

# Festival of Literature and Languages

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### Important Dates:

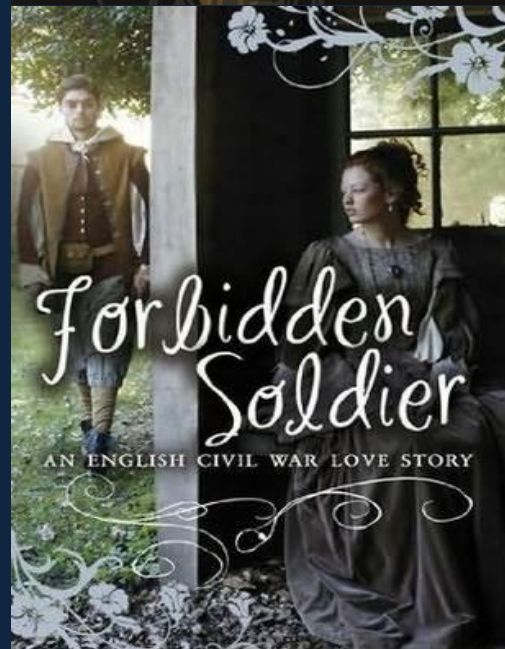
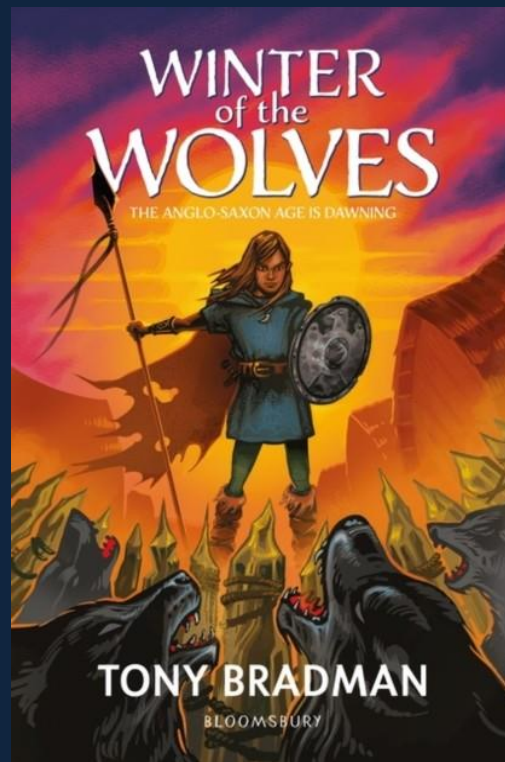


18<sup>th</sup> November  
Year 11 Parents' Evening

17<sup>th</sup> December - **Closure**  
for Christmas at 1.30pm

20th December – 3rd  
January  
**Christmas Closure**

Tuesday 4th January  
**Re-open**



### Festival of Literature and Languages

As part of the Festival of Literature and Language, students in years 7 and 8 read two historical novels connected to the history curriculum. Year 7 students read 'Winter of the Wolves'. This is an exciting story set in 540AD which follows the life of Oslaf, a young Anglo-Saxon who struggles to build a new life after becoming orphaned at the age of 12. Oslaf eventually finds a new tribe who decide to make the hazardous journey across the North Sea to establish a new village in Anglo-Saxon England.

Year 8 students read 'Forbidden Soldier', which is set during the English Civil War. The main character, Hannah, falls in love with an apprentice cabinet maker, Matthew. However, Hannah's strict Puritan father disapproves as he is a Roundhead and Matthew is a Cavalier! The festival provided a fantastic opportunity to read superb historical fiction and really enriched the students' understanding of the topics they have been studying in lessons. Hopefully it has inspired students to read more historical fiction; there are some great books that students can borrow from the library and the history department.



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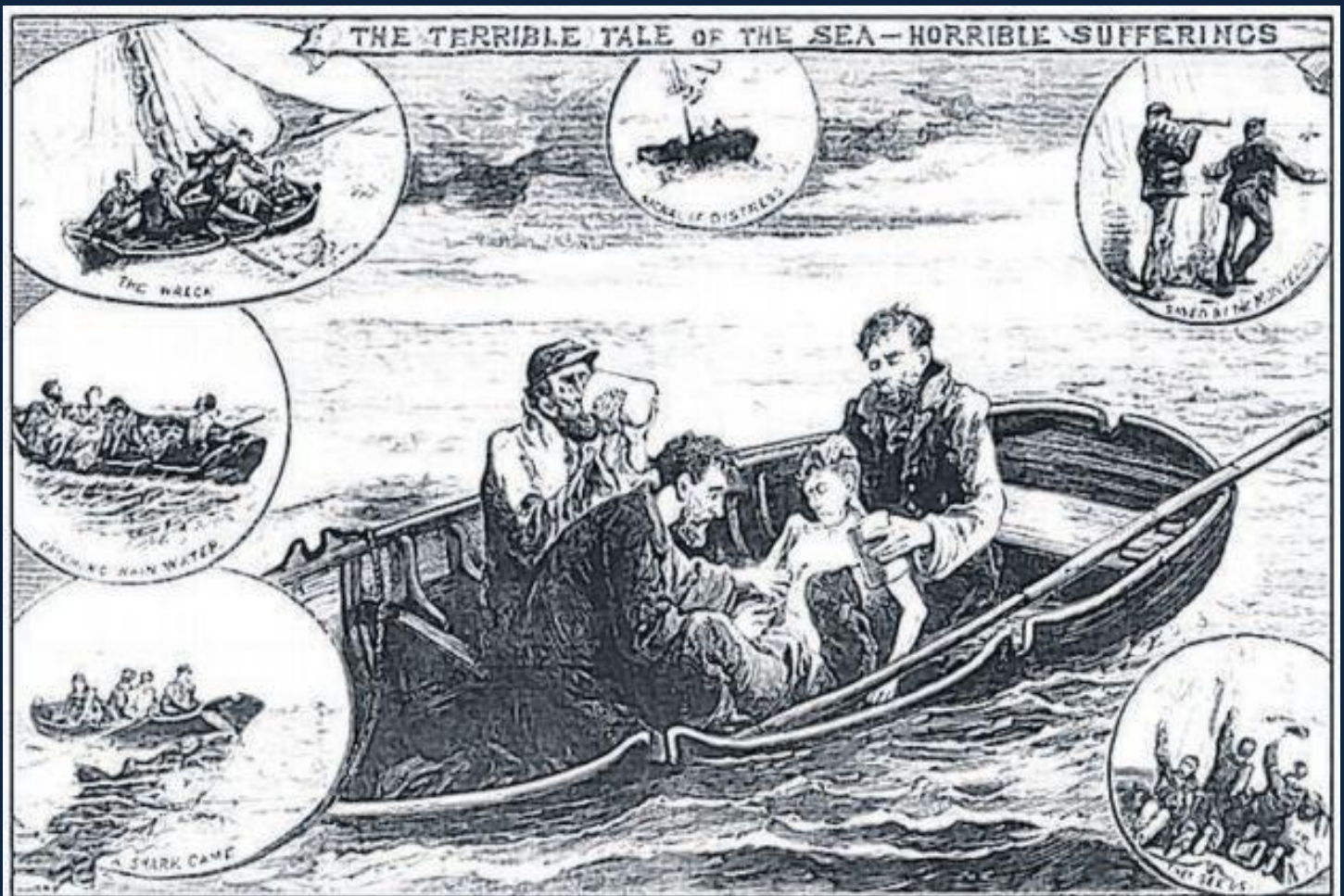
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As part of the festival, Year 9 students participated in a mock trial exploring the 1884 case of R v Dudley and Stephens. The defendants were accused of cannibalism after becoming shipwrecked in the Atlantic Ocean. After 19 days at sea, the captain, Thomas Dudley, convinced two other sailors to kill and eat 17 year old Richard Parker, who had been suffering from the effects of malnutrition and dehydration.

