## STEM ebulletin

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Welcome to our e-bulletin for sciences, technologies, engineering and maths (STEM). Please forward to those who may be interested.

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#### **STEM**

- Achievements of women in STEM celebrate <u>Ada Lovelace Day</u>.
- Embed employability skills read the <u>Career Education Standard (3-18)</u>.
- Download new Gender Balance action guides for early learning, primary and secondary.
- £20,000 bursaries announced to encourage recruitment of STEM teachers.
- Work is changing forever! Watch **Speed of Change** video.
- Check out the new suite of Careers Hive STEM videos.

#### **Sciences**

- Check out Explorify for engaging primary science resources to stimulate discussion.
- See the wide range of grants and funding for school and community projects.
- Download <u>Sciences Benchmarks</u> with suggested links to literacy, numeracy and technologies.
- Girls into STEM hear how a student from Scottish Borders got on in New York.
- New on <u>Open Science Lab</u> genetic testing, gas chromatography and mass spectroscopy.

### **Technologies**

- See digital literacy & computing science materials on the new-look Technologies <u>Glow</u> <u>Community</u>.
- Digital Schools Award Scotland <u>Sign up</u> to join nursery, primary, ASN and now secondary schools!
- Blend computing science into art, music and languages.
- Sign up for your free teacher survival <u>Barefoot Computing</u> guide.
- <u>Hello World</u> Digital Making and Computing magazine for educators.
- Discover resources, support and online resources on the Scottish Microsoft Community.
- Sign up to the <u>Apple Educators</u>, <u>Google</u> & <u>Raspberry Pi</u> community news.

#### **Mathematics**

- Scotland's first-ever <u>Maths Week</u> exemplar activities will be shared on National Improvement Hub soon.
- Guardian podcast From zero to infinity: a brief history of counting
- Take part in the 2017 UKMT Primary Team Maths Challenge.