



Learning Support Board
Week Commencing
4th April 2022

Things you need to know:

For most pupils the school is now closed for the Easter holidays. Year 11s may be attending Easter School. Summer term begins on Tuesday 19th April.
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Inspire Club
Quiz



In which American city can this famous sign be found?

Last time's answer: Kohlrahl

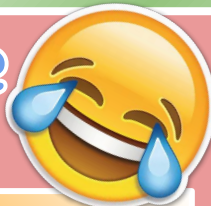
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Joke of the **Week**



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It was egg-spelled from school.

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Interesting things to know and do:



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Historical Story of the Week

On this day in **1949**...

WASHINGTON TREATY ESTABLISHES NATO

12 Countries Agree Principle of Collective Defence

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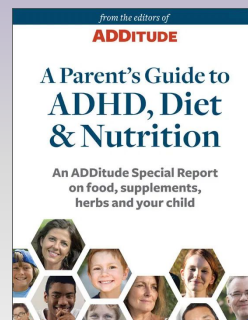
NATO was born out of the hostilities that emerged between the Soviet Union and Western powers at the end of the Second World War. This "East-West" divide was fuelled by conflicting interests and political ideologies. Tensions were exacerbated by events in 1948 such as the Berlin blockade in April, the Communist coup in Czechoslovakia in June and direct threats to the sovereignty of Norway, Greece and Turkey. As the power of the Soviet Union spread to several Eastern European countries, the British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin spoke of the need for a "treaty of alliance and mutual assistance", a defensive alliance within the framework of the U.N. Charter.

The U.S.A. would only agree to provide military support to Europe if it were united so in March 1948 Belgium, France, Luxembourg, the Netherlands and the United Kingdom signed the Brussels Treaty which created the Western Union. In the meantime, the U.S. Senate adopted the Vandenberg Resolution – which allowed the United States to participate in a mutual defence system in times of peace.

In August 1948, talks began between the five powers of the Brussels Treaty together with the U.S.A. and Canada. Denmark, Iceland, Italy, Norway and Portugal were invited to the final sessions of negotiations. The 12 members decided that they would have the right to review the Treaty after 10 years and be able to withdraw from the organization after 20 years. There has never been a review or a withdrawal. To date, the last country to join NATO has been North Macedonia and there are presently 30 member states.



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The Lancashire SEND Partnership brings together all the agencies in Lancashire which provide special educational needs and disability (SEND) services for children, young people, their parents and carers, with representatives from those who use the service.

IPSEA (Independent Provider of Special Education Advice) is a registered charity offering free and independent legally based information, advice and support to help get the right education for children and young people with all kinds of special educational needs and disabilities.



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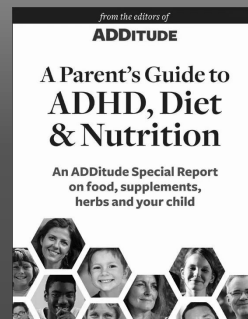
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