Three days later the crew were rescued and brought back to England. On their return they were charged and found guilty of murder, despite public opinion being sympathetic to the famished sailors. The students enjoyed learning about the case and the difference between moral and legal arguments, the importance of the use of evidence in criminal cases, and how to construct a convincing defence and prosecution. Hopefully, it will have inspired Year 9 students to investigate a career in law, as well as sparking an interest in the upcoming mock trial competition to be held in the new year.



*Mr Herbert, Associate Assistant Headteacher*



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### Festival Doors

As part of our festival activities, each form decorated their form door to reflect a favourite book. The girls really applied themselves to the task. There was a diverse range of books selected and some really creative and imaginative displays which really brightened up the school. A number even included moving parts and flashing lights!

Mr Ward shortlisted 8 doors which were then put to a school vote. The winning doors were a James Bond inspired door by 8EHO and a Jumanji themed door by 7GFO. Both of these forms received bumper breakfast packs as a reward.

Also in the shortlist was the Mr. Men door by 9SHS and The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas display by 8NRH.



### Drop Down Day – Crime Writing

We started the festival with our first ever Drop-Down Day. Our normal curriculum was paused and Years 7 to 9 completed an 'Essential Knowledge' session looking at important moments in literature. The students firstly explored a number of famous texts from, 'The War of the Worlds' to 'Animal Farm', before digging deeper to see how many of our everyday phrases and idioms have come from books, including "it's a catch 22", and "the movie ended on a real cliff hanger".

After break, we explored a number of foreign language books which have influenced British culture, including 'Don Quixote', often said to be the first novel and arguably one of the most important turning points in Western Literature. Next, we looked at 'Murders in the Rue Morgue' by Edgar Allan Poe, which along with 'The Moonstone' by Wilkie Collins, are often accredited with creating the rules of detective fiction.

Finally, we explored these rules – eccentric investigator, bumbling police officer, false suspects and the final reveal, through famous examples from Poirot and Miss Marple before giving the girls the opportunity to apply these rules to their own crime short story.

Students who felt their story hit the brief, were invited to submit their entry into our writing competition, which was won by Sophie Wallace in 8NRH for a 'Blooded Knife' and Hattie Clarke in 8EHO with 'Murder in the Maze'. These stories along with 8 other shortlisted thrillers will be shortly made into a booklet which will be available from school.

*Mr Ward, Senior Assistant Headteacher*



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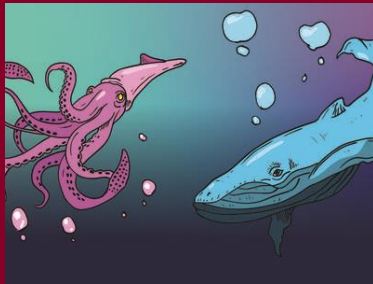
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### Science Department

#### Smash Boom Best



As part of the festival, Year 7 scientists have been looking at how we could debate topics and persuade people to vote for some of our favourite things in life. One key skill in Science is to use evidence and facts to present arguments whilst also looking out for bias and opinions.

The first step was to listen to some podcasts from the 'Smash Boom Best' debate show. This is a debate show for kids and families from the makers of the award-winning podcast, 'Brains On'!

Every episode takes two cool things, smashes them together and lets you decide which is best. What do you prefer – cats or dogs? Chocolate or crisps? Unicorns or mermaids?

Our debaters use facts and passion to make their case and teaches listeners how to defend their own opinions along the way.

Visit <https://www.smashboom.org/episodes> to hear some of the episodes yourself.

Then, we had to decide on the topics we wanted to research and smash together in our debate show. There were some interesting choices made by our students. What did your daughter choose to debate? Once they had decided on their topic they then had time to research and prepare for their debates.

Each debate show was made up of 3 rounds. They first had to make a 'declaration of greatness', where each topic made one persuasive and catchy statement to convince everyone their topic was the best. This was then followed by the 'Micro-round', where each side had 1 minute to shower the listeners with facts about their topic. The final task was called the 'final six', where they had to summarise their topic in 6 statements.

After each section of the debate, the listeners voted and then a tally was counted. In the event of a tie, each group had prepared their 'sudden death' statement. Overall winners were then announced.

Do you know what topic your daughter represented? Did your daughter win her debate? Why not ask them about the facts they gathered? Do you agree with their choice?

After the debates and votes were in, every student then created a newsletter article about their experience. Here are some examples on the next page:



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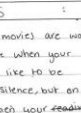
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### Will Marvellous Movies win or beautiful books?

Which one do you think will win? Movies or Books? Well your opinion may change when you read this fantastic article. Year 7 girls have been debating about two aspects: scenery, action and read this article to find out!



#### OPINIONS

Ruby says: "I think movies are way more social, because when you're reading a book you like to be alone and read in silence, but on the other hand when you're reading watching movies you can watch them with your friends and family. Kiera completely disagrees and says: 'That! You can enjoy a book with your friends and family, sometimes picture books are very nice to enjoy together!'"

Lucy says: "Movies are way more better than books because they are much faster to watch since there only take 1-2 hours. On the other hand when you read a book it may take you weeks probably even months! Maisie does not agree to this at all, in fact she thinks books open up a whole new realm of imagination and freedom. Books aren't environmentally friendly than movies are though. Who do you think deserves to win the decoration of greatness? Around 2-3 hours get dropped down just to make 10 books, but when you read the books for a book it makes you want to read more and more. It's great to struggle down and read a book in the winter, and it's also great to sunbathe on the beach reading a book in the summer. Who do you think really deserves to win this debate?"

### PGHS Festival Debates!

Over the last 2 weeks year 7 at PGHS have been doing debates in Science. That idea was inspired by Smash boom best. That is where we smash two things together and decide which was best.

#### Summer vs Winter

In year 7 we have been focusing on Smash boom best. We did that for just over a week and then we did debates just like what we heard on Smash boom best. After that we decided which one was best. All the pupils enjoyed it. We have been doing this because of the literature and language festival. Now let's move on to my debate.

My debate was about Summer vs Winter. I won the debate, so I am very pleased. I am going to tell you my favourite bits of my debate. Me and Evie were doing Summer and Lucia and Tessa did Winter. I like the bit where we put about vitamin D because it helps regulate calcium. These are the greatest bits in my declaration of greatness.

The days are longer allowing you to accomplish more. Also you can grow fruits and vegetables.

After that we decided which one was best. All the pupils enjoyed it. We have been doing this because of the literature and language festival. Now let's move on to my debate.



