



Primary 7S News

Class Information

Greetings and salutations from Primary 7S! We have had a very busy start to the year with our School Captain elections, our visit to Sky Academy and organisation of our residential trip to Lockerbie on the horizon. As always, thank you for your support as we prepare our children for the next step in their learning journey as they move to High School.

Homework

Homework will be issued on a Monday and should be returned on a Thursday morning. Each week there will be an element of spelling, reading and Sumdog.

Literacy

This term the class will be reading the novel 'Wonder' as a class focus. This looks at the themes of starting somewhere new, feeling different and struggling with friendships. A perfect way to begin our transition to High School! Upon completion of this book the children will be allocated groups with a set group novel / novels. For the first 3 weeks of homework all children will follow the Stage 4/5 spelling program before being allocated specific groupings relevant to their age and the stage of their learning journey.

Numeracy

A big focus this year will be on ensuring that our children are numerate and able to apply their understanding in specific contexts. I have started the year focussing on the 4 number operations and we have started to progress on to making these relevant in real life scenarios. Beyond this, as part of our Outer Maths, children will progress through the North Lanarkshire Pathways. We have begun the term focussed on Data Handling and will then progress on to a focus on Money. Children will be allocated groups to ensure they are being challenged appropriately.

Other Curricular Areas

The class have started the year with the focus of the Scottish Parliament which was the theme used for our Sky Academy visit. Please visit <https://my.skyup.sky//handlers/qr?t=MI NPL> to see their wonderful work. After this we will be focussed on World War 2 before moving towards Christmas related artwork. In the new year we will start by looking at Robbie Burns and preparing for our residential, after this we will have a Space focus before we start the process of Leavers' Assembly prep. It's a quick year! 😊

Please note the above information is subject to change.