

Week Commencing 11th November 2024

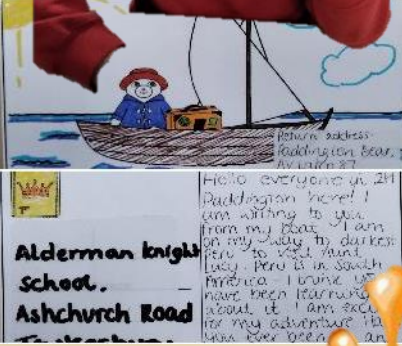


Primary

What a great week! 2H had a surprise postcard from Paddington this week, on his travels to Peru. They were very excited to reply to Paddington, 2H produced some brilliant responses for him. Monday they also discovered a jar of marmalade on Miss Hancock's desk. How did that happen?! They have all given the Marmalade a try.....Mixed reviews.

House Point Winner this week is Coby

Please look after this BEAR THANK YOU.



House point winner is
Maxine

2P



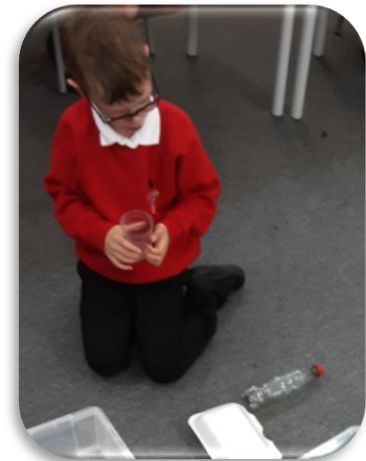
This week 2P have made apple pies in Cooking. They all worked independently to mix the ingredients, egg wash the pastry and crimp the outside of the pie. We have celebrated Remembrance Day and Children In Need this week by carrying out a variety of activities.



House Point Winner:
Gretchen



We loved seeing Amelie the PAT dog on Tuesday we gave her treats and looked at some pictures of her family. We continued to practice our basketball skills in PE, it's so lovely to see how much they are improving! In DT we explored different materials and decided what materials would be best when making our boats.





Key Stage 3

House Point Winner is Alana.

Star of the Week is George.

On the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month
when the guns fell silent, we will remember



7D



Friday 15th of November is Children in Need Day.



On Tuesday we had Odd Socks Day to raise awareness for Anti Bullying Alliance.



7D took part in AKS Act of Remembrance on the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month.



In Food this week, 7D practiced their peeling and chopping skills to make apple crumble.



In Music this week, 7D got to make music with Boomwhackers.

House Point Winner: Maddie



Tutor Star: Will B

7J

In Art 7J are continuing with their project on Vincent Van Gogh - Starry Night.



In Music 7J have started playing the boomwhackers learning about higher and lower sounds.



In Food 7J made apple crumble! They are working hard on their chopping skills!



In our Outdoor Learning Session, we were making bird feeders!

**House Point
Winner is
George**

7P



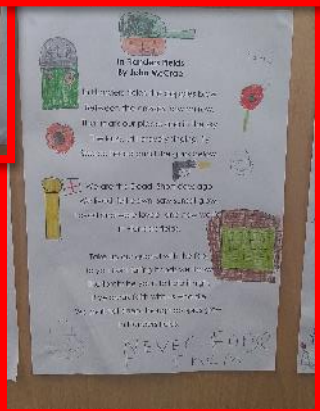
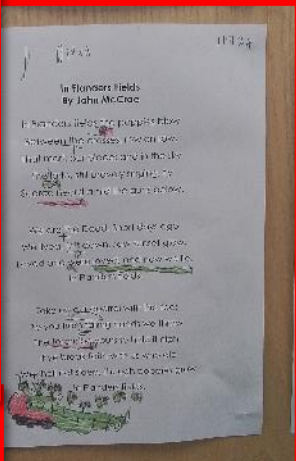
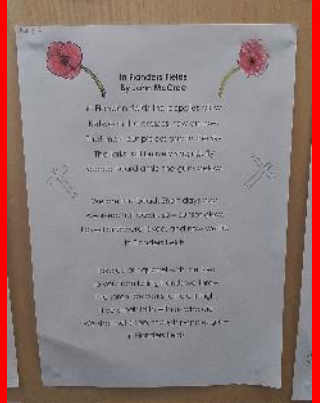
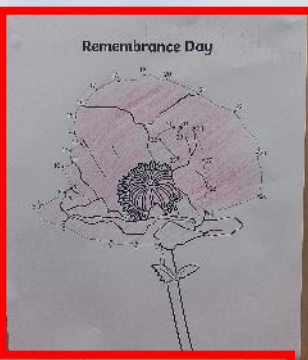
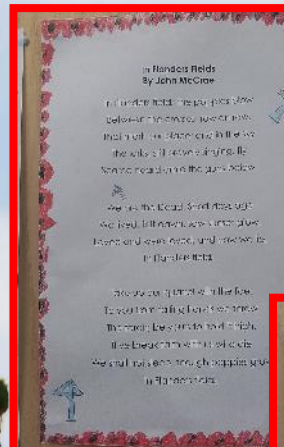
We all enjoyed Forest School this week in the glorious sunshine. We made bird feeders to hang in the trees.



