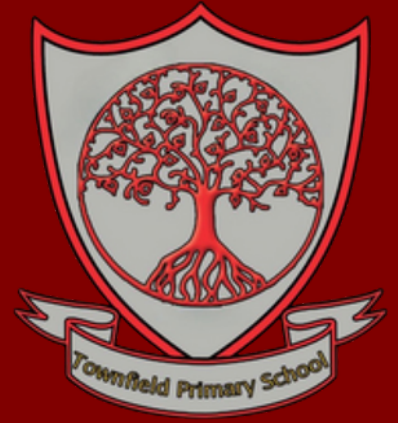


Personal Development Newsletter

2025/2026



Townfield Primary School

Guiding Principles



Character Development



PSHCE / RSE Curriculum



Citizenship



British Values



Digital Citizens



Inclusion & Diversity



SMSC



Safeguarding



Oracy



Autumn 1 personal development



Welcome

After a busy and rewarding half term, we are delighted to welcome you to the Townfield Personal Development Newsletter for the Autumn term.

Pupil Leadership

Here some highlights:

- Talented **Digital Leaders** have been selected for this year and can't wait to get started.
- **Pupil Leadership Team** have been selected ready for their new roles in representing the school
- Pupil leadership helped develop ideas for the **Halloween disco!**

Other news...

- Townfield raised awareness of **healthy snacks** to celebrate 'Snack-tember' and celebrated **Human Rights day**.
- The **Townfield Choir** have been out in the **community** spreading joy in the **local nursing home**.

Our **Harvest collect** for local food banks was a huge success and we raised **£247.20** for **children in need**.

Mental Health and wellbeing

Mrs Keenan and the **Wellbeing workers** have been meeting to start their new roles in supporting others.

Celebrated **Mental Health week** through our PSHCE lessons and **odd socks day**.

We **celebrated Christmas** as a **community** through our beautiful **Christmas productions** in school and at **church** and of course the **Christmas fair**.

Sustainability

Mr McNally has bought over **400 trees** which the children have helped to help to plant to make our school more sustainable!

Charity Work



Autumn 2 personal development



Welcome

After a busy and rewarding half term, we are delighted to welcome you to the Townfield Personal Development Newsletter for the Autumn Term.

Pupil Leadership

Our pupil leadership team have been busy as always:

- **Trust Pupil Leadership team** has been representing the school with a **safeguarding, curriculum** and **inclusion** representative.
- Mrs Keenan and the **Wellbeing workers** have been meeting and helping others at play and lunch times.

Charity Work

On our Reindeer Ramble for St. John's Hospice we raised **£5,896.78!**

Other news...

- We raised awareness through '**show racism the red card**' week.
- Raised awareness **of online safety** and the use of **Roblox**
- Year 5 are developing their **Swimming Skills** in **stay safe in the water**.
- Developing talents - **RockSteady** bands perform to the school.

Mental Health and wellbeing

Re-launched **My Happy Minds** and introduced class **reflection books**



Sustainability and Safety

We launched our '**Living Streets**' travel tracker during **national road safety week**, as well as reviewing road safety as a whole school.

- We grow through **rich curriculum** enhancements, from **VR workshops, animal visits, class trips, STEM workshops, many after clubs** and much more!
- EYFS have been busy getting to know **people who help us in our community** with visitors from the **police** and **fire brigade**.
- Special visitor from the **army** joined us to celebrate **Remembrance Day**.

Spring 1 personal development



Welcome

After a busy and rewarding half term, we are delighted to welcome you to the Townfield Personal Development Newsletter for Spring 1. This edition highlights the fantastic progress our pupils are making in leadership and their contributions to our school community.

Pupil Leadership

Our pupil leadership team have been busy as always. Here some highlights:

- **Digital Leaders** have been meeting weekly, dedicating their own time to developing the use of Chromebooks across the school.
- **Pupil Leadership ambassador** represented the school at the national PedTech event.
- **Trust Pupil Leadership teams** have now made a huge impact visiting other children across the trust to discuss their roles.

Other news...

- Year 6 have been on their '**Bikeability**' cycle training, learning how to cycle safely on the roads.
- During **Safer Internet day** we raised awareness of safely using AI.
- Our **choir** club is now learning BSL
- We have been learning about **Chinese New Year** and celebrating **other cultures** together through special visitors
- Year 6 have visited **parliament**.
- **Local MP visit**

Mental Health and wellbeing

Whole school world mental health week celebration, creating some wonderful belonging maps



The children were reminded of important messages and people who can help us in our whole school **safeguarding assembly**.

Sustainability

We are proud to have become member of the **Wirral sustainability club**! *The Eco team will be busy!*

Spring 2 personal development



Welcome

Welcome back to our Spring 2 Personal Development update. Following another successful term, we are excited to share how our students are exploring wider opportunities, from cultural awareness workshops to community sustainability projects.

Social, Spiritual and Cultural Development

We are proud to be raising awareness for refugees, inviting our Year 5 and 6 children to a fantastic 'refugee awareness' workshop, promoting our **British Values**.



We had a fantastic time with our school community celebrating at the **Easter disco A** and during **World Book Day**.

