



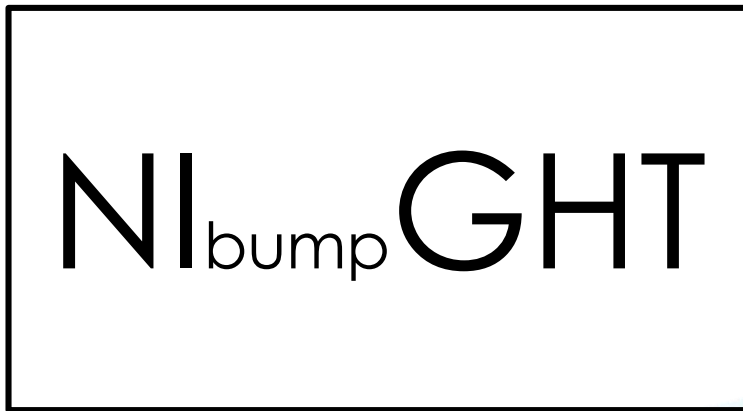
GRANGE ACADEMY WEEKLY BULLETIN

12th September 2022

WEEKLY PUZZLE

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

What well-known phrase is represented by the graphic below?



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A MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD TEACHER



- ❑ We are continuing to receive complaints from local residents regarding the volume of litter being dropped by Grange Academy pupils.
- ❑ Because of this, there will be additional patrols by East Ayrshire Environmental Health enforcement officers in the local area.
 - ❑ If you are caught dropping litter, you will receive an **£80 fixed penalty notice**.
- ❑ Some pupils from other East Ayrshire schools have already been fined - don't let that be you.
- ❑ Pupils acting in a responsible manner (e.g. putting litter in the bin) could receive a **free ticket to a Kilmarnock match**. The Environmental Health team have 50 free tickets to distribute weekly.

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A MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD TEACHER



- ❑ Littering has been a regular topic in the school bulletin, however the problem continues.
- ❑ This will be discussed during school assemblies week beginning 12th and 19th September.
- ❑ We expect all of our pupils to do better

LET'S PUT A STOP TO LITTER!

- put your rubbish in a bin
- if there isn't a bin nearby, bring it into school and put it in a bin here
- remind your friends to do the same
- if you see litter, put it in a bin
- be polite to members of the local community
- report anyone you see littering to a teacher

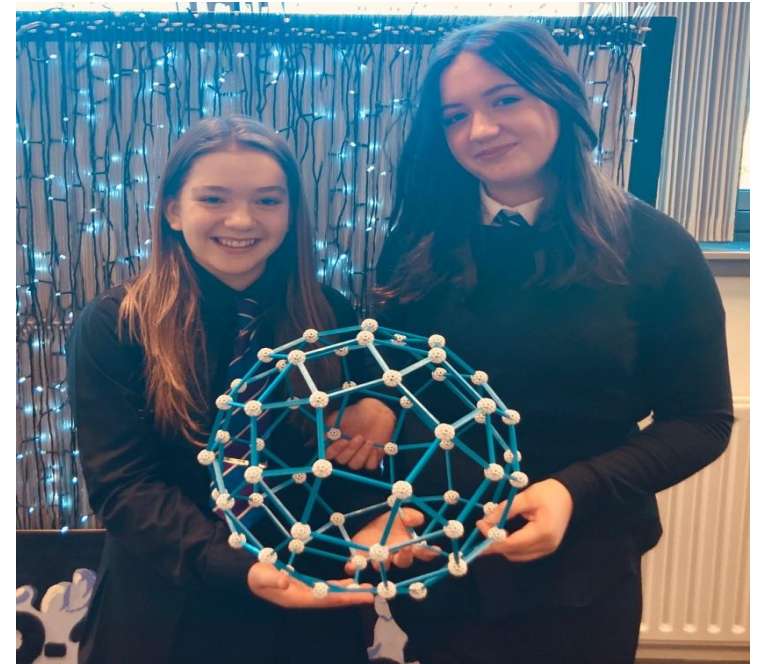


NUMERACY STARS!

Well done to:

Olivia, Isla, Ruby, Imogen, Beth, Kayla,
Jamie, Ellie and Caleb

They managed to construct these
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structures in Numeracy!



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POLICE SCOTLAND WORK EXPERIENCE 2022

Police Scotland Work Experience has been arranged for week beginning
3rd October 2022.

