



Penn Fields School Newsletter

Where every moment is a learning opportunity and that every moment matters

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Welcome back everyone and a very warm welcome to all new students and staff starting at Penn Fields.

Introducing new staff to Penn Fields School. From left to right we have Mr Blackham TLSA in Nurture, Mrs Woodford will be running English interventions, Mrs Jones is Elm Class Teacher, Miss Martin is a TLSA in Elm, Ms Pearce is a TLSA in Ash, Mrs Daiya is a TLSA in Willow and Ms Wilkinson a TLSA in Acorn.

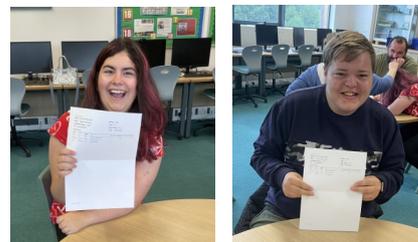


Our School Nurse is Emma Heath – Parents / Carers can get support by phoning the hub on 01902 441057

or you can email rwh-tr.0-19Service@nhs.net

A massive congratulations to Penn Fields Students who achieved GCSEs in Maths and English this year, including Maggie & McKenzie pictured to the right.

There were 3 Grade 1s and a Grade 2 achieved in Maths and 3 Grade 3s and a Grade 2 in English.



Maths Enterprise Challenge.

At the end of the academic year, our students took part in the first ever, Penn Fields Maths enterprise challenge. Students were challenged with designing and creating their own maths games. Which they would make and then present to the other students. Each group found the total cost of their materials and then produced a poster advertising their game and how much it would cost to play. On the day, students got to present their games and play them with other students. To play a game the students needed to pay the game creators. At the end of the competition the group calculated their profit. The top three groups received medals. Fun was had by all!



Makaton Corner

Research has shown that using signs and symbols actively encourages the development of speech and language skills. When using Makaton we always speak while we sign or use symbols to make the link between the sign/ symbol and the spoken word. Many children then drop the signs or symbols naturally at their own pace, as they develop speech.

Top tips for signing with your child:

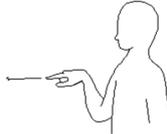
Don't give up! It may take a while but it is worth it in the end



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Head to the Penn Fields website www.pennfields.com for past newsletters, where you can look back at all the Makaton Corners to date.

For more information on Makaton, please visit: <https://www.makaton.org/>

Word of the Week

Next weeks "word of the week" is **Resilience**, meaning not to give up. All Upper School students in their English lessons, will learn the meaning of the word and put it into sentences to check their understanding.



This weeks school meal menu.

Penn Fields Week 2 5th Sept-26th sept, 17th Oct, 7th Nov, 28th Nov.

	Monday <i>Mega Mondays</i>	Tuesday <i>Around the world</i>	Wednesday <i>Roast Day</i>	Thursday <i>Chip Shop Day</i>	Friday <i>Classic dish</i>
Main meal	Tomato & vegetable pasta bake with cheesy top	Grilled Pork Bangers & mash with gravy	Traditional Roast Chicken stuffing, sauce Yorkshire pudding & gravy	MSC Fish Fingers Or Baked breaded Pollock with tartar sauce and lemon wedge	Baked Chicken Nuggets
Vegetarian option	Cheese and bean wrap	Vegan bangers & mash	Roast Quorn fillet & vegetarian gravy	Vegan pasty & vegan gravy	Quorn vegan nuggets
Vegetable choice	Sweetcorn Baked Beans Salad	Salad Peas Carrots Baked beans	Cauliflower Broccoli	Mushy peas, beans or garden peas & sweetcorn	Sweetcorn Peas Salad
Starchy choice	Herby diced cube potatoes	Creamy mashed potato	Roast potatoes	Chunky chips	potato wedges
Grab & go	Freshly made Sandwich choice of Tuna mayo, Ham, Turkey or Cheese with salad bar	Freshly made Sandwich choice of Tuna mayo, Ham, Turkey or Cheese with salad bar	Freshly made Sandwich choice of Tuna mayo, Ham, Turkey or Cheese with salad bar	Freshly made Sandwich choice of Tuna mayo, Ham, Turkey or Cheese with salad bar	Freshly made Sandwich choice of Tuna mayo, Ham, Turkey or Cheese with salad bar
Jacket potato	Low sugar & salt baked beans, cheese or tuna mayo	Low sugar & salt baked beans, cheese, or tuna mayo	Low sugar & salt baked beans, cheese, or tuna mayo	Low sugar & salt baked beans, cheese, or tuna mayo	Low sugar & salt baked beans, cheese, or tuna mayo
Bread selection	Garlic bread	Bread & Butter	Crusty bread	Bread & Butter	Crusty bread
Pudding	Ice cream Or Frozen smoothie Or Fresh fruit Or Yoghurt	Cookie Or Vegetarian sugar-free jelly Or Fresh fruit Or Yoghurt	Sponge & custard Or Vegetarian sugar-free jelly Or Fresh fruit Or Yoghurt	Ice cream Or Vegetarian sugar-free jelly Or Fresh fruit Or Yoghurt	Doughnut Or Vegetarian sugar-free jelly Or Fresh fruit Or Yogurt
Gluten free option <i>Must be pre-ordered</i>	GF pasta in tomato sauce Jelly/fruit/smoothie	GF Bangers Jelly/fruit/smoothie	Traditional Roast Chicken no Yorkshire pudding/stuffing Jelly/fruit/smoothie	GF fish and chips Jelly/fruit/smoothie	GF sausage Jelly/fruit/smoothie
Dairy & egg-free option <i>Must be pre-ordered</i>	Pasta & tomato sauce Jelly/fruit/smoothie	Vegan sausage roll Jelly/fruit/smoothie	Traditional Chicken no Yorkshire pudding/stuffing Jelly/fruit/smoothie	Vegan pasty & vegan gravy Jelly/fruit/smoothie	Quorn vegan nuggets Jelly/fruit/smoothie

Dates for your Diary

A full list of school term dates for the academic year will be sent home with your child.

Autumn Term 2022

Monday 5 September 2022 – School Closed – INSET Day

Tuesday 6 September 2022 – School Closed – INSET Day

Wednesday 7 September 2022 – Meet the Tutor – School Closed to Students

Term Time: Thursday 8 September 2022 to Friday 21 October 2022

Half Term: Monday 24 October 2022 to Friday 28 October 2022

Term Time: Monday 31 October 2022 to Friday 16 December 2022 – **School Closes Early**

Early Closure Times:

Lower School – 12.45

Upper School – 13.15

