



## P7 NEWSLETTER Term 4

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### Meta-Skills

As always, this will be a focus throughout all learning. We will continue to explore all 12 of the skills and self-evaluate on our strengths and areas to develop.

We will continue to use our journals and world of work profiles to reflect on our own skills and abilities.

### Health and Well-being:

Mrs Irvine-McLean, our P.E. specialist, will deliver P.E every Monday. The class will also have P.E on Wednesday with Mr McIlorum. Please ensure your child comes in appropriate P.E clothing on these days.

We will have a focus on food this term as part of our Health and Wellbeing which will also be covered through IDL. Transition to secondary will also be a focus throughout the term.

### Religious and Moral Education:

This term the children will be learning about religious food and practices from different world religions.

Important Dates Term 4 -  
6<sup>th</sup> May - May Day Holiday  
Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> - Learner Conference Dates  
Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May - Sports Day (Weather Permitting)  
Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May - P7 Fun Afternoon  
Friday 23rd May - Sports Day Reserve Date  
Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June - P7 Guid Nychburris Football  
Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June - Girls Guid Nychburris Football  
Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> -27<sup>th</sup> June - Induction Days  
30<sup>th</sup> June - Leavers Show  
2<sup>nd</sup> July - P7 Leavers Trip

### Fair Trade and the History of Chocolate.

This term our IDL focus will be based around Fair Trade and the History of Chocolate. Part of our learning will involve carrying out research and using it across the curriculum in a variety of different ways.

### Homework:

Our main homework task will be a personal talk challenge to support the pupils with a talk they will give in school. The class will also be taking part in a "Grow your £5" challenge to contribute towards their fundraising efforts. If you would like any additional spelling, maths or reading homework this term please contact me on [gw18hooperlisa@ea.dumgal.sch.uk](mailto:gw18hooperlisa@ea.dumgal.sch.uk)

### Literacy:

In literacy this term, our writing blocks will mainly focus on procedural and response texts. Our grammar focus will also be linked in to these contexts.

We will continue to work on presentation and spelling through our Handwriting and Spelling programmes. Reading will take place in class throughout various curricular areas as well as our class novel.

### Numeracy:

In Primary 7, our main focus will be exploring patterns and relationships and expressions and equations. We will also revisit concepts covered previously in the year and have a focus on mental maths skills.

In topics maths, we will be learning about shape and measure.

### Expressive Arts

Pupils will cover drama and music outcomes this term through writing, preparing for and performing their leavers show. We will also be engaging in a range of art activities linked to our topic.

### ICT:

This term we will be focusing on and developing our multimedia skills with an end goal of completing our primary 7 yearbook.

### Dojo:

We are so pleased to have Dojo back up and running. I hope you've been enjoying the updates! Dojo will continue to be used to share key messages for the class and share what we have been up to. Please also check here for any changes or additions to dates for various things throughout the term.