



GRANGE ACADEMY WEEKLY BULLETIN

3rd October 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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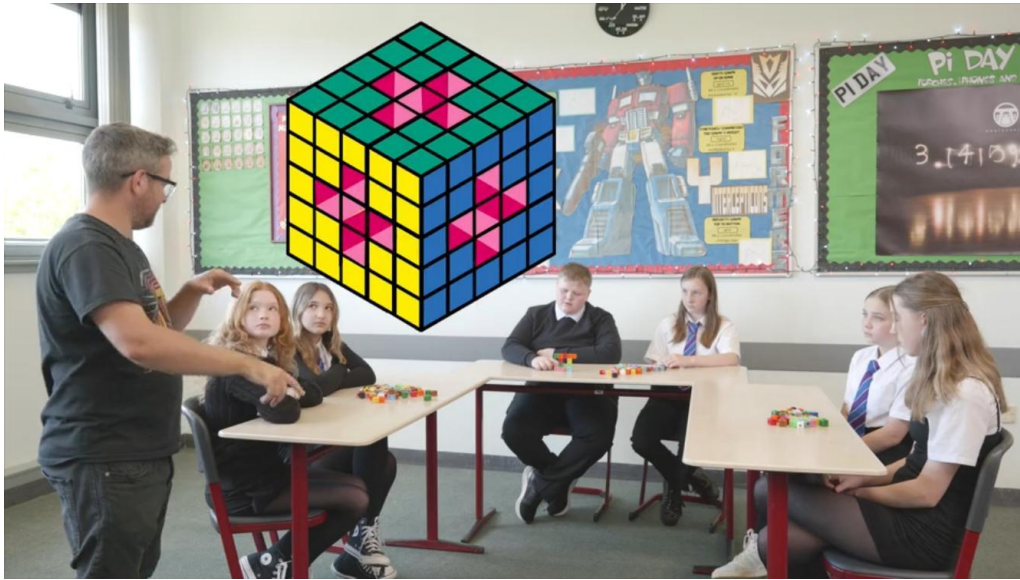
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MATHS WEEK SCOTLAND 2022



Last week was Maths Week Scotland 2022, and some of our S2 Mathematicians were being watched across the country as they starred in the Daily Challenge videos on BBC Bitesize.



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Check out the link below, or scan the QR code to see all the videos!

bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zhnb46f



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MATHS WEEK SCOTLAND 2022

The theme of Maths Week Scotland 2022 was "the beauty of Maths" and Mr Smith has been encouraging young people to celebrate his favourite subject!

If you want to join in the fun, there's still time to create your own Mathematical song...

Check out Mr Smith's example on YouTube – it's time for all the Mathe-musicians out there to get creative!



or batter those piano keys?

Maths Week
Scotland

Mathsy Song for Maths Week Scotland
2022! [#mathsweekscot](#)