Community and Sustainability

Eco Team are getting involved with the **Wirral country park sustainability project**



Fieldwork in the community

Year 4 have been looking at causes of pollution around the River Mersey.

Year 5 make plans to look at sustainability at Woodchurch High School



Wider Opportunities

- Trust Choir Competition
- Townfield choir showcase for parents
- Fieldwork links with Woodchurch High School
- Neurodiversity awareness week

Spring 2 personal development



Welcome

As we continue through the Spring 2 term, we invite you to explore this special update focused on the well-being and growth of our children. Inside, you will find details on our latest health initiatives, charity work, and the inspiring progress of our pupil ambassadors.

Mental Health and Wellbeing

We are proud to be taking part in the **Wirral's Mental Health and Wellbeing Survey** to ensure Townfield meets the needs of each and every child.

Parents and carers have been warmly welcomed to a **mental health workshop** through **MHST** (NHS early intervention support)



Health and Wellbeing

Healthy snack
advice



Our class worry monsters are checked daily to ensure the children have a safe way to share their concerns.



Leadership

Wellbeing workers are putting their powers to good, giving advice on what makes a good reading buddy ready for world book day.

Inclusion, safeguarding and curriculum ambassadors are busy meeting and setting up new tasks with their trust lead..

Our digital leaders are learning about the micro:bit during their meetings.

Charity

Year 2 have successfully donated items to the RSPCA



Summer 1 personal development



Welcome

After a busy and rewarding half term, we are delighted to welcome you to the Townfield Personal Development Newsletter for Summer 1

Wider Experiences and Cultural Capital

- Year 2 is the first year group to learn the ukulele as part of our "Learn to Play an Instrument" program.
- Year 4 had a special visit from a local Baptist minister, who shared her wealth of knowledge with the students.
- Year 4 visited Woodchurch High School for Fieldwork
- We celebrated David Attenborough 100 year birthday



Charity



Our youngest students became "Tiny Parents" for the day to raise money for the Neonatal Unit at Arrowse Park Hospital.

Sustainability

The Eco Team and Year 5 have been continuing their "Travel to School" project by conducting a traffic survey in the local area.



Year 1 took part in "Scooting Stars" as part of our "Travel to School" scheme.

Health and Wellbeing

- We gathered parents' views as part of our RSHE consultation and are currently busy acting on your feedback.
- Under-5s oral health survey.
- Joe Wicks' Mental Health Week celebration.
- Raised awareness of good hygiene during National Handwashing Day.

Pupil Leadership

Our Wellbeing Workers have helped improve play opportunities on the field

Summer 2 personal development



Welcome

After a busy and rewarding half term, we are delighted to welcome you to the Townfield Personal Development Newsletter for Summer 2

Cultural Capital

We welcomed back 'Whispering Tales' to perform a show called 'Our Crossing' that highlights stories from the Windrush generation and the positive impact Caribbean culture had on the UK.

Safeguarding

NSPCC Class Visits



PSHE



Tailored our curriculum with supporting resources from Pol-ed
Pol-Ed supports schools in delivering expertly planned lessons designed to develop a deep awareness of risks, citizenship and the law.

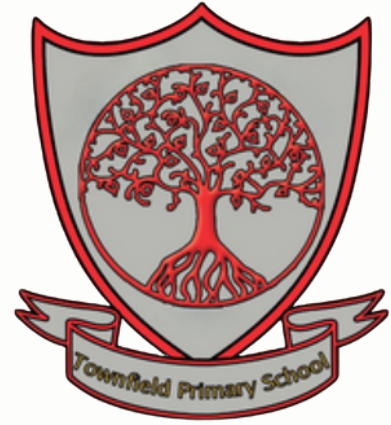
Classes from Nursery to Year 6 have been using 'Spotlight' lessons and social stories to help children navigate challenges.

Charity



Year 4 supported the RNLI (Royal National Lifeboat Institute) to promote water safety.

Summer personal development



Welcome

After a busy and rewarding half term, we are delighted to welcome you to the Townfield Personal Development Newsletter for Summer 2

Mental Health and wellbeing



BrightBites delivered dental health workshops from Nursery to Year 6.

Pupil Leadership

Our Year 5 buddies have been working hard to get the nursery children settled in and ready for September.



PSHCE/RSHE

We have been consulting parents on the new RSHE framework for September:

GROWING UP & PUBERTY	
YOU SAID Lower KS2 wants puberty learning	WE DID Teaching Year 4's (Summer 2 / June-July) puberty & periods
MENTAL HEALTH & ONLINE SAFETY	
YOU SAID PRIORITY AREAS: More mental wellbeing & digital safety focus	WE DID Addressing through AWARENESS DAYS, CURRICULUM CHANGES, & MY HAPPY MINDS. Also welcoming NSPCC VISITORS to reinforce Safeguarding
DENTAL HYGIENE	
YOU SAID More teeth brushing education support	WE DID Organising special, hands-on TEETH BRUSHING WORKSHOPS in JUNE!

Other Highlights

Year 2 and Year 5 visit Woodchurch Hight School.

Year 5 raise money for Cancer research.