



Lawhead Primary School – Homework Challenges



Term 3: January – April 2025

Class: P7

Teachers: Miss Garty, Mr Munro

Ethos and Life of the School as a Community	<p>Annual Scots Poetry Competition</p> <p>Class teachers will support pupils to select a Scottish poem of suitable length and difficulty. Pupils will receive a copy of their selected poem to take home and practice. Pupils will also be supported to practice and understand their poem in class. If any pupil is nervous about performing to an audience they can record themselves and share a video/audio file or can perform to their class teacher only or to a smaller group.</p>	<p>The St Andrews Burns Society will be visiting school on Monday 27th January to judge finalists. Before this date class teachers will listen to pupils reciting poems and identify finalists for any pupil wishing to go forward to judging by the Burns Society.</p> <p>THERE IS AN ASSIGNMENT IN THE CLASS TEAM IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SUBMIT A DIGITAL MEDIA VERSION (Audio/ video)</p>
	<p>Create a Poster, Video or Leaflet to 'Advertise' Our School:</p> <p>In January the applications for Nursery and P1 for next session open up online. Why should someone come to Lawhead Primary School and Nursery? Can you create a poster, information leaflet or video that 'sells' our school? Think of all the things that make our school unique. We may even put your ad on our school website!</p>	<p>Be creative! You can complete this on paper or through digital media. Completed challenges should be given to Mrs. Bain or emailed to lawheadps.headteacher@fife.gov.uk</p>
Curriculum Areas and Subjects	<p>Literacy – Phonics/Spelling:</p> <p>Our school website contains information on the phonics/spelling progression we follow at Lawhead. During term 3 we will be focusing on the following sounds/spelling patterns in class:</p> <p>P7 Focus- common misspelled words and individual group patterns. Copies will be sent home week 1.</p>	<p>Follow this link to the phonics/spelling section of the school website - Spelling</p> <p>Class teachers will send home phonics/word lists to practice.</p>

	<p>Mental Maths:</p> <p>Our school website contains information on the mental maths progression we follow at Lawhead.</p> <p>Access the planner for P7 and practice the skills for term 3. Pupils who feel less confident may want to master the skills for earlier levels and those who want to challenge themselves can access the planners for the stage above.</p>	<p>Follow this link to the mental maths section of the school website - Mental Maths</p> <p>A paper copy of the mental maths planner can be printed and provided on request by asking the class teacher.</p>
Interdisciplinary Learning	<p>French and Art</p> <p>In this assignment, you will have the opportunity to practice basic greetings in French. You can challenge yourself in any way you like.</p> <p>Work through the tasks in the assignment to revise and improve your French</p>	<p>Log into the assignment in teams all the vocabulary you need can be found here.</p>
	<p>Social Studies - Natural Disasters</p> <p>Research, plan, and prepare a presentation on any natural disaster of your choice. You can choose from events like hurricanes, earthquakes, floods, wildfires, tsunamis, or any other natural disaster that interests you. Your presentation should include information about the causes, effects, and potential ways to minimise the impact of the chosen natural disaster.</p>	<p>Log into the assignment in teams. Here you will find detailed steps to complete this task.</p>
Opportunities For Personal Achievement	<p>Celebrating Success - Weekly Assemblies:</p> <p>Every week at assembly we have a section called 'Celebrating Success'. Success and achievements in and out of school are recognised and celebrated. We take photos of learners and add them to our achievement wall. If you have had a success or achievement outside of school please let Mrs Simpson (P1-3) or Mrs Bain (P4-7) know so that it can be included in the assembly. Success comes in lots of shapes and sizes - learning to swim or ride your bike, a medal or trophy, learning an instrument, a badge at cubs or brownies.</p>	<p>Medals, trophies or certificates can be brought in on assembly day to share (Thursdays) or parents/carers can also email information or a photo to Mrs Bain or Mrs Simpson using lawheadps.enquiries@fife.gov.uk</p>
	<p>Sumdog Maths Contests Term 3:</p> <p>Login to your Sumdog account to take part in the following upcoming Sumdog contests. You can earn certificates and prizes as an individual or for your class and school.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Spring National Maths Contest - 21st-27th March 2025 	<p>Follow this link to login: https://www.sumdog.com/user/sign_in</p> <p>Class teachers can provide login information if required.</p>

- Practice the BSL signs and French phrases shared on the weekly newsletter
- Monitor the news and current affairs, especially if any natural disasters occur around the world
- Read your library books from the school library
- Login to your Sumdog account and play games to practice your mental maths, spelling and grammar *keep times tables sharp
- Visit the learning at home section of our school website for additional ideas - [Learning At Home | Lawhead Primary School and Nursery \(glowscotland.org.uk\)](#)

[The Most Commonly Misspelled Words—With Spelling Tips | Dictionary.com](#)

[What is a preposition? - BBC Bitesize](#)

[Grammar - KS2 English - BBC Bitesize](#)

[Natural Disasters - Our World in Data](#)

[natural disasters - Kids | Britannica Kids | Homework Help](#)