



Townhill Community School Curriculum Newsletter



Welcome to the first instalment of our half-termly curriculum newsletter!

We have had a busy start back to school life, following the Summer break! It's been so lovely to see so many pupils in school uniform, smiling and ready for the new academic year ahead!

Here we are already, at our first half-term break! Let's look back and find out what the children have been doing.



Nursery

What a wonderful start we've had to the new nursery year! The children have settled in beautifully, they've been so busy exploring, discovering, and learning together.

We've been talking all about ourselves, our friends, our families, and our pets, sharing stories from home. We were thrilled with the response we had from the Autumn Adventures homework, the children loved being creative with all the seasonal treasures you brought in!

We can't wait to see what more fun and learning the next few weeks will bring!



Reception

Reception children have settled wonderfully into full time school and have blown us away by their ability to adapt to their new environment.

They have loved exploring all of the activities on offer and through our topic 'All About Me' they have learned lots about themselves already!

We have had a fantastic first term and we look forward to more fun and festivities next term!

Hello
Autumn



Year 1

We've had a fantastic start to Year 1 with our exciting topic of 'Celebrations'! The children have been learning about the months of the year and when their birthdays are. We even held a pretend birthday party where we made delicious food and played fun games like 'Pin the Tail on the Donkey'—it was such a lovely party!



Year 2

The children have settled into Year 2 wonderfully and have embraced their new routines with enthusiasm. They have loved learning outdoors in the sunshine and exploring our exciting 'Superhero' topic, discovering what makes a hero and designing their own capes and costumes. It has been a fantastic start to the year full of energy and creativity.



Year 3

We have had a lovely start to our year in Year 3. We have started our topic on 'Journeys' by looking at animal journeys. We had fun making hedgehog homes in the garden and working together as a team. In Maths we have been making place value monsters and learning to add numbers using column addition. We have also had fun playing rhythms and songs using the boom whackers. Next we are off on a space journey!



Year 4

Year 4 began the term with an inspiring trip to the Gower Heritage Centre, exploring local heritage and global artists. Pupils enjoyed creating their own masterpieces during the visit. Back at school, they have taken part in democratic elections to choose representatives for our 'Pupil Voice' groups.



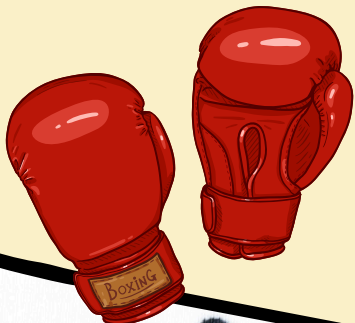
Year 5

We started the new term full of enthusiasm and curiosity, ready to explore new ideas together. We dove straight into our exciting topic of 'Flight and Space', sparking imaginations and big questions. The children have already begun investigating how things fly and what lies beyond our planet. A really great start!



Year 6


We have had a fantastic start to the term in Year 6. We began by exploring our topic of 'Battles and Conflicts', focusing on environmental conflicts and equal rights. We have learnt about the important figures, causes, key events, the impacts of these moments and how we can make a difference.



Infant and Junior STF

It's been a super start back to school for the ISTF and JSTF, we have dived straight into our topics of 'All About Me and People Who Help Us'. We have been learning about all the different people who help us in our community. We have learned about police officers, firemen and doctors and how they all help us day to day.



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- INSET Day - Monday Nov 3rd
 - Parent Meetings (R-Y6) Monday Nov 10th
 - Individual school photos - Wednesday Nov 12th
 - Children in Need - Friday Nov 14th
 - Christmas Fete - Friday Dec 5th
 - Santa's Grotto - Dec 17th / 18th
 - Last day of Autumn Term - Friday Dec 19th
 - Christmas Concert dates TBC

**SAVE!
THE DATE!**

