



# GRANGE ACADEMY WEEKLY BULLETIN

13<sup>th</sup> June 2022

# WEEKLY PUZZLE

Let's get our brains warmed up with a quick riddle. Can you solve it?

I am a word with 5 letters but if you take away 4 of those letters and leave only the first,  
I still sound the same.  
What am I?



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# HEAD TEACHER UPDATES

## School Uniform

Many thanks to pupils for improving standards of uniform across the school thus far. Reminder, this is a soft launch and the expectation is 100% uniform in August.

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## Local Community

A reminder of our school value of RESPECT. Please ensure we are respectful of our local residents whilst walking around the local community before/after school and during lunch time.

Anti-social behaviour will not be tolerated.

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# OPEN MIC NIGHT

Due to the huge success of the last Open Mic Night, there will soon be another event taking place at CentreStage.

Date: Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June

Time: 7pm - 9pm

Tickets: £2 (available at the link below)

<https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/centrestagecommunities/t-vveodd1>

If any pupils would like to take part, but have yet to sign up – please speak to Mr Ramsay in Music as soon as possible.



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# SAM MCCALLUM



Well done to Sam McCallum (S4) who has been selected to represent the Scotland Boys' football team.

Sam is a graduate of our School of Football programme and we are absolutely delighted for him.

Congratulations, Sam!



# FOOTBALL VICTORY



Congratulations on another fantastic victory for our footballers against Marr College. The final score was 11 – 3 to Grange!

Goal scorers were: McKenzie (3), Louie (3), Glen (2), Harry A, Harry F, Evan S

Player of the Match: Glen C

Mr McLaughlin's Player of the Match: Louie

Captain: James McIlvaney

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# FOOTBALL VICTORY

And the football achievements keep coming!

The U14 girls team won in the Scottish Finals – they were up against Ellon Academy in the final, and came out on top after a tough qualifying group section.

Player of the tournament: Hope McCormack

Coaches' pick: Amy Deane

Well done, team!



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# MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY STUDENTS

Attention S5/6 pupils who are planning to study medicine or dentistry at university:

Most UK universities require applicants to sit an admissions test (UCAT) in addition to their other entry requirements.

The UCAT must be sat in the summer of 2022 by students who want to apply for entry in 2023.

For more info, please visit:  
<https://www.ucat.ac.uk/>



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# MEDICAL SCHOOL APPLICATION TIMELINE

As further help for pupils wishing to pursue a career in medicine, Medical Projects is running the following online event:

## Medical School Application Timeline: What you need to do now

They will have current medical students covering the application timeline, work experience, entrance exams and everything else students need to know.

**Date:** Wednesday 14th September 2022

**Suitable for:** S5/6 pupils

**Registration link:** [educationprojects.co.uk/project/timeline-of-applying-to-medical-school-what-you-need-to-do-now/](https://educationprojects.co.uk/project/timeline-of-applying-to-medical-school-what-you-need-to-do-now/)



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# AYRSHIRE ATHLETICS

Congratulations to our athletics team who achieved 2<sup>nd</sup> place out of 30 schools at the Ayrshire Athletics finals.

They narrowly missed out on 1<sup>st</sup> place by one medal!

There were some impressive performances, and a great effort from everyone in the sun.

Well done!



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|                        | GOLD | SILVER | BRONZE |
|------------------------|------|--------|--------|
| Kilmarnock Academy     | 10   | 6      | 6      |
| Grange Academy         | 8    | 8      | 4      |
| Largs Academy          | 7    | 3      | 4      |
| Marr College           | 5    | 7      | 5      |
| Robert Burns Academy   | 5    | 3      | 3      |
| Kyle Academy           | 5    | 3      | 2      |
| Greenwood Academy      | 5    | 0      | 3      |
| Garnock Academy        | 4    | 3      | 5      |
| Stewarton Academy      | 3    | 2      | 1      |
| Queen Margaret Academy | 3    | 0      | 1      |