Keep bones, teeth and muscles healthy. Winter can mean trouble for people who suffer from asthma.

Final Six:  
School and universities have longer Summer breaks. Some diseases get worse in winter.

### Smash boom best!

#### Spectacular Space vs Enormous Earth!!!

This week on Smash boom best there was a debate about earth and space, the contestants were Rabin and Chloe, team space, vs, Chloe, Aurora and Amina, team earth.

#### Space VS Earth

What really happened?

A few days ago live in Penwortham a group of girls battled it out to see what was better. Earth or Space?

It turns out people thought Earth's side was better and they got more votes.

Overall they had 3 rounds to prove who was better. Here with me now I have Space's script and a sentence that caught my eye was, Over 90% of the universe is undiscovered meaning we're always learning about Space.

This caught my attention as now this just makes us think that there might be a lot more to Space than what meets the eye.

Opinions!


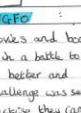
Emily: Emily said she liked both Spectacles but she thinks Space should have won because if we didn't have Space we wouldn't have earth!

Rabin: Rabin said Space catches our interests and always wants us to learn more. She also agrees with Emily.

Thank you for reading this news article!

### MOVIES VS BOOKS

Movies and books fight against each other to see who can win to prove that they are better than the other. Both teams were very good during the debate and was very hard to choose which one should win but obviously there can only be one winner.

#### DEBATE: MOVIES VS BOOKS

Books should win as they are better for your eye sight and help with your education.

The second round was the mini-round this was a one minute speech where you had to explain why your team are better than the other, give some facts about it. It was to also persuade the class to vote for your team.

The last round was the final six, this was where you had to give six facts about your team to interest the class to vote for you.

If your team had the same amount of votes then both teams would have to go head to head in a battle called sudden death where you have to say one sentence to decide which team will win.



In the end books won but for me they both should have won.

On October 20<sup>th</sup> movies and books went head to head in a battle to prove which one is better and should win. The challenge was set and after lots of practice they came back with a full debate on why their team is better.

The first round was declaration of greatness which means both teams had to say one sentence on why they are the best out of them and to get the whole class vote.

### BOOKS BEAT MOVIES!

This week at PGHS Science Lab 4.5, the students had a nail-biting debate about Movies vs Books.

#### VS

out the one quote that grabbed me just her but everyone else she said "the one quote that grabbed me was 'Books are more detailed than movies because they don't need to show everything in'."

Another opinion we have from a witness is "I think books won fair and square because of all the fabulous points they made and they really told me that I didn't know about books."

After lots of hard work we also got into touch with team movies and they said "we are appalled to have lost after all the hard work and effort but we can't do anything close to help," sighed Lucia.



Everyone really enjoyed the debate and hope for more to come.

The Dinosaur Debate! :

On the 20<sup>th</sup> October 2021, Period 2, we heard an interesting debate about Books vs Movies, to stop the fighting between people, Kiera and Maisie went head to head with Ruby and Layla. After much thinking and responsible decisions Books won! All we could hear was loud cheering and a few sad cries. After interviewing one of the teachers voting (Mrs Heyman) we found

### The amazing argument Of fruit VS veg

A huge debate has been taken place at Penwortham Girls' high school. The chosen debate today is fruit vs vegetables.

#### VS

and up on are. Probably wondering that sounds like a weird combination and it is.

After this we all started to plan the debate on what we were doing. Then, we all did some research for homework and after that we wrote all of our ideas down on a peach coloured paper into groups.

After 2 weeks of doing the research we finally read them all but 2 groups went to sudden death.

your sincerely  
by Tanya-Louise Burgess

The year 7's are having very different debates about two reliable things, we have chosen. Me and my group have chosen to do fruit vs vegetables.

At first we all started by listening to 'Smash, boom, best' to help us think of ideas. Next we all chose two reliable things like for example 'chocolate is cheese'.

Mrs Honeyman  
Associate Assistant Headteacher

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# Harry Potter Science

During the festival of Literature and Language, all of our Year 8 students investigated how we can recreate the magic of Harry Potter in a Science laboratory.

Year 8 stepped into the world of Harry Potter and... "Alohomora!"... unlocked their magical powers. We created 'Lumos!' wands by burning magnesium, which produced a bright white light when we burned it in oxygen. 'Lumos' is a charm that illuminates the tip of the caster's wand, allowing the caster to see in the dark.

We practiced the art of potion making by creating a colour changing redox reaction, that exploited the dramatic colour changes associated with the various oxidation states of manganese. In Hogwarts, potions lessons took place down in one of the dungeons. It was colder here than up in the main castle, and would have been quite creepy enough without the pickled animals floating in glass jars all around the walls.

We also explored the science of 'Incendio!' flame tests and discovered that different metal ions created different coloured flames. 'Avada Kedavra' is a curse used in Harry Potter which causes instantaneous death. It is accompanied by a flash of green light and a rushing noise.

Year 8 were then given the opportunity to create a newsletter article for the 'Daily Prophet', outlining all of the magical science experiments that they had carried out. Here are some examples of the newsletter articles created by 8pg/Sc5:

Miss Forrest, Science Department





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### Year 8 Secret Writing Using Invisible Ink



During the Literature and Language festival, year 8 looked at secret writing using invisible ink. Steganography is at the art of hidden or secret writing. The root 'steganos' is Greek for hidden and the root 'graph' is Greek for write.

The art of secret writing has been used for over 2000 years and has been used to plot conspiracies, in spying or even to write secret love letters.

As part of the lesson, year 8 learnt about the 'lemon juice spies'. In World War 1, several German agents operating in England used lemon juice as a means of communication. The British government had stepped up their censorship of letters in wartime. One English agent, Mabel Beatrice Elliot, flagged letters written by three of these German agents and unmasked them as spies. The German spies were clumsy and when caught, they were found to have lemons and pens with lemon pulp stuck in the nibs in their possessions. In 1915, the British government executed 11 German spies in the Tower of London - four of them had used lemon juice.

Year 8 made secret messages using lemon juice and bicarbonate of soda. By using a chemical indicator made from red cabbage, the lemon juice, which is an acid and the bicarbonate of soda, which is an alkali, were made visible. The indicator turned pink with the lemon juice and yellow with the alkali.

*Mrs Goodwill, Science Department*

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### Asleep for 50 Years!

*The Cumbre Vieja volcano on the Spanish island of La Palma has occasionally twitched and rumbled, but no lava has emerged since 1971. That changed at 3:12p.m. local time on September 19<sup>th</sup>, rising magma tore open several fissures on its west side and an extravagant eruption began.*

As part of the Language and Literature festival, Year 9 have been looking at the ongoing eruption in La Palma. They were tasked with reading an article on the volcano and, using some reading strategies, had to make sense of the report and condense it down into more manageable chunks. Using their condensed articles, they had to create their own news report. The reports were extremely well written and had some great emotional hooks to make the reader feel empathy. Some students were even lucky enough to be recorded reading their reports with the BBC Intro! We have some budding news anchors in the future!

