

# Curriculum Newsletter

## Primary 7a

Term 1  
Autumn 2025

Schools across Scotland follow the *Curriculum for Excellence*, which is divided into eight broad curriculum areas.

The curriculum is divided in to different levels →

Pupils in Nursery and P1 generally work within the *Early* level

Pupils in P2, P3 and P4 generally work within the *First* level

Pupils in P5, P6 and P7 generally work within the *Second* level

### Literacy and English

The class will be reading:

Class Novel

*Wonder*

Individual Books

*PM Books*

Our **Reading** focus will be:

Fluency

Comprehension

Predicting

Expression

The genre(s) for our **Writing** focus will be:

Persuasive

We will be looking at features including:

Vocabulary (uplevelling)

Punctuation (complex)

Adverbs

In **Listening and Talking**, we will be developing:

Presenting

Body language

Contributing to discussions

Pace and tone

### Numeracy and Mathematics

Our work in **Numeracy** will include:

Place value (1,000,000+)

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Rounding (1000+)

Our work in **Mathematics** will include:

Patterns (numbers)

Multiples

### Health and Wellbeing

In **PE**, we will be developing our skills in:

Basketball

Other

Our PE days are: Thursday and Friday

**PATHS** is our main programme for delivering **HWB**.

**Relationships, Sexual Health & Parenthood** is taught through RSHP.

Other aspects of **HWB** we will look at this term include:

### Expressive Arts

The **Expressive Arts** are woven across the curriculum.

**Art and design**

Digital

Line drawing

No dance this term

**Dance**

**Drama**

No drama this term

**Music**

Playing percussion

### Religious and Moral Education

This term, we will be learning about the following:

*Seasonal*

A range of religious and cultural events are discussed at our weekly assemblies. We use these opportunities to reflect on our values, and celebrate the diversity of our community.

### Science / Social Subjects

Our interdisciplinary learning (**IDL**) theme for this term is:

Ancient Greece

We will be studying:

The children will be learning about ancient greek mythology, the greek alphabet, the olympic games, Alexander the Great, life in Ancient Greece, architecture and artwork and historic events such as the siege of Troy. Pupils will have the opportunity to compare life then to life now.

### Technologies

Technology is embedded across the curriculum, but we will be developing specific skills and knowledge in:

Communication

Computational thinking

Digital citizenship

**You can learn more about teaching and learning at Wallacewell on our website. On our website you can also keep up to day with in class learning.**

### Other Useful Information

Wallacewell Primary School Website - <https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/gc/wallacewellprimary/>

Wallacewell Primary Family Learning - <https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/gc/familylearningatwallacewellps/>

Relationships, Sexual Health and Parenthood - <https://rshp.scot/>

*Wallacewell Primary operates a cashless system for school meals and extra curricular activities/events.*

*Please ensure you download Parent Pay to order and, where applicable, pay your child's school meals.*

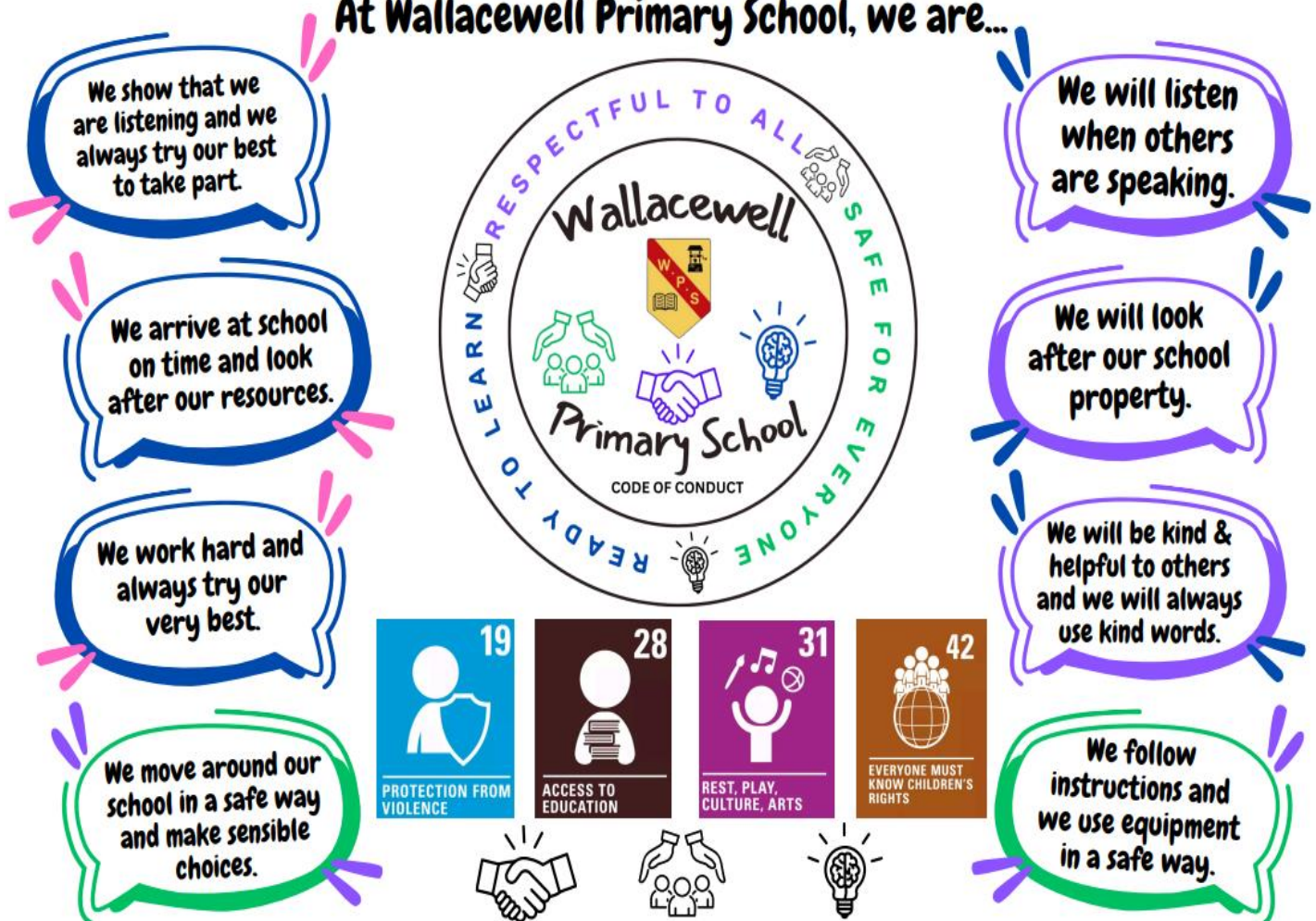
*Parent Pay is also used to pay for extra curricular events such as discos and other educational experiences.*

**Our Whole School Charter is used across the school and has been co-created and agreed by pupils and staff.**

**We encourage families to reinforce our Charter and Code of Conduct (Ready, Respectful, Safe) at home.**

# WHOLE SCHOOL CHARTER

**At Wallacewell Primary School, we are...**



**Our School Values:**



**Further information about our vision, values and aims can be found here -**

**<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/gc/wallacewellprimary/our-school-2/>**