We are having a visit from Pudsey Bear and fundraising on Friday.



**Tutor
Star is
Riley**



During English this week, 7P observed the 2 minutes silence for Remembrance. We also drew poppies and pictures referenced in the poem 'In Flanders Fields'.

House Point Winner:
Maxwell

This week has been Anti-Bullying Week at AKS. We wore our odd socks on Tuesday to show its ok to be different and to stand up against bullying and discrimination. On Wednesday we had an assembly about bullying and respect. On Thursday in PSD, we worked in groups to identify bullying behaviours and how we can help stop bullying.

7T



In Food this week 7T made a delicious apple crumble and practiced our peeling, dicing and rubbing in method.

The 7T Talent Show!



On Monday AKS took part in the 2 minutes silence for Remembrance Day. We will remember them.

Tutor Star:
Oscar

House Point
Winner:
Riley



8B

Science
Testing alkaline
and acids.

In Flanders' Fields
In Flanders' fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row,
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks, still bravely singing, fly
Scarce heard amid the guns below.

*We are the dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved, and were loved, and now we lie
In Flanders' fields.*

*Take up our quarrel with the foe:
To you from failing hands we throw
The torch, be yours to hold it high.
If ye break faith with us who die
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow
In Flanders' fields.*

Major John McCrae, 1915

Food
Making Christmas soda bread.
At the end of the lesson, we
got to try some :)

Odd Socks day took place on 12th
November during Anti-Bullying Week, to
help raise awareness of bullying. We had
some funky socks in 8B and around the
school.





In Forest School, we did garden maintenance! We managed to clear up some fallen leaves and plant some bulbs!

8D



In Science, we did an experiment by testing the acid and alkali using the universal indicator. We observed that it changes colour as you add more acid/alkali!



In Drama, we are starting a new topic based on Oliver Twist! We watched 2 clips and acted out 1 scene.

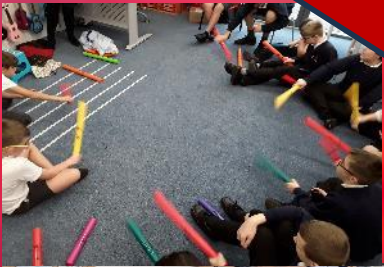
House Point Winner:
Flynn



8K have had a great week, Sienna joined our group which is brilliant! We have been getting to grips with time in Maths and for Drama had live music for the warm-up game. Boomwhackers in Music and planting bulbs in Forest School.

House
Point
Winner:
Michael

Star of
the
Week:
Michael



Charlie has the
most House
Points!



8W

Everyone has had a busy week. We have been improving our basketball skills in PE, cooking delicious Christmas soda bread and using fabric paints to decorate our bags in DT. Mrs Barlow has been teaching us to plant our seedlings in Outdoor Learning too. In Science we neutralised acid using alkali and worked on our number skills in Maths.





Our week started with some respectful Remembrance when we observed the 2-minute silence. In Art this week , we started some new work on Pop Art. In Science, we carried out some investigations to show the transference of energy. In Drama, we continued with our play, The Wizard of Oz. We took turns to play different characters and all had a lot of fun with our roles. We have also enjoyed taking part in the fundraising activities for Children in Need. Our Star of The Week is Theo and our House Point Winner is Lilly.