To incorporate no pens day, we also made models and collages of different volcanoes. They all look amazing! As it is Science, we have also included some chemicals to allow them to erupt! Some students have chosen Coke and Mentos, whilst others have opted for the elephant's toothpaste reaction! We allowed them to 'erupt' on the school field. Some went off with a bang, erupting metres into the air! The Coke and Mentos weren't as spectacular as first hypothesized. Great work, Year 9!

*Mr Dean, Science Department*





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### Festival of Literature and Languages – Modern Foreign Languages

What a busy first half term it has been for our MFL team with our Language and Literature Festival taking place at the end of the first half term! During the Festival fortnight, our pupils had the opportunity to get involved in lots of wonderful language-based activities including starting our French and German penfriend letters, learning all about German history and the Berlin wall, enjoying some wonderful German and French films and culminating in a spectacular Languages Bake Off on the final day. We also carried out all of the regular activities that take place, such as our Quizlet competitions and quizzes and all the usual fun activities that take place to further our language learning and cultural knowledge.

#### Berlin Wall and German Reunification Celebrations

During our Language and Literature Festival, we have spent some time looking at the Berlin Wall, which divided Germany and the capital city of Berlin from 1961 – 1989. We learned all about the former East Germany and what it was like to live there. We discussed the reasons for the wall being built, as well as all the creative ways people came up with to escape East Germany. Through all our learning and discussion, we really understood the significance of the wall coming down on 9<sup>th</sup> November 1989 and the eventual reunification of Germany on 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1990. To mark our celebrations of the Day of Germany Unity, KS3 created a 'Wall of Hands' by tracing their hands on brightly coloured card and filling them with key German words, bright colours, interesting facts and wonderful drawing. I think you'll agree they make quite the impact! Can you spot your hand in these photos?



#### German Penpals

We are keen to keep up our links with our partner schools and hope to widen opportunities for our students to communicate with students abroad. Y7 have been writing their first letter of introduction to their German penpals. Y8 have produced lovely postcards and Y9 have written about their role models. Frau Woesner, our contact from Sickingen-Gymnasium has sent us letters from two classes already. Frau Raine's Y7 and Frau Gill's Y8 have been very lucky to receive a letter and are busy responding. We are working on getting all classes matched up with a German class.

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### Y8 French Penpals

Y8 French have been busy writing a letter of introduction to their French penpals in Lille. As part of the Oracy Odyssey, some students also gained the 'Talk to entertain' badge for their very entertaining roleplay set in the jungle.



### Y9 French Penpals

Last half-term, Y9 French have been learning how to talk about their pets, family, physical descriptions, house and breakfast. As part of the festival, we enjoyed making origami paper houses, ready to send to our French penpals in Lille. This was a fun way to revise and practise our writing skills. We hope our French penpals will proudly display our work in their classroom.



### KS4 French

During the festival, Y10 French have had the opportunity to make a video for our French penpals in Lille. They had to talk (in French, bien sûr!) about friendship and explained what being a true friend means to them. Well done, Louise, Charlotte, Stevie, Olivia, Isabel, Sofia, Joudy, Maryam, Beth and Sian for volunteering. We can't wait to see the finished video! Thank you in advance to Mr Owen for the professional editing. Watch this space!

After discovering the fun of pebble painting during Open Evening, we decided that pebbles were the way to go to practise our GCSE questions. The idea is for the students to use these on a regular basis to test each other and keep adding to the collection.

Madame Raine 😊





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### MFL Bake off

The Great MFL Bake Off took place on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October and was definitely, without a doubt, the finale of the Languages and Literature festival! We received over 50 entries and had the delicious task at the last lunch time of half term of tasting the cakes and bakes and finding a winner for the criteria of 'tastes good' and 'looks good'.

Needless to say, there were many willing helpers, including Mr Bretherton, Mrs Russell-Hayes, our Chair of Governors, Mrs Pomeroy, Miss Shahi, Mrs Bennett and all the MFL staff who enjoyed the tasting a bit too much! Miss Gelder won the prize for tasting the most by eating over 10 pieces of cake! What a wonderful afternoon it was to see all the wonderful and inspiring bakes that were made by our very talented pupils. Not just the cakes themselves but the amount of effort that had gone in to designing them and the fun ways that the pupils had depicted the countries.



Here are the winners for each year group:

### YEAR 11

First place: Kai N with Turkey.

Runner up: Abi and Jess with Germany.

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### YEAR 10

Joint first place: Rebecca S with Germany/Olivia and Louise with Italy

### YEAR 9

First place: Emily K with Antartica.

Runner up: Maryam Z with Pakistan.

### YEAR 8

First place: Maisy and Sasha with Germany.

Joint Runners up: Ayesha with France and Hattie C with Mexico.

### YEAR 7

Joint first place: Emily W with Japan and Holly/Holly/Charlotte with Japan.

### Our MFL plans

Coming up, we have lots more fun activities planned for this half term with our Revision Bunting competition being launched soon. This will encourage our girls to look at different revision techniques when learning, retrieving and retaining new vocabulary. Students will be given the opportunity to create their own MFL revision bunting for our Module 2 work. Ask your language teacher for more details this half term and information on how to enter.





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We will also be learning about how our French and German friends celebrate the Christmas festive period. This starts a little earlier in Germany with Nikolaustag on the 6<sup>th</sup> December. Remember to leave your shoes and slippers outside for treats, girls! Hopefully we will be able to sample some German and French Christmas delicacies too in class. Now that is something we will look forward to!

We will also be attending the German Christmas markets in Manchester and a letter has gone out to interested students this week. We very much look forward to heading to Manchester to experience the cultural wonders at the markets and to sample some French and German traditional food. The language teachers are really looking forward to a great evening of French and German cultural treats.

We will also be launching our MFL Christmas card competition this half term. Hopefully we will see another record amount of entries like in our European Day of Languages competition in September. It is open to everyone to enter and your language teacher will guide you with it. I look forward to seeing them all. Remember that our film club is still running. We are starting our new films next week so if you are keen to come along, make sure you speak to Mrs Gill.



*Mrs Gill*  
*Curriculum Leader for Modern Foreign Languages*

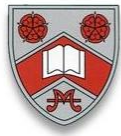
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## Geography News



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The Geography Department got involved in the festival with a number of activities across the lower school. Some Year 7 classes got the opportunity to map literary locations. We had imaginary maps of Neverland from Peter Pan by J.M. Barrie, maps of the grounds of Hogwarts from the Harry Potter series by J.K. Rowling and 100 Acre Wood from Winnie the Pooh by A.A. Milne.

In Year 8, some classes tried their hand at creative writing set in mountain landscapes. These involved peril and survival, but also used techniques such as similes and metaphors to paint a picture of the beauty that these environments possess.

#### The icy rescue

It was a cold breezy day in the Lake District we had been out there for almost 48 hours, we had frosty fingers and tomato red cheeks. If you are wondering who we are, I am Evelyn a 13 year old girl who loves animals and to explore new exciting places and I was with my friend Jacob who is a 13 year old boy who loves the outdoors and PNE. If you're also wondering why we were in the Lake District it because we were on a mission to find the missing polar bear, but he wasn't just any polar bear he was the talking polar bear that had been trying to be hunted for years. Don't worry though were his friends we were the ones that taught him how to talk when he was just 8 months old. The only thing we knew was that he was up the magnificent scall where he felt safe so that was where we were off

#### Lost in the mountains

A pain shuddered through my body. I was almost scared to open my eyes. "Summer. Summer. Can you hear us?" I slowly opened my eyes and saw two teenagers standing over me. I recognised them from somewhere but I couldn't place it. I slowly sat up clutching my head.

