



Penicuik High School

Friday 2 December 2022

Information Bulletin
for Students

ASSEMBLIES THIS WEEK

We are running Malawi Partnership assemblies next week during registration. Students should make their way directly to the Assembly Hall at 8.25am to be registered. We will follow the usual pattern of assemblies:

TODAY - S5/6

Mr Murphy

MALAWI PARTNERSHIP MEETING

Just a reminder from the assemblies this week that we are looking for a group of pupils who would like to get involved with our Malawi Partnership. If this is something you are interested in or would like to find out more, come along to a meeting today at break-time in the The Music Hub.

Mr Murphy

S2 ARTWORK FROM LAST YEAR

If anyone would like to collect their Artwork from last year to take home, they can pick up their folder from the window sill in the Art computer room, where they are arranged in class piles.

This includes all of your beautiful clay tiles.

The Art Department

TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

If you would like to enter the Scottish Schools Indoor Track and Field Championships then please contact the PE department for further information. The event takes place on Tuesday 31 January and Wednesday 2 February at the Emirates Area in Glasgow.

PE have details of the events you can enter along with the minimum required entry times, distances or heights. The closing date for entry with the PE department is Wednesday 7 December.

Scott Montgomery

Active Schools Coordinator (Penicuik)

STUDENT PARLIAMENT

The next parliament session will be held period 1 on Tuesday 6 December in Mr Biddick's office. Please arrive at the start of P1 where you will be registered. This session will be to discuss the school policies you all reviewed.

HOUSE DODGEBALL COMPETITIONS

These are taking place every day next week. Everyone is welcome to participate for house points or spectate and cheer their house on!

If you don't have PE at the following times then please go to your timetabled class and your teacher will bring your class to the PE department.

S2 Classes Tuesday p4

S3 Classes Wednesday p4

S4 Classes Thursday p1

S5/6 Classes Friday p1

S1 Classes Monday p6 (**12 December not the 5th!!**)

It would be great to see as many participants/spectators as possible.

PE Department

VACCINATION FORM RETURNS

Returns are very slow - S3 students, and S4-S6 catch-ups, are asked to return their signed permission forms to the school office by Friday 2 December. Thank you.

Mrs Davidson



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S4/S5/S6 REPORTS

If you have not yet collected your report can you please come to the office at breaktime today. Thank you.

Mrs Razavi

HOUSE POINTS NOVEMBER 2022

Your Register Teacher will show you this separately. Thank you.

Mr Garvey

BIG 5 FOCUS OF THE WEEK

Following the assemblies last week, the focus for this week is showing evidence of learning. Please read the slides shown below to understand what showing evidence of your learning means, what it might look like, and why it is important!

Look out for opportunities to show evidence of your learning this week, and keep your eyes peeled for next week's focus.

Showing evidence of your learning
What is it?
Showing what you've learned:

- To yourself
- To other students
- To your teacher

Message Sent
Message Received?

Showing evidence of your learning
What does it look like?

- Answering questions in class
- Asking questions in class
- Discussing with a partner or a group
- Talking with your teacher
- Writing answers to questions
- Using mini-whiteboards
- Self-assessment
- Quizzes
- Kahoot
- Etc.

Showing evidence of your learning
Why does it matter?

- Your teacher needs to know what you've learned, and what you haven't learned, so that they can plan how to help you
- If your teacher thinks you've learned something but you haven't, they'll move onto something else and you might fall behind
- Sometimes you might think you've learned something, but there may be gaps in your understanding that your teacher needs to know about

Showing evidence of your learning
What can I do about it?

- Be willing to answer questions when asked
- Don't be afraid of making mistakes – they're how we all learn!
- Ask questions – if you're not sure about something, let your teacher know!

Miss Burrows