

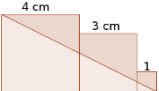




Term 2 Learning Information for Primary 7



<p>Topic</p> 	<p><u>Topic</u> This term we are going to be focusing on the history of specific seasonal events, including the Gunpowder Plot and Armistice Day. We will continue into December by learning about Christmas traditions and stories around the world. There will also be times to reflect upon current affairs throughout the term.</p> <p><u>Expressive Arts</u> Rehearsals for our school play 'No-one Wraps Like an Elf' have just begun! Scripts and song words will be coming home soon for pupils to learn. We'll all be singing along in our sleep!</p> <p><u>R.M.E</u> Adding to their learning in R.M.E, P7 will learn about Christian Saints with Mrs Gratton. There will be particular focus on local saints, including St Ninian.</p>
<p>Literacy</p> 	<p><u>Poetry</u> This term we will spend time writing, reading and listening to a range of poetry. Through a range of stimulus (including the Gunpowder Plot and Armistice Day), P7 will create their own poems while developing skills along the way. We will explore a range of literary techniques including similes, metaphors and personification. P7 will create poems with structure (rhyme and rhythm) but will also explore freeform poems where there is no formal structure.</p>
<p>Numeracy</p> 	<p><u>Measure</u> This term we are going to be exploring Area and Perimeter of simple 2D shapes; squares rectangles and right-angled triangles. P7 will use different methods to find the perimeter and area of 2D shapes. They will then extend this learning into finding the volume of cubes and cuboids.</p> <p><u>Number</u> We will continue our work in Place Value, extending and challenging learning in decimal numbers. Multiplication facts will continue to be a focus of our mental maths work.</p>
<p>Other Info</p>	<p>Our P.E days will continue to be Mondays and Thursdays. To begin the term, we are having a go at Creative Dance before moving on to traditional Ceilidh dancing. Everyone should bring a school jumper and polo shirt for when we are not doing P.E.</p> <p>Fridays will continue to be our day for getting outside. Old shoes or wellies, and a change of clothes will come in very handy!</p>

Dates for the
Diary

- Visit to Stranraer Campus - part of Careers Week Scotland - **Fri 15th Nov**
- Children in Need - wear yellow or dots; suggested £1 donation; **Fri 15th Nov**
- Scottish Book Week; **18th-22nd Nov**
- School & Nursery Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day
- **Friday 6th Dec**
- Christmas Show Performances: **Monday 16th Dec 6:30 pm; Tuesday 17th Dec 10:00 am**
- Christmas Party - **Thursday 19th Dec 6.30 - 8.30pm**
- Last Day of School - **Fri 20th Dec**

Some Halloween Fun!!





