

Bun-sgoil Chnoc a' Chonaisg Whinhill Primary School

GP4-7 Newsletter





- · For numeracy, pupils are focusing on their multiplication and division strategies.
- · We will be doing some work on fractions and decimals to increase our confidence.
- · As a class we will be focusing on money and time this term.
- We are looking at subtraction and mental strategies this term to allow pupils to find what works best for them when calculating
- Christmas enterprise activities will incorporate money and timekeeping skills

Litearrachd Literacy

- · This term we will work on persuasive writing.
- We will continue to have creative writing pieces which focus on specific days during the term, for example, Halloween, St. Andrews Day, etc.
- · Writing, spelling and reading will be a week about in English and in Gaelic..
- · We are focusing on close reading skills, reading for information from different sources.
- Our class novel is "The Escape Room" and we will be reading "The Christmasaurus" in December
- · Science will allow children to develop their report writing skills.
- · Animation will develop script writing skills across the

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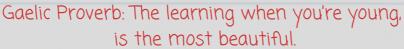
- For November we will be focusing on Achieving from the Wellbeing Indicators, and December will shift to Nurtured.
- Our visible learning planet will be Creative a personal favourite in GP4-7
- For PE this term, we are learning about central net games with a particular focus on badminton, tennis and netball with Mr MacPhee
- We will continue to work on our health and wellbeing through weekly dialogic sessions which focus on different topics, for example, we are unique, judging others, what are our strengths etc.. We watch a short clip which is the stimulus for these discussions.







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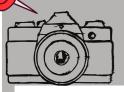
- PE is on a Tuesday and Thursday afternoon, please remember to send pupils in with shorts and polo-shirt.
- Homework grids for animation have been sent home and are due on the 1st of December.

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Important dates

- Christmas parties will be on December 20th for P4/5 and 21st for P6/7
- Christmas Lunch 6th December
- Christmas Market 8th December





Topaig - Beò-dhealbhadh

Topic - Animation

- This term our class topic will be focused on Animation.
- We will be working towards creating a stop-motion clip using different strategies, working in small groups.
- As a class we will look at different animators and animations to discuss style and technique.
- There are specific homework tasks linked to our topic, all pupils have the homework grid already.



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