★ Well done! ★



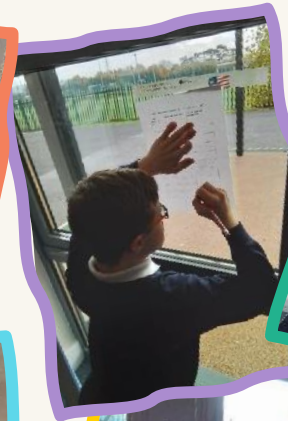
It has been a busy week in 9N – we have done lots of cooking this week, making a flapjack crumble, as well as making products to sell at the upcoming Christmas cheer event. There has also been lots going on in school this week, including Remembrance Day, odd socks, Anti-Bullying Week, and Children In Need. In Science we've been conducting lots of experiments to help us remember different types of energy, and in English have been practicing our debating/speaking and listening skills. Well done everyone!



HP WINNER
Will



STAR OF
THE WEEK
Nia



Alderman Knight School

STAR OF THE WEEK
CARL

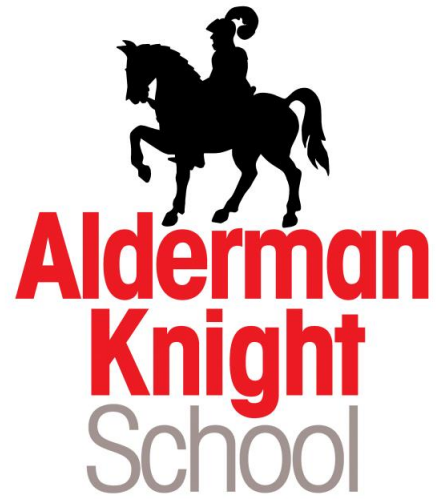
HOUSE POINT WINNER
EUAN

9S

ZAP



WE HAVE ALL HAD A VERY BUSY WEEK. WE MADE FLAPJACK CRUMBLE AND CUSTARD, WE'VE BEGUN LEARNING ABOUT POP ART, AND HAVE CONTINUED LEARNING HOW TO USE EXCEL IN ICT. WELL DONE 9S!



Key Stage 4



We welcomed Young Gloucestershire to speak to us about their work with young people and planned a community project, that we will complete over the next couple of terms.



10A



Young Gloucestershire are working on well-being and mental health and confidence.

We showed our respects by standing to observe a 2-minute silence on Monday.



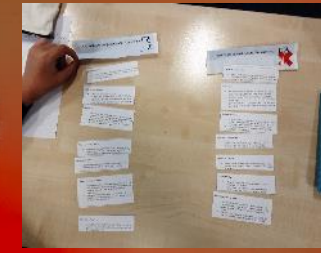
We are enjoying developing our art projects by researching different artists.



Some of the boys played in a football match against Milestones. They showed great respect and made us very proud.



We enjoyed making delicious chicken, leek and bacon pies



• Do you think capital punishment is fair? No because innocent people may be killed.
• I believe people can be reformed
• It is a deterrent for the most serious crimes
Rhys

In Religion and World Views we are considering capital punishment.





Tutor
Star:
Summer

All students carried out a 2-
minute silence in honour of
Remembrance Day.



House
Point
Winner:
Cassie

10P



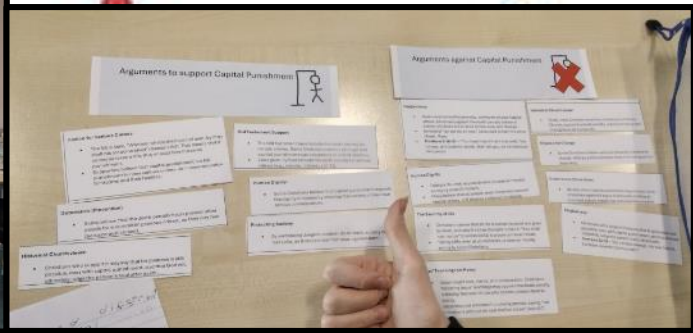
In P.E we moved on to
basketball and students
practiced their
dribbling, passing and
shooting skills.



In Food we made
chicken, bacon
and leek pie.
Yummy!



In R&W this week
the students
debated their
opinions on
capital
Punishment.





In Food Tech this week the children made chicken and leek pie. They have reported back it was delicious after eating it for their tea!



10S

House
Point
Winners:



The children watched a live stream from the Royal British Legion in Trafalgar Square and did a two minutes silence.

