



# SGOIL-ÀRAICH NA COILLE NUAIDH

AND IT IS NEARLY DECEMBER...

THA SINN AG IONNSACHADH MU DHEIDHINN....

- LISTENING AND TAKING TURNS
- LEARNING SOME COOL RHYMES AND SONGS
- WINTER
- CHRISTMAS
- LOOKING AFTER BABIES
- ST ANDREW



## Pick up passwords

Can you please email the Sgoil-Àraich through GLOW and let us know your precious bundle's pick up password. It is important that we have this so that if there is somebody 'out of the ordinary' picking your child up we can verify them.

## Welly boots!

Due to the glorious Scottish weather our need for welly boots is becoming more frequent. Each child needs their own boots as we are unable to share boots due to COVID restrictions. If you can please send your wee lovely in wearing their wellies or in a wee bag and we can swap them as required.

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Sgoil-Àraich Christmas Party  
well the COVID will not stop our party animals celebrating Nollaig. Our special day will be on Wednesday 16th December. We will be dancing, playing games and maybe get a special Zoom visit from the big Bodach na Nollaig himself.



## Home learning

Our ladies will continue to share some Gaelic resources with you. This will enable you to support your child at home...or will it be the other way about.

If there is a specific area we can help you with at home please do not hesitate to speak to one of us and we can get it to you. .

## Gallivanting

This coming week, the Sgoil-Àraich are going to go on a mini adventure to post our letters to Bodach na Nollaig. We are heading to McPhail Drive to see the sites of our local community.



## BookBug

Sadly with this COVID malarkey we cannot have our regular BookBug sessions. However don't be sad...In this here newsletter we can help you...

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2OwSLK\\_ergw](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2OwSLK_ergw)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oixz-U5bWxw>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L-LSbHWHA0A>

## The Sgoil-Àraich App

That's us up and running in the 21st century. All information will now be sent to you via this app so please check it regularly. We don't want you to miss any of the chat. We are also using GLOW blog:

<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/ea/jameshamiltonprimaryschool/class-pages/ecc-gaelic/>

Please, please check these regularly to make sure you do not miss any important information.



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## Safe parking

A wee reminder to all you lovely parents & carers. At pick up and drop off time can you please make sure that you park safely in a designated parking space that you are entitled to use. These times can be busy and we must try to keep everyone safe..



## Flu spray

It is so important during the COVID pandemic that the children get vaccinated for flu. Please organise this through your GP surgery to keep your wee person safe x



## Communication and language

We have created a virtual Communication Board on GLOW to provide you with some top tips and relevant communication and language information. We hope it helps.

<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/ea/jameshamiltonprimaryschool/class-pages/ecc-gaelic/sgoil-araichs-communication-board/>

## Absence from the Sgoil-Àraich

If you know that your wee bundle of love is not going to attend the Sgoil-Àraich on a certain day please fill in the Absence slip. This will be passed to the office and will result in you not receiving a text regarding the absence.



## Snack pennies

There will be no requirement to pay snack money at the current time.



# SGOIL-ÀRAICH NA COILLE NU Aidh

Sgoil-Àraich website

Sgoil-Àraich na Coille Nuaidh now has a super website.

<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/ea/jameshamiltonprimaryschool/>

Keep your eyes peeled for all our chat and news

Achievements

The Sgoil-Àraich would love to hear about your fantasticness outwith the setting. Please share any brilliant events with us. We can chat to our friends about it and put it in their special book  
[marie.farren@eastayrshire.org.uk](mailto:marie.farren@eastayrshire.org.uk)



Diary dates

16th December - Sgoil-Àraich Christmas Party

18th December - close for Christmas holidays

6th January 2021 - reopen for the new term

Face masks

Inline with updated guidance, masks or face coverings must be now worn at pick up and drop off times.



Please remember, if you have any concerns or queries, do not hesitate to speak to us.

Kind Regards

Mrs Farren, Miss McKay & Mrs  
Barnie





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## Rogues Gallery



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