My eyes scanned the horizon, the trees, the mountains, lake, and the plane wreckage. It was all coming back to me. It all flashed before my eyes- all the memories from before. The plane was shaking and shaking and plummeting down. I could hear the screams and the terror within them like

#### The case of the missing climber

Warmth at last, detective Lilly Jones had just arrived at Brazil to solve her latest case about a missing professional mountain climber. The mountain climber called Will Carter had been missing for 3 days and no one has heard from him. Unfortunately for Lilly, she has no time to enjoy the sun, she has to solve the case before it is too late.

It was quite hard for detective Lilly to work out where Will was because she was only given one picture. The picture she had received, was of Will at Mount Roraima. Mount Roraima is on the border between Brazil and Venezuela. It has a height of 2810 metres which is really high for Lilly to climb as she has no experience climbing mountains so a friend of Will called Steve who also is an expert at climbing mountains will help her out. Lilly believes that Will struggled to come down the mountain as it is windy and has less oxygen so she thinks that Will has possibly broken a leg and can't come down. Tomorrow early in the morning, she and Steve will climb Mount Roraima and try their absolute best to find out more clues along



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# Where's Earthy?





One to tie in with the Festival of Lit & Lang; his location inspired one of our great horror classics – Dracula. Email in your answers to [g.bowles@penworthamgirls.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:g.bowles@penworthamgirls.lancs.sch.uk). Remember – be specific with your guesses!


*Mr Bowles, Curriculum Leader for Geography*

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 *Geography Society* 



Come along and extend your knowledge of our wonderful planet! We used ICT based platforms, games, films, documentaries, model making and much more to extend your Geography knowledge & skills.

There is a programme of activities (see table below), but we are always open to suggestions on tasks too.

Time – lunchtimes on Monday  
Venue – Rm 39 (or the ICT suites)



Date	Activity	Location
15 <sup>th</sup> November	Can you find Carmen Sandiego!? – Google Earth online treasure hunt	Room 50 – 12:45pm start
22 <sup>th</sup> November	European Capital Challenge – collect a map and get learning – Prizes to be won!	Room 50 – 12:45pm start
29 <sup>th</sup> November	Geo-grids – a challenge against the clock to develop your knowledge of places around the world!	Room 39 – 12:45pm start
6 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Decorations – make your own Xmas tree globe bauble.	Room 39 – 12:45pm start
13 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Quiz! Prizes to be won!	Room 39 – 12:45pm start



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### English Department News

#### A Tale with a Twist

This term, Year 9 have been studying the topic of 'Crime Scene Investigation' in English. As part of this topic, they spent time exploring stories with a twist, including '*Nightmare in Yellow*' by Fredric Brown and '*Lamb to the Slaughter*' by Roald Dahl. This then resulted in our Year 9 students writing their own 'Tale with a Twist' as part of a national competition that is being hosted by Pearson. Students have until 26<sup>th</sup> November to upload their story onto the competition website. There will be regional winners ... we will let you know if we have a North-West champion at PGHS!

*Mrs Woodhouse*



### The Grand Debates

During our Language and Literature Festival, school council representatives rose to the challenge of debating the motion "Should Personal Freedoms be restricted to fight climate change?" in front of their year group. To help them prepare for this challenging task, students first met our local MP, Katherine Fletcher. Ms Fletcher is working with Alok Sharma, the chair of COP 26 and was able to provide a unique, first hand insight into the COP 26 conference and the challenges of addressing climate change. Students asked challenging questions and gained an understanding of the complexities facing the delegates at COP 26 and how sensitively the conference had to be handled to secure agreements from countries across the world.

Following this information gathering session, students were then trained in how to debate using the British Parliamentary System. Our debates were conducted in exactly the same way as debates are held in the House of Commons. After presenting their ideas, the debate was opened up to the floor and our debating teams had to think persuasively on their feet in order to handle the questions posed to them. At the end of the debate, the audience voted just like in the House of Commons by choosing which door to leave by depending on whether they agreed with the motion (the "Ayes") or disagreed (the "Nos").

Not only did the debates provide our students with the opportunity to discuss one of the most important issues facing our society today, but also gave them an insight into the workings of the House of Commons and how our democracy works. All of the debaters were superb and rose to the challenge of the debates.

The results were as follows:

Year 9: Ayes = 74 Nos 73 – an incredibly close and heated debate!

Year 8: Ayes = 42 Nos = 98

Year 7: Ayes = 46 Nos = 102

*Miss Snowdon*

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### Spooky Walk

During the second week of the Festival of Literature and Languages, haunting screams could be heard echoing around the halls of PGHS and mysterious, scary figures were seen lurking in the dinner queue.

No need to be afraid! The school had not fallen victim to a haunting, it was simply the return of the Drama Department's Spooky Walk!

Our amazing team of Drama GCSE students in Year 10 and 11 transformed the drama studio into a terrifying series of scenes, such as a spooky surgery, a wicked wedding and a panic-inducing picnic complete with living dolls! With extra recruits from our school's Drama Club, we created a terrifying walk-through experience, where students would bravely enter the drama studio and encounter all sorts of horrors.

Each year group had the opportunity to brave the Spooky Walk and we had a very positive response from students and teachers alike. We were all so impressed with the dedication and the commitment from all our performers, who truly put their all into every performance!

We are looking forward to being able to put on more exciting productions and events with our Drama Department this year.

