

My day at Maidstone Grammar school for girls  
By Grace Year 6

During the Summer holidays I went on a Summer school experience to MGGS. I woke up on the morning, not knowing what to expect, but feeling excited, yet nervous at the same time.

Jadon, Kitan and I attended the day, and luckily we were all in the same group, the "Brittons."

The Brittons started the day off with good tech, where we made four of our very own thumbprint cookies! We worked in groups of three, I was with Kitan and Jadon, and we had a kitchen to work at! I really enjoyed this first activity, as we also made our own boxes, to put our cookies in. This session helped my planning and design skills.

After a lot of crisp popping at breacktime, we went off to our next activity.

This involved a woodland walk, in the pouring rain! Our group leaders led us around the school grounds, in the woods, which was technically their border. After venturing through the woods, we were off to lunch, which was great because I was starving.

Everyone brought their own packed lunch, and we ate in the cantine. We had an hour to eat lunch, which was a great amount of time to rest, especially because we had two activities left! So off we went to our first... Dance and Basket ball!

I love all sports, especially dance, so I was looking forward to putting on a show for the adults later on. We started to learn our dance, then we added in the music, and finally the props! It took a while, but by the end it was perfect! So now it was time to move on to basketball.

We were split into four teams: purple, red, blue and yellow. I was on yellow team along with Kitar, and a few others. There were 4 matches to determine a winner, and rightfully blue team won! However I was pleased that the yellow team (my team) came second.

Next we were off to drama, where we practised for the show. We were re-enacting a scene from Jack and the Beanstalk, using actions, words and claps. It was all very clever! Once we'd practised it a few times, it was show material! So now it was just time for the performance. Chatting parents filled the hall in anticipation.

We (the Brittons) were up to perform last, so luckily we had more practise time.

However, time flew quickly and before we knew it, it (after a long time) was our turn to step onto the stage. We performed our dance well, to an Olympic song, Rio De Janeiro! Then the acting started, which was apparently "a star performance" according to our acting teacher! Sadly, it was the end of the day!

It had been a great day at MGS and I would love to go again!