronation using the special event as a tool for their house assemblies. In each assembly they have been learning all about the history behind the coronation and the timeline of events. The week ended with students tasked with getting their creative juices flowing and design coronation themed entries, such as bunting, a coronation invite or creating a dish fit for the King, the winner will be announced next week.



A spokesperson for Ascend Learning Trust commented "Events such as these is a great way to bring our trust together and celebrate it as a whole. We are all very excited for Their Majesties' Coronation, the schools have had fun creating their own celebrations ahead of the day. I have loved hearing and visiting as many schools as possible to get involved in the activities and look forward to watching King Charles III become the fortieth sovereign to be crowned on Saturday at Westminster Abbey with The Queen Consort being crowned alongside him."