*Miss Starkie*





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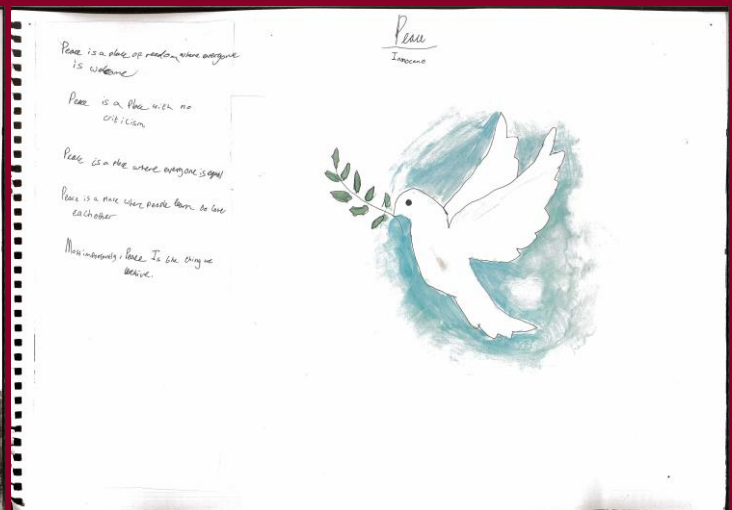
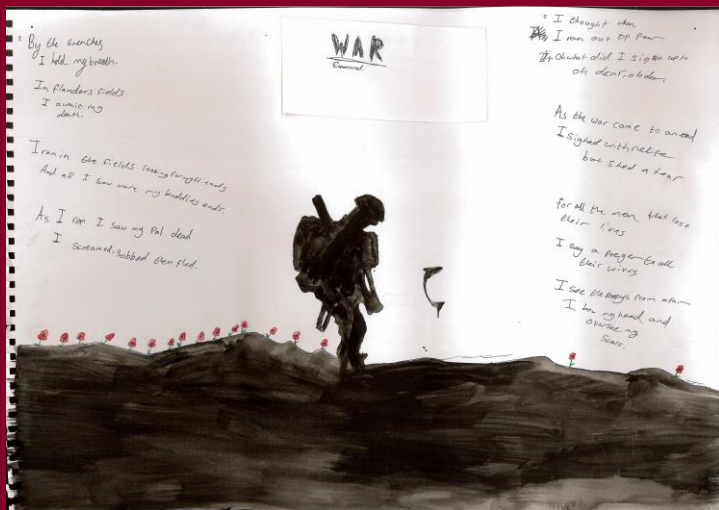
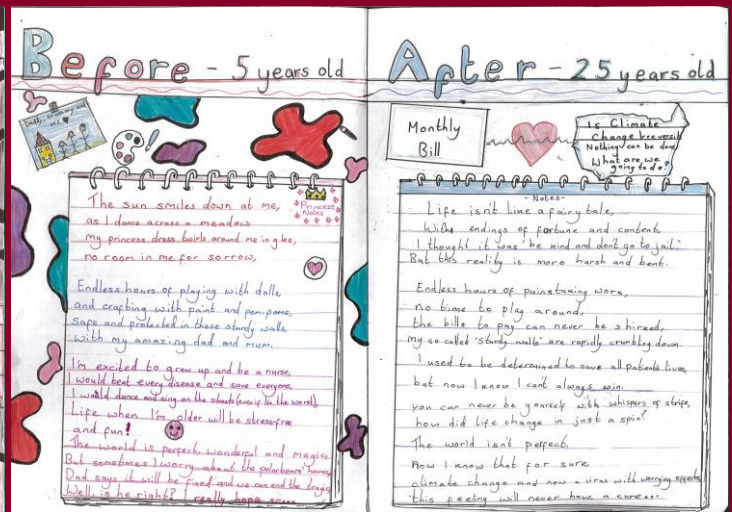
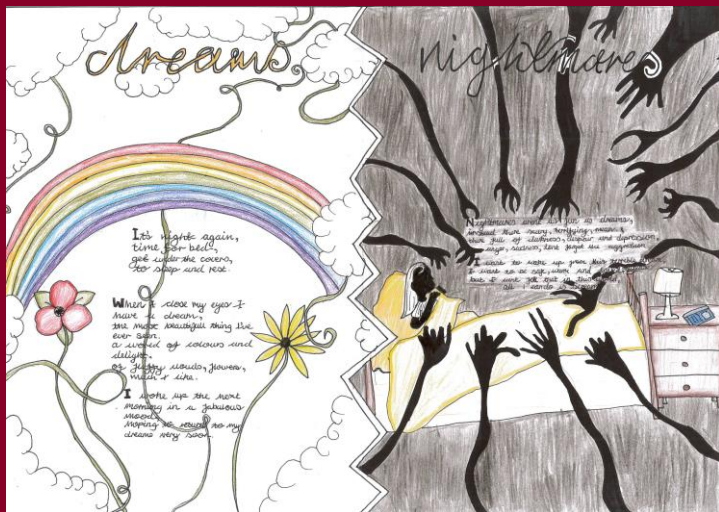
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### William Blake Pastiche Competition

Prior to half term, the students at PGHS were exposed to a plethora of activities as part of our first Language and Literature Festival. One of our events was a William Blake Pastiche Competition. In Year 8, the topic of our curriculum for this term is 'Coming of Age' and as part of this topic we study the 'Songs of Innocence' and the 'Songs of Experience' by William Blake. Inspired by his written word and his artwork, our students set about writing a set of modern-day poems: one to reflect innocence, and its counterpart to reflect experience. As a department, we have been blown away by the quality of work submitted. Each class teacher had the very tricky job of choosing a winner from their class. Our winners of the Year 8 2021 Pastiche Competition are: Saskia H, Katie T, Leah C, Angel A, Ruby C and Vidhya P.