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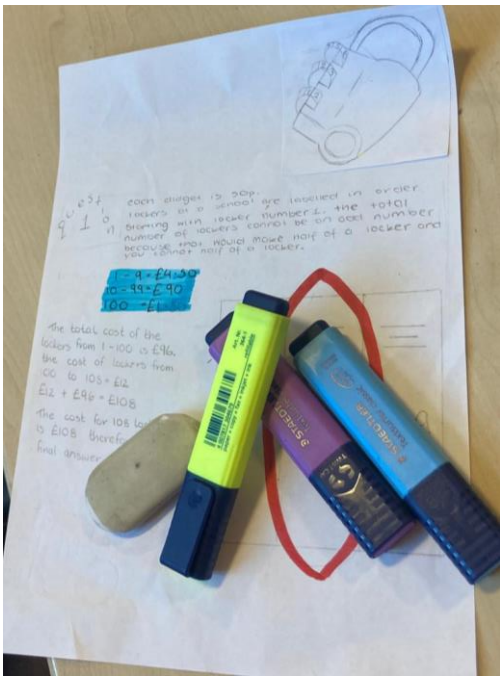
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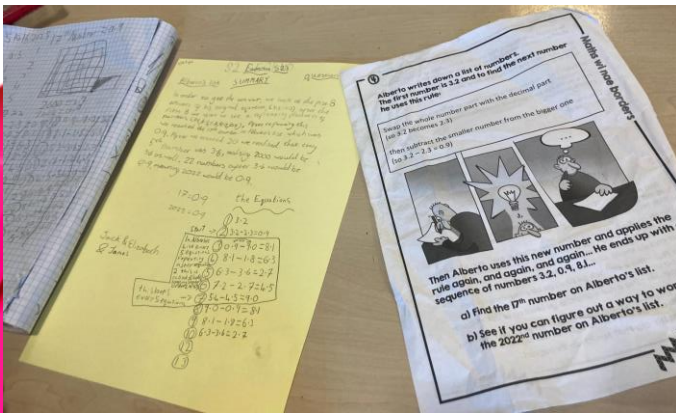
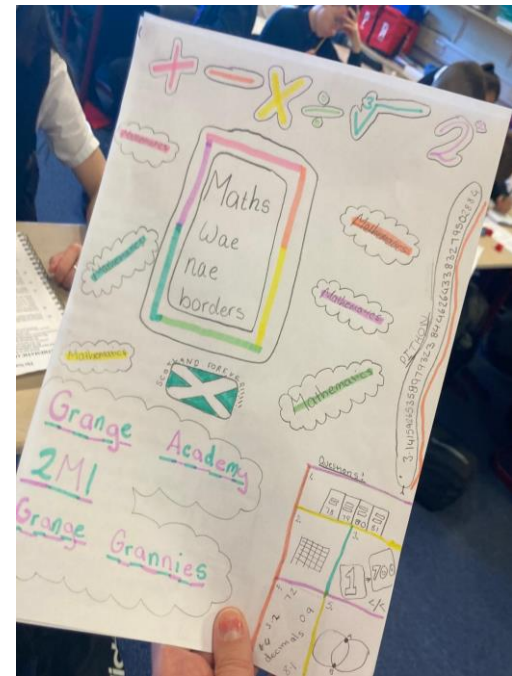
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Loads of our classes have been participating in the “Maths wi nae Borders” competition too!

It's all about teamwork, problem solving and explaining your answers (one of them in Scots or Gaelic!)



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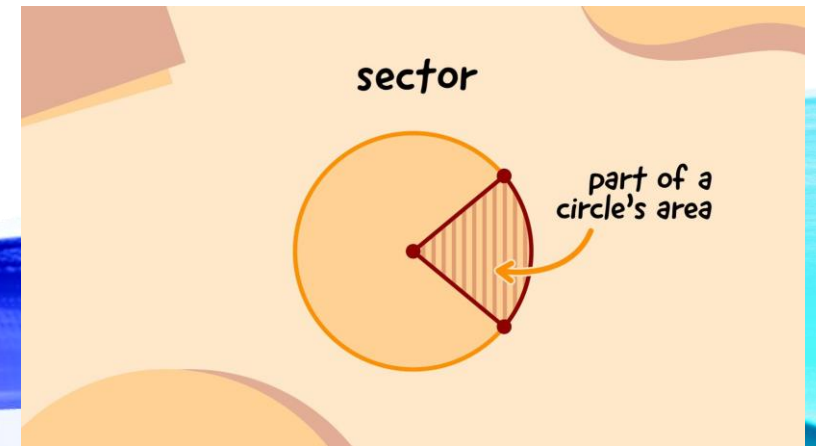
MATHS WEEK SCOTLAND 2022



And finally... if you haven't already checked out the latest 'Learn with Will' video, head over to:

youtube.com/watch?v=4OXHOG3_Blc

You might spot a familiar animated geeky face in the latest Maths Week Scotland adventure - and if you manage to complete the worksheets you'll access bonus videos!



