

PUPIL FORUM NEWSLETTER

SEPTEMBER 2025

In this newsletter you will find out everything that has been happening in our Pupil Forum groups.

The Creative Crafters with Helen

Lucy, Thora, Archie M, Archie F, Adah and Arianna

It was lovely to see all the boys and girls back at school today happy and enjoying their day.

In this session we made lavender oil and packaged the oils up. We talked about how to use the oil how it can help at bed time in the bath or on the skin.

The new group of creative crafters are all excited and full of ideas. They have decided to try and sell some of their crafts and use the money for a treat, which sounds very exciting. We came up with a new scent idea and picked one out of a hat. They thought of different things to sell and looked at working out profits. The children all worked together as a team today making and sharing ideas

The School Improvement Team - with Mrs Robertson

Ellen, Sophie, Zayn, Oli, Sophia, Fin and Fearne

We refreshed the communal school display areas by freshening up borders, pictures and adding any new changes.

We took our new library books bought last term and began to catalogue them using AR book finder.

We applied stickers, stamps and colour bands so that they can be added into our library areas.

This is an ongoing job and we are lucky to have Diana, our volunteer helper involved in helping with this task too.

The Fabulous Fairtraders with the Community Fairtrade Group

Ritchie, Fergus, Murdo, Harley, Ezmia, Harri, Alice and Eric

Today we put up the banners that we created! It was very exciting and the photographer from The Standard was there so keep an eye out for us in the paper. We watched videos that four Fairtrade producers made specifically for the children (I'll share them on the FT Village Facebook page) and then we did "Fairtrade" origami!

The Rights Squad with Miss Atkins

Robbie, Krue, Faye, Florence, Donald and Norri

During this session we looked at the right to play (Article 31). We had new playground equipment to put out for the pupils but were very disappointed when we went to make room for it to find most of the current equipment left lying all around the playground and more than 50% broken. We put all the broken pieces in the bin and then decided that maybe the new equipment shouldn't go out yet.

We decided to make a playground charter which all pupils would have to follow. Donald came up with the idea that everyone in the school should sign it to say they agree. We came up with points that pupils should do and also points for the adults. It will be shared in assembly this week for everyone to see and sign.

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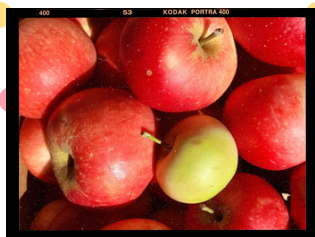
Ivar , Margot, Gregor, Mitchell, Samson, Jamie and Cameron

Harvest time in the garden! We picked lots of fruit from our trees and bushes, apples, plums and brambles. A bumper crop this year.

We had to have a wee taste, delicious!

All our work to create a more biodiverse area, by adding lots more flowers, plants and trees to our garden, is working. We saw bees, butterflies, ladybirds, beetles, spiders & snails, even a little frog!

A busy afternoon. 🌱



The Technicians with Mr Rudd

Lily, Freja, Grace, Reuben, Finlay and Oscar

This afternoon we learned about the Dunscore School Blog. Mr Rudd showed us how to add our own posts to the school blog. We used the iPads to write and post our own posts on the school blog about what we have been doing this term so far.

We also discussed a potential fundraiser to raise money to buy more technology for the school. We are currently looking to organise a 'No Pen' day with a Whole School Sumdog Competition, Lego Build Challenge and either a sharing or Outside Afternoon.

The PE Parliament with Mr Law

Sam, Lewis, Olivia, Peter, Charis, Joseph and Enia

This month we joined in with the Green group to help them with their bumper harvest!