Each East Ayrshire School has space for 3 pupils: one from S4, S5 and S6.

As in previous years, pupils will get the opportunity to visit a number of specialist departments within Police Scotland as well as visits to Scottish Fire and Rescue at Kilmarnock, Hampden Football stadium and either Ayr or Kilmarnock Sheriff Court. In addition, this year we have secured a visit to the Police Scotland Helicopter and the Dive Marine Unit.

If you are interested, please contact your guidance teacher by Thursday 15th September and they will give you a copy of the application form.



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BUS PASSES

Pupils who travel on the school bus from Gatehead / Knockentiber / Crosshouse must collect a bus pass.

If you have not already done so, please collect your bus pass from the school office.

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UCAS PRESENTATION

Many thanks to Caitlin from Strathclyde University for delivering a presentation on UCAS applications and pathways to our S6 pupils - it was very informative as we plan our post-school pathways.



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FLU IMMUNISATION FORMS

A reminder that all pupils must return their flu immunisation consent forms to the main office as soon as possible.

If you have not received a form, please go to the office to request one.

RYAN CRABBE

Ryan Crabbe (1B2) competed in the West District Swimming Competition. Here are his results:



- Silver for the 100m Individual Medley
 - Silver in the 50m Freestyle
- Gold for the 4x50 Medley Relay
- Gold for the 4x50 Freestyle Relay
- Gold for 50m Breaststroke

Well done, Ryan!

**JOHN
MUIR
AWARD**

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JOHN MUIR AWARD



Congratulations to all 86 S2 pupils who completed their Discovery John Muir Award in June. To celebrate their success there will be an awards ceremony for these pupils at Thursday lunch time in the Assembly hall. Please read the next slide to see who these pupils are.

Please arrive at the start of lunch time in full school uniform to receive your certificates and lunch.

The list of names will also be up in the PE department this week.

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JOHN MUIR AWARD

Josh Robertson

Emily Lennon

Martha McClean

Nicole Orr

Phoebe Lacy

Hannah Rae

Adam Dyet

Jamie Hodkinson

Amy Gear

Leni Muir

Dylan Craig

Kendall Knox

Emma Quinn

Lewis McCloskey

Lucas McCall

Katie Havlin

Callum Muir

Anna Brady

Neve Garrick

Tristian Mathieson

Harry Adams

Amy Boulton

Georgia Anderson

Lewis Rankin

Daniel Johnston

Molly Abercrombie

Isla Hutchinson

Kirstin McClure

Katie Docherty

Charlotte Gemmell

Harry Falconer

Benjamin Kean

Evan Smith

Arran Swift

Finlay Allison

Rachel Ross

Kyle Chambers

Aaron White

Jack Bissett

Lexi Campbell

Ava Wallace

Kallum Tang

Yvie Glencorse

Eilidh Cooke

Jenna Dunsmuir

Anya McGillivray

Dominic Patton

Tia Kwok

Miller Stewart

Carrie Robertson

Elizabeth Clark

Nyla Bolton

Erin Cameron

Aimee McAllister

Niamh Cree

Blythe Galbraith

Logan Todd

Emily Cummings

Harriet Harper

Louie Lindsay

Farah Malone

Evie Holmes

Ava Rice

Penny Kerr

Jethro Dagur Warnock

Aaron Raeside

Jayden Miller

Annalise Morrison

Poppy Cuthbert

Afton Kay

Robbie Martin

Ava Watson

Hope McCormick

Archie Brown

Kyle Johnston

Mathew Bradley

Callum Hamilton

Sean Hollywood

Ava Hunter

McKenzie Anderson

Taylor McPartland

Freya Lee

Evan Ralston

Marley Hall

Carly Boyce

Chloe McDowall

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OLIVIA CUTHBERTSON

Huge congratulations to Olivia Cuthbertson (1H1) who travelled to Birmingham at the weekend to compete in the 10th Commonwealth Club Karate Championship.

Well done, Olivia!



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YOUNG MUSICIAN COMPETITION



Grange Academy will be holding a competition for Young Musicians - both instrumental and vocal on **Wednesday 2nd November**.

The competition will take place in the school in the evening - time to be confirmed.

The instrumental winner and vocal winner will be asked to represent the school at local competitions.

Scan the QR code and complete the form to register your details.