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MARY JACKSON

Huge congratulations to Mary Jackson (S6) who was voted player of the week in the Scottish Women's Premier League 2!

She was awarded the title after her incredible performance against University of Stirling.

Well done, Mary!



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TRANSGENDER SUPPORT GROUP



If you identify as transgender and would like to help support the trans community within Grange, please come along to the pupil support base at **Monday lunchtimes**.

The pupil support base is located across the bridge from English, next to the library.

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It's challenge poverty week this week!



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We work hard to challenge poverty at Grange Academy!

The next slides are all about what we are doing
to #TurnTheTide

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Share Store



Launching in October...

What? A tray where you can place unopened, unwanted and uneaten food. Anyone can help themselves to an item if they want it.

Where? The Street

When? Break and Lunch

#challengepoverty

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One More Meal



We are trying to reduce waste and challenge poverty. Following lunchtime the catering staff will box up any excess food. This can then be taken home by any pupil for themselves or family members. Watch the bulletin for more information or come and chat to Mrs Marshall.

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Breakfast Club



Grange Academy has 3 breakfast clubs. These are free and open to everyone from 8.15am each morning. Please pop along to Miss Bonnar in FO69.

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Senior Study Cafe



Mr Johnston (new Science Teacher) will be organising a study group for S4-S6 pupils after school. There will be some tasty snacks available for you to munch on as you study. Mr Johnston will be sending information about this soon!

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Clothing



There is an extensive range of school uniform available along with PE kits. Please see your Guidance Teacher or Home Link Worker (Ms Chau) if you require any items.

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Toiletries



There is a range of toiletries available for those who require them. Please see your Guidance Teacher or Home Link worker (Ms Chau) if you require any items.

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Sanitary



Free sanitary products are available to anyone who needs them. These can be found in the guidance area of the school or by asking any teacher.

#EndPeriodPoverty

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PSE



PSE lessons will be themed to link in with Challenge Poverty Week. This will be your chance to give your ideas to your teacher!

#PupilVoice

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Pupil Equity Fund & Hardship Fund



The Pupil Equity Fund and Hardship Fund are available so that pupils have equal opportunities to attend activities like trips and prom. Please see Mrs Cardow if you need any financial assistance.

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Guidance



Your Guidance Teachers and our Home Link Worker will help with things like:

- **Travel card applications**
- **Free school meals allowance**
- **Clothing Grants**
- **Education Maintenance Allowance**

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Guidance



Your Guidance Teachers and our Home Link Worker will help with things like:

- **Reach Project:** Reach gives secondary pupils aged S4 to S6 from non-traditional backgrounds more insight into studying Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine, Law, Teaching and Engineering as well as practical experience that would help with an application.
- **Technology support:** We can get you access to a laptop/chrome book

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INTER-HOUSE DODGEBALL

The first inter-house event of the year was a huge success with over 200 S1 pupils taking part in the Dodgeball tournament. Massive thank you to the Hamilton House captains for organising and the other house and school captains for supporting. The results are as follows:

- 1st Hamilton 20 points
- 2nd Graham 15 points
- 3rd Douglas 10 points
- 4th Bruce 5 points

The next event will be inter-house football hosted by the Bruce house captains.



