

Primary 6/7 Class Newsletter

Term 3 2024

Something I learned last term was...

- P7s learnt how to curl at the North West Castle - Danny
- We learnt how to do the Military Two-Step to *Fireball* - Lucy
- I learnt that the International Space Station gets to see up to 23 sunrises each day - Hamish
- I learnt how to subtract big numbers - Aoife

- I learnt that Uranus has 27 moons and it also has its own symbol - Hunter
- I learnt how to play badminton and it was fun - Robbie
- I worked hard to learn all of the Christmas show songs - Leo
- I learnt how to write a report on the planet Mercury - Bobby

Our Term 3 Focus

LITERACY: Our whole school focus this term is Scotland so we will be busy practising our Scots poems. We are going to be looking at the Scots language and how it translates into English. Our writing focus for the term is persuasive writing where we will be looking at language used that can influence our audience. We will also be working on procedural writing and the language used when giving clear instructions.

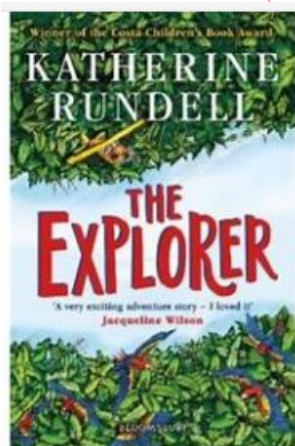
NUMERACY: We are working on fractions, decimals and percentages in Term 3. This will include simplifying, using knowledge of equivalent fractions, decimals and percentages, finding a fraction, decimal and percentage of an amount and solving problems using the knowledge we have learnt.

TOPIC: Our topic this term is Scottish Vikings. We will be learning about what life was like in Scotland when the Vikings settled here and what influences they had on our country. Alongside this, we will be practising for our Scottish Opera Performance which has a Viking theme.



READING FOCUS

We have just started a new class novel, *The Explorer* by Katherine Rundell. The story follows Fred who survives a plane crash into the Amazon jungle. Here he becomes friends with 3 other surviving children. We are excited to find out how Fred and co's adventure pans out.



IMPORTANT TO KNOW

7th Feb—Drop In 3:10-4:10 pm

12th, 13th 14th Feb— School Holiday

27th Feb— P7s Burns Trip

1st March— World Book Day—theme to be decided

13th March—Parent's Night and Book Fair

15th March—Red Nose Day

19th March— Scottish Opera Performance

P7S will be taking part in Bikeability on Wednesdays, remember your bike and dress for the weather!

Homework will continue to be posted on Teams

PE days are Tuesdays and Fridays