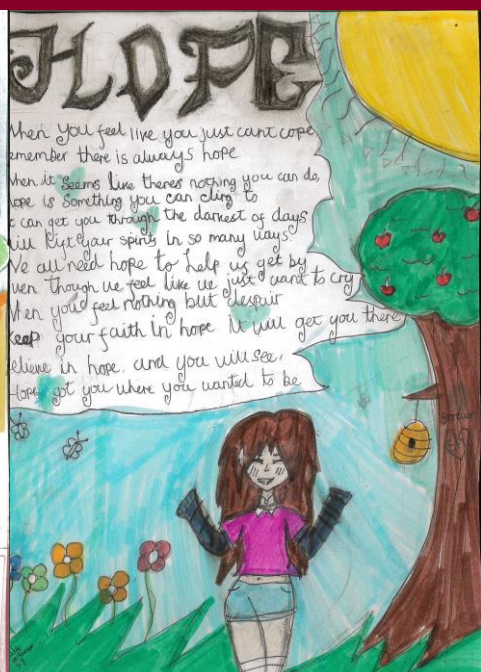
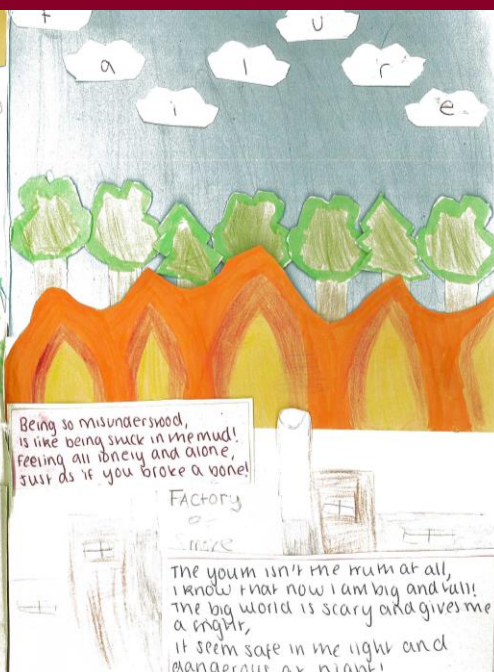
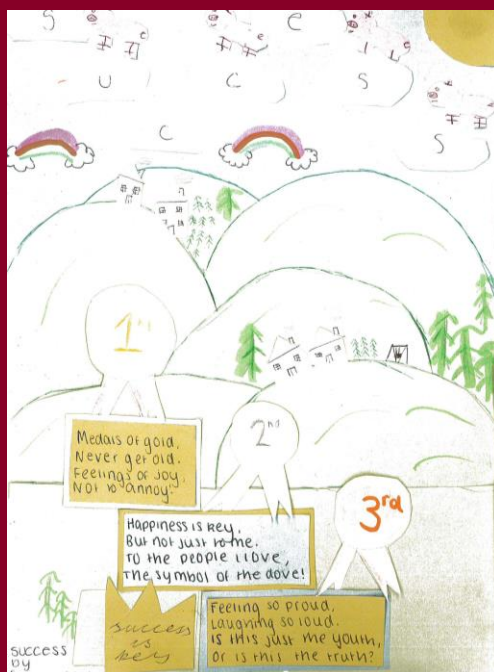
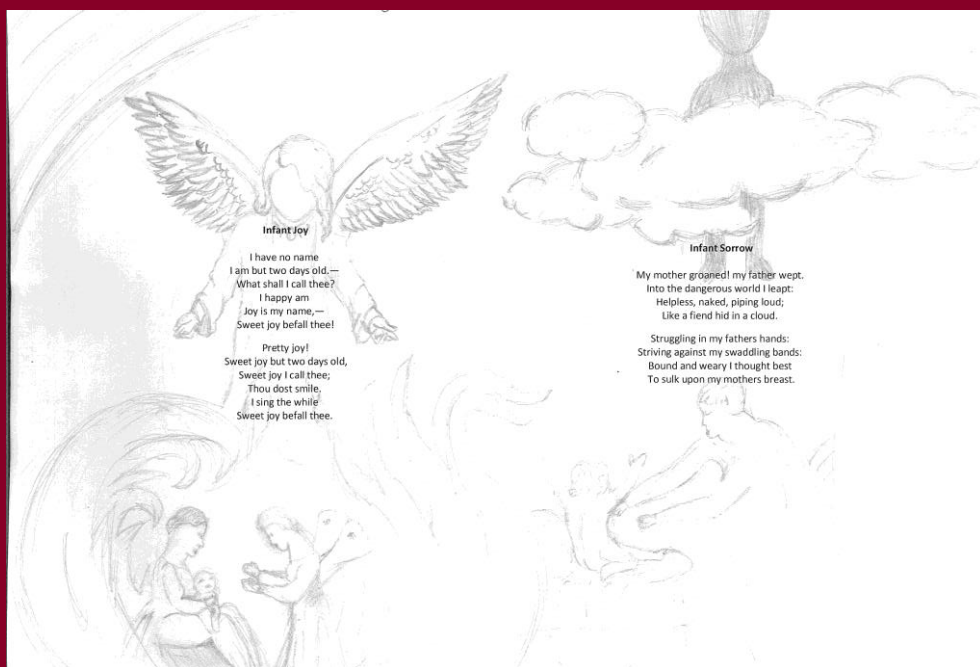
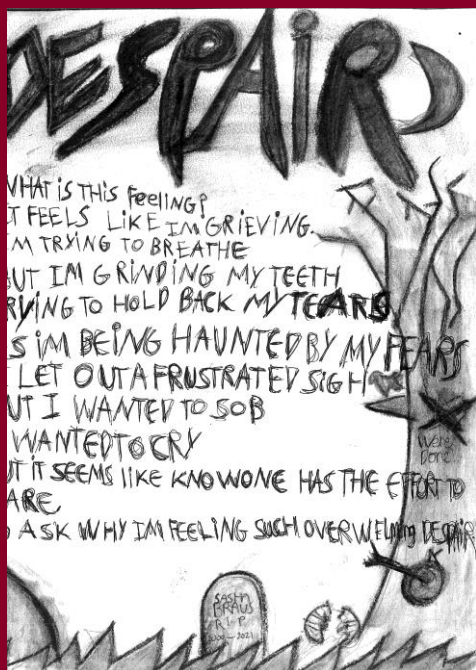
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Curriculum Leader for English



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### Anti-Bullying Week



Next week is national Anti-Bullying week and we will be supporting the campaign by celebrating 'Odd Socks' day in school. This will take place on **Monday 15th November** and the girls are invited to wear two different socks, the brighter the better! The rest of your daughter's school uniform should be worn as normal.

We want to take the opportunity for the students and staff to celebrate Anti-Bullying Week positively. This event is aimed at raising awareness of the issue and we are not asking for any donations. We will be holding assemblies and selling wristbands, rulers, and badges during the week to highlight the issue around bullying and its impact.

The national theme this year is 'One Kind Word' and you can get more information on the website below;  
<https://anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/anti-bullying-week/anti-bullying-week-2021-one-kind-word>

If you would like more information as a parent/carers about this issue, then the following link may be useful:  
<https://anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/sites/default/files/uploads/attachments/Anti-Bullying%20Week%202021%20-%20Parent%20Pack%20-%20FINAL.pdf>

Many thanks in anticipation of your support.

*Mrs Hall*  
*Deputy Headteacher*

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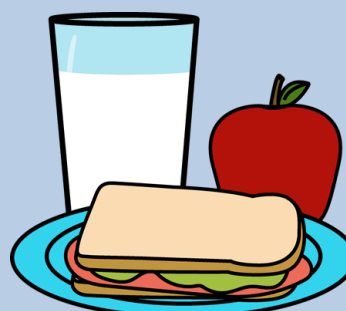
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### Lunch Menu Week Commencing 15<sup>th</sup> November (Week 1)



Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Traditional Choice Meal Deal</b>	Brunch Pork or Veggie Sausages Free Range Omelette Hash Browns & Baked Beans	Crispy Fish Fillet Burger with Crispy Paprika Potatoes & Mixed Vegetable Medley	Roast of the Day with Traditional Trimmings Creamy Mashed Potatoes & Seasonal Vegetables	Chicken & Leek Pie with Baby Baked Potatoes Broccoli Florets & Carrots Batons	Crispy Battered Fillet of Fish with Chips & Mushy Peas
<b>Global Choice Meal Deal</b>	Spaghetti Neapolitan with Garlic Dough Balls & Green Leaf Salad	Chicken Tikka Curry with Turmeric Rice & Coriander Naan	BBQ Pork or Veggie Meatball Sub Roll with Cajun Potato Wedges & Mixed Salad	Chilli Beef with Cheesy Nachos & Tomato Salsa	Thai Vegetable Curry with Lemon & Coriander Rice
<b>Vegetarian Choice Meal Deal</b>	Lancashire Butter Pie with Vegetarian Gravy Broccoli Florets & Sliced Beetroot	Spanish Tortilla with Crispy Paprika Potatoes & Mixed Salad	Vegetable Lasagne with Garlic Bread & Green Leaf Salad	Cheese & Onion Loaded Potato Skins with Homemade Coleslaw & Mixed Salad	Homemade Margherita Pizza with Chips & Mixed Salad
<b>Meal Deal Sandwich or Baked Potato</b>	Choice of Hot or Cold filled Sandwich or Choice of filled Baked Jacket Potato with Mixed Salad	Choice of Hot or Cold filled Sandwich or Choice of filled Baked Jacket Potato with Mixed Salad	Choice of Hot or Cold filled Sandwich or Choice of filled Baked Jacket Potato with Mixed Salad	Choice of Hot or Cold filled Sandwich or Choice of filled Baked Jacket Potato with Mixed Salad	Choice of Hot or Cold filled Sandwich or Choice of filled Baked Jacket Potato with Mixed Salad
<b>Desserts of the Day</b>	Apple Pie & Cream	Peach Melba & Raspberry Sauce	Chocolate & Mandarin Sponge & Custard	Jam & Cream Scone	Lemon Drizzle Cake
	Chocolate Muffin	Lemon Shortbread	Raspberry Bun	Chocolate Cookie	Flapjack
	Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit or Fruit Yoghurt



