

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Health and Wellbeing</u></p> <p>This term, we will be learning about different foods and the energy it provides us with by taking part in practical challenges. The Primary 7 pupils will also be involved in transition events to prepare them for the Academy, how exciting!</p> <p>During PE, we will be improving our gymnastic abilities using apparatus in the gymhall. We are very lucky to have Young Sports Leaders from Kilwinning Academy to lead us in team games also.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Literacy</u></p> <p>We will continue to up-level our work using more impressive vocabulary, connectives, sentence openers and punctuation.</p> <p>As a class, we will be learning a Scottish poem: An extract from Tam O Shanter to take part in a Burns Competition. We will also be exploring The Midnight Fair, a wordless book.</p> <p>Primary 6/7 will have an opportunity to plan and present an assembly to an audience in February, which will enhance their listening and talking skills.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Numeracy</u></p> <p>During numeracy lessons, we will be exploring and building on our knowledge of fractions, decimals and percentages. Additionally, we will be working with estimating, scales, areas and perimeters through a focus on measure.</p> <p>Pupils will become more confident in using mental and written strategies for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. We will also continue to revise our times tables to 12.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Social Studies</u></p> <p>Our class topic for this term is China. Throughout this topic, we will be exploring the lifestyle and cultures of citizens in China, and making comparisons to our life in Scotland.</p>	<p><u>Primary 6/7</u> Term 2 Newsletter</p> <p>Class Teacher: Mrs Williamson</p> <p>Main Topic: China</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Religious and Moral Education</u></p> <p>In RME this term, our focus will be 'Rights and Responsibilities', building upon our previous knowledge of our role as Rights Holders under the UNCRC Child Rights. We will look at 'The Garden of Gethsemane m Crucifixion, death and burial around the Easter Story.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Expressive Arts</u></p> <p>We will explore Scottish artists and artwork this term to help Primary 7 prepare for their Burns Supper. We are also going to be creating artwork inspired by Chinese calligraphy and creating line-drawings of famous Chinese landmarks. During music, Miss Duff will be exploring soundscapes by using our wordless book as a stimulus.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Science</u></p> <p>In the Discovery Zone, we will be using simple models to communicate understanding of size, scale, time and relative motion within our solar system. Look out for the photos on Seesaw!</p> <p>We will be learning how to analyse, interpret and evaluate scientific findings.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Technology</u></p> <p>We will be using ICT to aid us with research for our China topic as the pupils will be making fact files. We will also be putting our PowerPoint skills to use to create a presentation.</p> <p>Pupils will continue to use Bug Club online to support learning across literacy and Sumdog to help us with numeracy and maths.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Languages</u></p> <p>We are continuing to progress, as well as revisit and revise, French and Spanish vocabulary. This term we will be looking at numbers to 30 and family members. They will also take part in short conversations to become confident speakers with their peers.</p> <p>In January and February, we will have a focus on Scot's language to help us understand our Scottish poem Tam O Shanter.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>How can you help at home</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensuring your child has appropriate gym kit. • Talk to your child about their learning. • Would love to hear your feedback on our Seesaw posts. • Please encourage reading and times tables practise at home. • Please practice an Extract from Tam O Shanter poem. 	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Important Dates</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Please remember to bring gym kit on a Thursday and Friday. - Our class assembly will be on the 16th February at 9.30am.