Phoebe
& Demi

This week the children wore odd socks as part of Anti-Bullying Week.



In Land Based Studies the children have been looking after the Geraniums. They needed digging up and repotting to keep them safe from the frost during the winter.



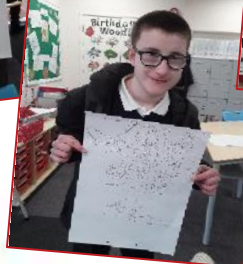
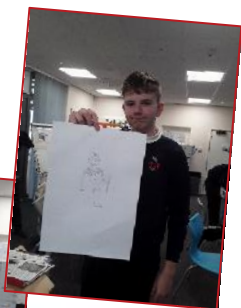
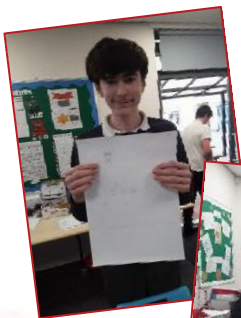


Anti-bullying lesson with a focus on respect.



11A

Drawing Vikings with some of the weapons and outfits they used to scare the enemy.



Learning to support pupils to use the gym apparatus.

Some of 11A represented AKS in a football match this week. They were claimed a 10-5 victory and played amazingly!



11A did a great job visiting Primary. They supported the pupils as they made bracelets and cards to sell.



This week members of the class wore odd socks as part of Anti-Bullying Week.

**House Point
Winner:
NOAH**

11L
11/11/24



Two pupils from 11L took part in a football competition. They had a brilliant time- Well done to them both!

All pupils have been working really hard on their accreditations.



All students carried out a 2-minute silence in honour of Remembrance Day.



Star of the Week: Charlie

We learned about symmetries and fractions in Maths.

In Flanders Fields Poem.

11M
11/11/24

Odd Socks Day

Getting ready for the Road Safety Awareness Day.

11M's Sgraffito fireworks with Julian Opie's buildings

Miss Price's Tuesday drawing challenge.

In PSD we found images on our chosen jobs.

In R&W.V. we are learning about the Muslim faith.

11M loves Trampolining.

House Point Winner: George





Post 16



It's been a busy week in Post 16; as well as Remembrance Day, it's been Anti Bullying Week, Odd Socks Day and of course Children in Need – look out for photos next week!



Post 16 – 12F, 13W & 14S

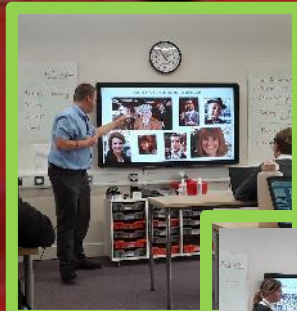
In Communication & Interaction some Post 16 made some wreaths ready for the Remembrance Day!



Three students from Year 13 and 14 went to the Remembrance Ceremony in Tewkesbury. They took the wreaths made by Year 12 to lay at the war memorial.



The Year 13 and 14 English group have been practising their Spoken Language presentations.



In their Food lesson, Year 13 and 14 made cinnamon rolls.

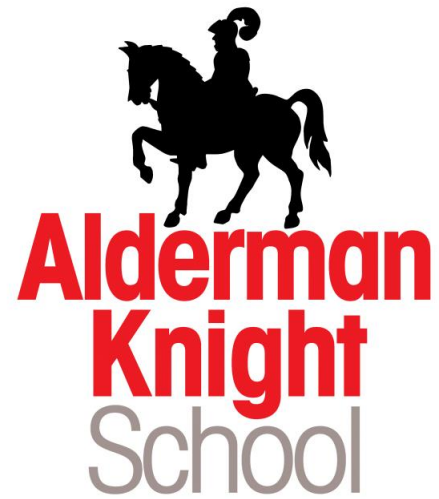


Time for some R&R: a game of Dobble at lunchtime.



In our Fitness Session they used the rowing machine as a fun competitive game!





Remembrance



Wreath making with Post 16 and Mr Waters
Ready for Remembrance Day Service in
Tewkesbury
08/11/2024



Post 16 attended Remembrance Service at Tewkesbury Borough Council Offices
Alongside the Mayor of Tewkesbury Borough Councillor Philip Workman
11/11/2024



Sound of the
week



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