



Alhberg Class

LKS2 Newsletter

Autumn 2022



Pennyman
Primary Academy

Welcome to our autumn newsletter!

We want to share with you some of the fantastic things we will be getting up to in LKS2 in the academy this term.

LKS2 English

This term we are going to be focusing on the fairy tale Goldilocks and the Three Bears. We will rewrite the story, focusing on nouns and our punctuation, and we will write instructions for making porridge. If your child has a favourite fairy tale from home, it would be great if they could bring it in to school so we can share a range of fairy tales. We will also be writing a recount from an experience we will take part in and explaining how to be a Roman soldier.



LKS2 Maths

In maths this term we will be focusing on recognising our numbers and writing them accurately. Addition and Subtraction will be our calculation focus and we will use a range of equipment to support the children's understanding. We will also be learning about shapes during our geometry sessions and we will use our knowledge of measures to help us make porridge to support our writing. Additionally, we will begin to count in 10s and 5s, and children will progress to 2s if they are ready.



LKS2 Science

In Science this term, we will be learning about sound and electricity. Throughout a series of investigations, we will begin to understand how we hear and how sounds can change in pitch and volume. In our electricity topic, we will explore appliances which require electricity to work and we will look at making a complete circuit. Moreover, we will look at switches and how they can open or close a circuit.



LKS2 Wider Curriculum

There are lots of topics for us to cover throughout the Autumn term in our afternoon lessons. We are currently learning about the Romans and how they changed Britain, and we will be moving on to studying Lazio, Italy and how people live there. In music, the children will be using Garageband to create music on the iPads and we will look at sculptures in our art lessons. Moreover, we will be learning about Christianity and how to use a range of stitches to create our own soft toys.



LKS2 Homework

We ask that you read with your child at least 4 times a week to consolidate and extend their learning. Those children who have read 4 times a week will be awarded a golden ticket and entered in to a prize draw. Additionally, we will be completing a weekly spelling test so please support your child to learn their words at home.

LKS2 Other information

We have PE on a **Monday** so please ensure your child's kit is in their bag. In November, we will participate in a series of workshops about the Romans. Please ensure your child has a water bottle in their bag. Thank you for your continued support and if you have any queries or questions, either pop it in your child's communication book or phone the office and I will happily call you back.