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Grange Boys Rugby Festival

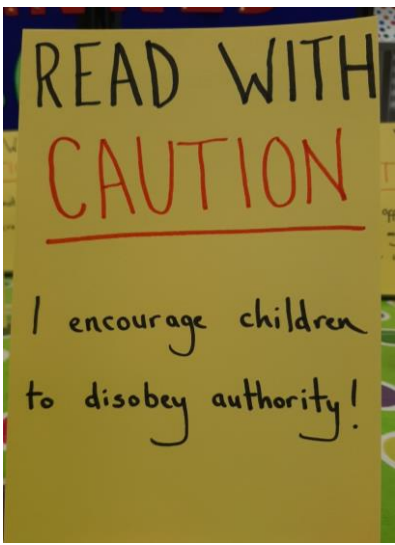


S1 + 2 boys put your
name on the signup
sheet in PE. A fun
afternoon not to be
missed!

Any questions see Miss
Shankland.



Wednesday 14th September
Period 6-7



BANNED BOOKS

This month in the library, we're celebrating **Banned Books**.

These are all books that were banned in the past for some weird and wonderful reasons... come along and see if you can figure out what books they are!

Banned Books Week takes place from 18th – 24th September 2022. Why not celebrate by reading a banned or challenged book?



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FOOTBALL TRIALS



For any pupils in the U-15 age group, there will be trials for the school football team on **Wednesday 21st of September.**

All interested pupils must give their name to the PE department any time before this date.

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GLASSES FOUND

These glasses were left behind at a computer in the library last week.

If they are yours, please come and collect them from Miss Cooper.



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GIRLS' HANDBALL CLUB

Girls' Handball club will now run on a Monday night after school until 4.35pm.

Miss Crossland is looking to create a team to play against other schools.

Come along and give it a try!



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CLUBS IN THE ENGLISH DEPARTMENT



There are three new clubs in the English Department this year:

Podcasting: Monday lunchtime (F080)

Creative Writing: Tuesday lunchtime (F088)

Debating: Tuesday lunchtime (F089)

The clubs are open to all year groups. Come along to find out more!

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SPORTS CLUB UPDATES

The netball club (Wednesday after school) is available to S1 – S4 pupils.

Girls' football (Monday after school) is also for S1 - S4 pupils.

Girls' rugby (Tuesday after school) is available to all age groups.



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Important update to afterschool code club!

Code club has been moved from Wednesday to **Thursday** after school!

Anyone is welcome, come to the **Computing** department after school on **Thursdays** from **3.35pm** to **4.30pm**

Pupils of all levels of experience and ability will find something to challenge them!



SOCIAL SUBJECTS FILM CLUB



The film club in Social Subjects will no longer take place on Tuesday lunch times.

It has now been moved to **Monday lunch time** instead.

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FIRST AID CLUB

S1 – S3 First Aid club starts this week.

It will take place every **Wednesday at lunch time**, in S008 (in Science)



GUITAR CLUB

A new guitar club is starting this week in the music department.

It will take place every **Tuesday lunch time** – come along and join in !



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CHESS CLUB

There will also be a new chess club starting this week.

It will be run by some of our senior pupils, and will take place every **Monday lunch time** in the library.

All year groups welcome!



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LONG WEEKEND

**LONG
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AHEAD**

Remember!

The school is closed for a long weekend this Friday (16th September) and next Monday (19th September).

We will re-open as normal on Tuesday 20th

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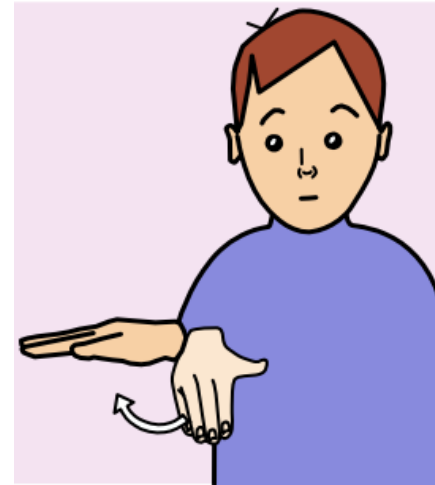
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BSL SIGN OF THE WEEK

“Friday Off”



Friday: point your pointer finger and middle finger up. Touch one cheek then the other.



Off: flick your hand away from you

WEEKLY PUZZLE

Did you get it right?

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Bump in the night

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HAVE A GREAT WEEK, GRANGE.

WORK HARD.

BE KIND.

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