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### Independent Careers Adviser

*Shamim Khan*

Available for 1:1 Careers Appointments & Drop In sessions in  
The Careers Room (Situating first floor next to the ICT Suite)

#### Drop In sessions Times:

Morning : 8.30am to 9.10am  
Lunchtime : 12.30pm to 1.20pm

#### Careers Adviser Dates:

September 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2021</li><li>• Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> September 2021</li><li>• Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2021</li><li>• Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2021</li></ul>
October 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2021</li><li>• Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2021</li><li>• Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2021</li></ul>
November 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2021</li><li>• Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2021</li><li>• Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2021</li><li>• Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2021</li></ul>
December 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2021</li><li>• Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2021</li><li>• Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2021</li></ul>

If you would like a 1:1 appointment, please email:

[careers@penworthamgirls.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:careers@penworthamgirls.lancs.sch.uk)

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### Head's Breakfast

Vidya P (Year 8)

For creating an outstanding mountain story during the Literature and Language Festival.

Beth A, Charlotte B, Aoifa C, Sian C, Stevie M, Maryam M, Louise P-R, Olivia S, Isabel B, Joudy A, Sofia R (Year 10)

Amazing video in French produced during the festival.

### Head's Commendations

Macy H, Jenna K, Scarlett G, Angel A, Alesha M R (year 8)

Outstanding effort put into the Spirited Arts project showing personal beliefs about the existence of God. The detail and effort put in to the projects was truly outstanding!

Iyla K, Anisha A, Lily S (Year 8)

Outstanding effort and creativity put into the Spirited Arts homework.

Chloe E (Year 8)

An excellent newsletter article for Harry Potter Science - very creative.

Evelyn W (Year 7)

Outstanding effort put into the prayer flag. I was very impressed by the amount of time and thought that had gone into the project.

Hattie C and Amy M (Year 8)

Star of the week in German with fantastic efforts all round and super understanding of complex terms.

Libby W and Alice W (Year 9)

Fantastic efforts and understanding in German.



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YEAR 7 SPORTS, CLUBS AND SOCIETIES					
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MORNING	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room* Rm 7 KMG	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA
LUNCH	Geography society Rm 39 GBO  Cooking society Rm 23 SSC  Computing society Rm 50 JBE  Table tennis Gym MSH  BASKETBALL Courts KFI  Product design Rm 36 LGO  BEDROCK CLUB Library CWO & DSN	Choir Rm 11 VLI  Athletics Gym KFI  Cross country Courts MSH  Brass Group Rm 15 ACA  DEBATE club Rm 1 CWO  MATHS HEGARTY Club Rm 50 RMV/RCA/SHS	Science club Rm 47 GFO  Soroptimists Rm 30 MBR  Keyboard/Ukulele club Rm 15 ACA  French and German film society Rm 26 KGI  Cheer Gym RSN  Circle time * Rm 6 DEM  BEDROCK CLUB Library CWO & DSN	Woodwind group Rm 15 ACA  Badminton Gym MSH  Ultimate frisbee Courts SNA  Hw Club * Rm 35 LVE  Mfl spelling bee Rm 26 CGE	Chess society Rm 39 BWA  Orchestra Rm 15 ACA  History society Rm 37 JBR  Multi-sport Gym KFI  Craft society Rm 1 DEM & RLU MINDFULNESS CLUB* Rm 6 KMG
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### Sports, Clubs & Societies – Year 8

YEAR 8 SPORTS, CLUBS AND SOCIETIES					
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MORNING	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room* Rm 7 KMG	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA
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### Sports, Clubs & Societies – Year 9

YEAR 9 SPORTS, CLUBS AND SOCIETIES					
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MORNING	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room* Rm 7 KMG	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA
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### Sports, Clubs & Societies – Year 10

YEAR 10 SPORTS, CLUBS AND SOCIETIES					
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MORNING	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room* Rm 7 KMG	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA
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MORNING	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA	Quiet room* Rm 7 KMG	Quiet room * Rm 7 AHA
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### TRAINING 2000

#### Aspiring Engineers

**WHEN:** Saturday 6th November for 6 weeks\*  
**Or** Saturday 5th February for 6 weeks\*  
**TIME:** 9am - 12pm  
**COST:** £10 per person contribution to cover the cost of materials

You'll get an insight into the different areas of engineering using our machinery and other equipment. We'll cover:

- Milling
- Turning
- Fitting
- Sheetmetal / welding
- Computer Aided Design (CAD)
- CNC machining

#### Aspiring Automotive Technicians

**WHEN:** Saturday 6th November for 6 weeks\*  
**Or** Saturday 5th February for 6 weeks\*  
**TIME:** 9am - 12pm  
**COST:** £10 per person contribution to cover the cost of materials

You'll get an insight into the different areas of the motor industry in our large automotive training centre. We'll cover:

- Paint spraying cars
- Body repair
- Car and HGV engines
- Carrying out simple car checks

#### Interview and C.V Skills sessions

**WHEN:** 7th, 9th or 10th February 2022  
**TIME:** 4pm - 5pm

\*Dates Session 1: Nov 2021: 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th, Dec 2021: 4th and 11th.  
\*Dates session 2: Feb 2022: 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th, March 2022: 5th and 12th

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An introduction to the Business

#### Apprentice Scheme

Level 3 Advanced Supply Chain

Level 3 Advanced Business + Level 5 Human Resources (HR) Consultant Partner

Level 6 Aerospace Software Development Engineer (Degree) Apprenticeship (EDAS)

Level 6 Aerospace Engineering Development Engineer (Degree) Apprenticeship (EDAS)

Level 6 Digital Technology Solutions (DTS) NEW

Level 3 Advanced Engineering Technician

Level 3 Advanced Engineering Craft

Level 6 Project Manager (Integrated Degree)

Level 4 Advanced Engineering Manufacturing Technician

Level 3 Advanced Aircraft Maintenance (Humbly Grove) + Level 3 Advanced Engineering Technician (Brough)

Level 7 Finance Higher

Level 6 Project Control Degree

#### Date & Time of Event (Nov)

[15th November 2021](#) 19:45 - 20:45

#### Date & Time of Event

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Please note: you must register a place in order to attend the Career Events.

Our apprentice application window opens on the 1st November 2021 until the 28th February 2022.

You can apply online at: [www.baesystems.com/apprenticeships](http://www.baesystems.com/apprenticeships) or use the QR Code here.



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Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November  
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**Autumn Open Events at our Leyland Campus**

Thursday **14th October** 3.30pm- 7.30pm  
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[runshaw.ac.uk/openevent](https://runshaw.ac.uk/openevent)

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**Course Advice Dates 2021**

- Sat 2 Oct** 10am - 12:30pm
- Tues 12 Oct (Virtual)** 7pm - 8pm
- Sat 6 Nov** 10am - 12:30pm
- Tues 16 Nov (Virtual)** 7pm - 8pm
- Sat 4 Dec** 10am - 12:30pm

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