

## **Reminder to Parent Carers of Year 7 pupils Residential to Woodrow House Wednesday 20 – Friday 22 May**

Please remember that your child will come to school on transport on Wednesday 20 May and will return on transport on Friday 22 May (where applicable).

If you decide to bring your child into school on Wednesday 20 May and collect them from school on Friday 22 May - it is up to you to contact transport to inform them of your plans.



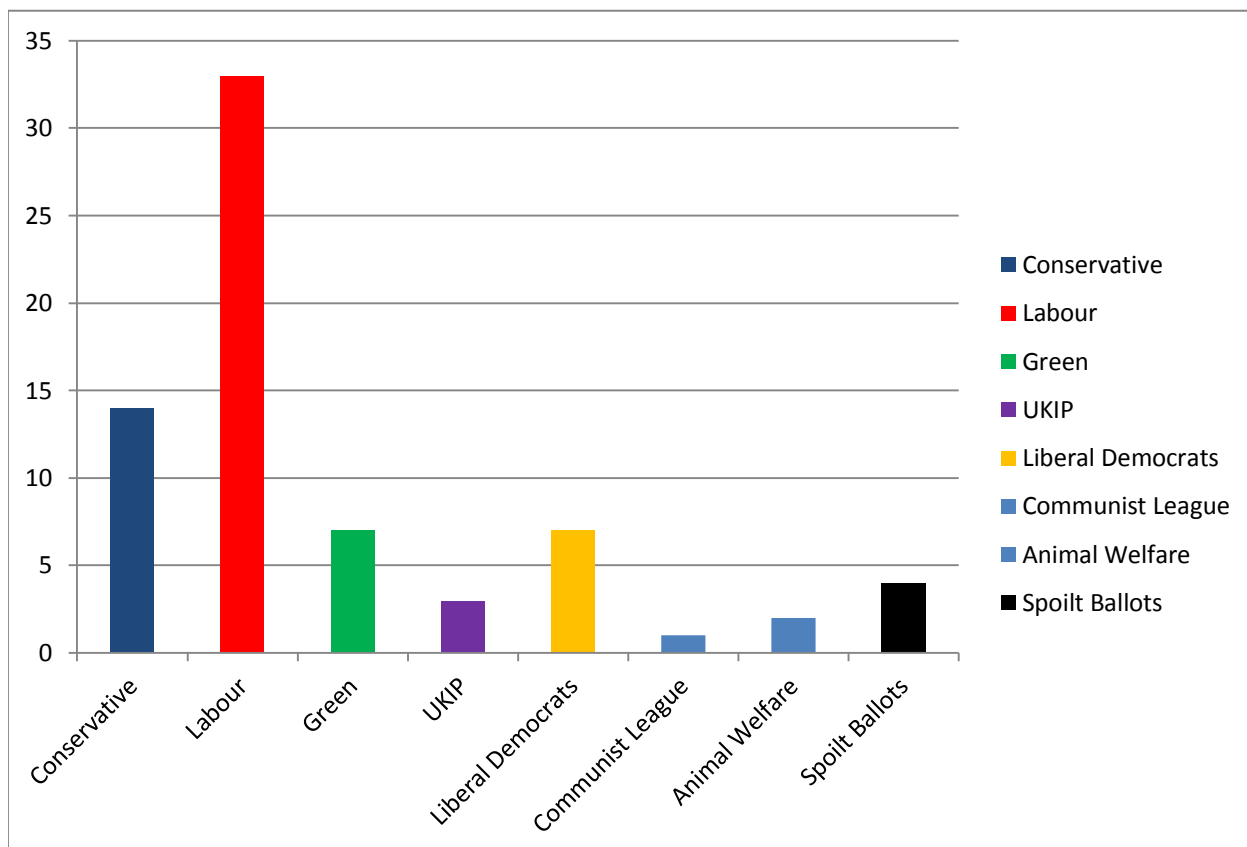
### **Forthcoming School Journeys for the Summer term**

- Year 10 France Monday 29 June - Friday 3 July



## **Stormont House School Polling Day**

Over the past few weeks Year 10 have been preparing for 'Election Day Thursday 7 May 2015', their project started when they visited the Houses of Parliament and took part in a debate on 'Elections and Voting'. With the help of Ms Carter the pupils prepared posters and information so that the pupils would be able to take part in the voting sessions on Thursday 7 May 2015. The Year 10 pupils manned the polling station at break and lunchtime, enabling the pupils to have a real life experience of what it is like to take part in an election.



**The outright winner of the pupils vote at Stormont House was the Labour party.'**

## Stormont House's EU Stars Youth Travel Ambassadors

### Active Travel Day

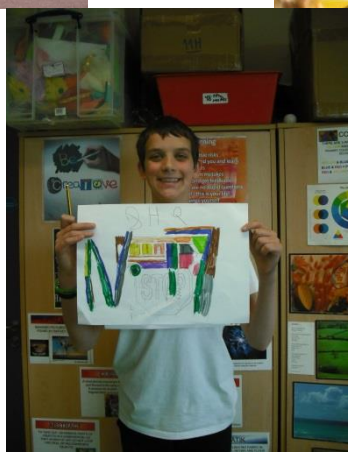
In October 2014 Stormont became a part of an active travel programme called EU Stars. We chose 12 students who were interested in promoting active travel at school to become Youth Travel Ambassadors. Since October the ambassadors have been having meetings and workshops to plan an Active Travel Day which took place on Friday 8 May 2015.

The event was kicked off by our ambassadors who delivered an assembly to the whole school to introduce the day and what it was all about. Their introduction was followed by a quiz on active travel which was great fun. Then the BMX rider that the ambassadors had booked to perform did a showcase full of tricks which everyone really enjoyed.

To continue the healthy theme the Youth Travel Ambassadors served an array of exotic fruit at break, from Papaya to Dragon fruit. After break the whole school took part in different workshops. These included a Road Safety workshop, an Independent Travel workshop led by Transport for London, Cycle training, the Smoothie Bike challenge, Rowing and Bleep test competitions, Road Safety poster making and an Art workshop about how pupils travel to school.

The day was a big success for the Youth Travel Ambassadors who have worked hard all year to make this happen. We would also like to thank all the external exhibitors who attended the event and contributed to the day.

**Well done to our Youth Travel Ambassadors and everyone who took part!**



### Term Dates/Dates for your Diary

#### Summer Term

Monday 13 April  
Monday 25 May – Friday 29 May  
Thursday 25 June  
**Friday 26 June**  
Friday 17 July

Start of Summer term  
Half term holiday  
Record of Achievement Day (**Year 11**)  
**Inset Day (school closed to all pupils)**  
End of Summer Term