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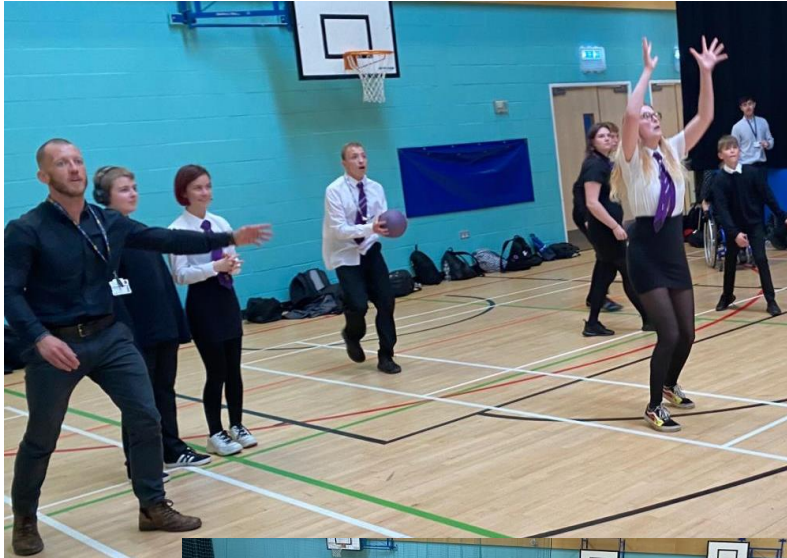
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INTER-HOUSE DODGEBALL



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GRANGE ACADEMY SHOW



If any pupils are interested in getting involved in our upcoming school show, please come along to a meeting:

Tuesday 4th October (tomorrow) at 3.30pm in F044

We are looking for singers, actors, dancers and musicians to take to the stage, as well as people to help out with sound, lighting, costumes and all sorts of other behind-the-scenes jobs.

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Grace Hopper Award Winner

Congratulations to Emma Simpson (4H2) who has been awarded the Grace Hopper Award for Excellence in Computing Science

This is an annual award on behalf of the organisation dressCode. dressCode aspire to make a dent in the Computing Science gender gap, with the aim of engaging, inspiring and raising awareness of opportunities in the world of technology

WELL DONE EMMA!!



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GRANGE ACADEMY RUGBY TEAMS



Rugby sessions are open to everyone:

- Monday after school = S1, S3, S4, S5, and S6 boys
- Tuesday after school = S2 boys and all girls

The rugby teams have lots of games coming up, and we would love to see some new faces!

Any questions, see Miss Shankland

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JOHN MUIR AWARD

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JOHN MUIR AWARD

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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 on Wednesday at 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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ENTERPRISING MATHS SUCCESS!

Congratulations to the Grange team of mathletes who were runners-up in the East Ayrshire Enterprising Maths Regional Qualifier.

Now Kate Rodger, Peter Wardle, Carly Fraser and Ethan Chan progress to the National Finals held at Glasgow's Science Centre in November!

They gave a brilliant performance against some fierce opposition, and are already planning how they'll improve for the Scottish finals...



Well done, team!

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Circus Skills

Starting today!

This club will take place at lunchtime in Science Rm S027



Juggling Balls



Juggling Scarves



Juggling Hoops

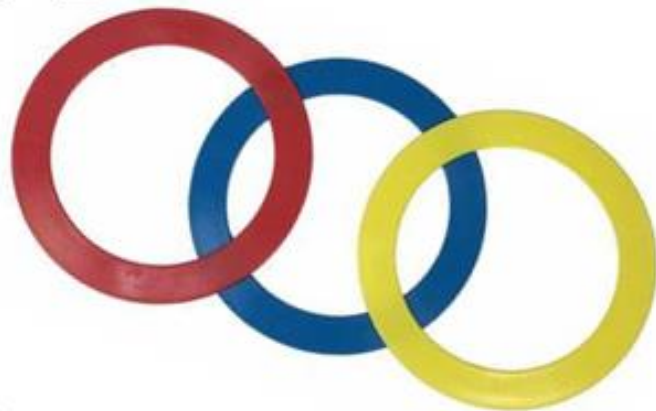


Plate Spinning



Diablos



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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BSL SIGN OF THE WEEK

“Resilience”



Make two fists, with your knuckles facing away from you.
Move them in circles in front of your body.
At the same time, show by your face that you are determined.

WEEKLY PUZZLE

Did you get it right?

Get it
Get it
Get it
Get it

Forget it

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HAVE A GREAT WEEK, GRANGE.

WORK HARD.

BE KIND.

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