|                     | GOLD | SILVER | BRONZE | Total |
|---------------------|------|--------|--------|-------|
| Grange Academy      | 7    | 8      | 0      | 15    |
| Wellington School   | 4    | 0      | 2      | 6     |
| Kilmarnock Academy  | 4    | 0      | 0      | 4     |
| Arran High School   | 3    | 4      | 3      | 10    |
| Loudoun Academy     | 2    | 0      | 1      | 3     |
| Queen Margaret Ac   | 1    | 2      | 1      | 4     |
| St Joseph's Academy | 1    | 1      | 1      | 3     |
| Carrick Academy     | 1    | 1      | 0      | 2     |
| Marr college        | 1    | 0      | 0      | 1     |
| Largs Academy       | 1    | 0      | 0      | 1     |
| Robert burns Ac     | 0    | 1      | 1      | 2     |

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# AYRSHIRE ATHLETICS

## Jonathon Downey

Winner of the Glen Harrower Trophy for best senior track performance

## Ally Mitchell

Winner of the Simon Campbell best sprint performance

## Laura Mitchell

Winner of the Glen Harrower Trophy for senior girls field

## Jamie Work

Winner of the S3 boys best track performance

## Ayrshire Record Breakers

Hope McCormack – new S1 girls 300m record (46.7secs)

Ally Mitchell – new senior boys 100m record (10.9secs)

Jonathon Downey – new senior boys 1500m record (4min 13 secs)

On top of the amazing medal tallies on the previous slide, here are some of the outstanding individual achievements that were passed on to us from the Ayrshire Athletics committee...

Well done to all our incredible athletes!

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# S6 LEAVERS EVENT

It was an emotional morning when we said goodbye to our seniors for the last time.

Huge thanks to all the staff who came along to help out, and wish our leavers all the best for the future.

Thanks also to our team of baristas for providing such excellent service.



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# FOODBANK COLLECTION

Thank you so much for the donations we have received so far.

Miss Cooper will be accepting donations in the library up until the last week of school.

## Some examples of items you could donate:

- Pasta and pasta sauce
- Rice
- Tins of meat, vegetables and fruit
- Cereal and cereal bars

Even one item makes a big difference to struggling families in our community.





# BSL SIGN OF THE WEEK

## “SCHOOL PROM”

### School



Hold your hand flat, with palm towards you at the side of your mouth and move hand from side to side

### Prom



Hold your pointer finger and middle finger of each hand pointing down (like legs) and move them side to side as if they are dancing. You can move your head too if you like!

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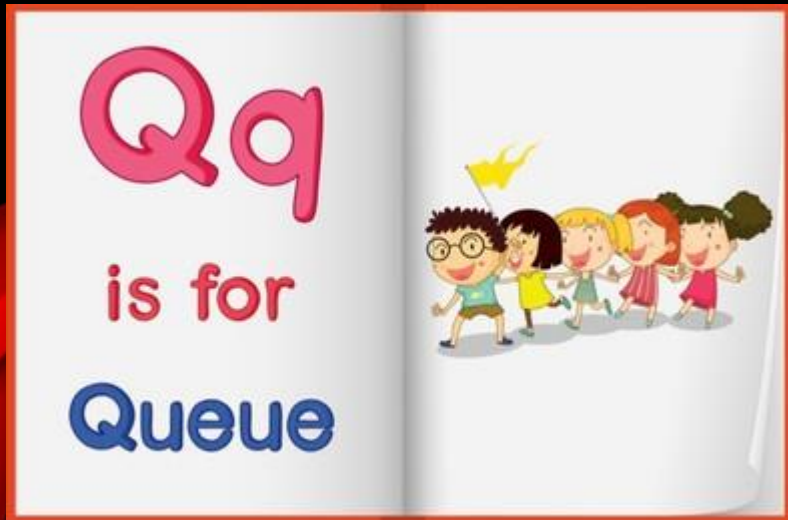
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Did you get it right?

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Answer: Queue



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HAVE A GREAT WEEK, GRANGE.

WORK HARD.

BE KIND.

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