Health and Wellbeing	<u>Literacy</u>	Numeracy
In term 2 the pupils will enjoy refining their skills in gymnastics while using the apparatus. We will also be enjoying creative dance working on flexibility, balance and co-ordination. Primary 7 will be looking at the different factors that can affect and influence people's food choices.	We will study some work by Robert Burns in the run up to our Burns Supper. We will translate old Scots poems and have a go at reciting them too. We will try to create our own poems and also write biographies before attempting our own autobiographies – have the tissues ready because they're growing up fast! You will notice class reading books coming home, please ensure your child completes the related homework tasks.	We will be focusing on money and finance topics where we will try to use the related vocabulary. We will discuss when products are actually good value for money and we will use what we learn to help us with our mini enterprise topic – the Burns Supper. We will also continue to take part in daily practise of the 4 operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division – feel free to teat each other at home!)
Social Studies At the start of this term will take a look back at history and life of Robert Burns. Our main topic this term will be Japan. I am keen to get the pupils' ideas on different aspects of the country to explore. We will make comparisons with Scotland and will hopefully engage with a partner school.	<u>Primary 7</u> Term 2 Newsletter Class Teacher: Mrs Meechan / Miss Duff Main Topic: Japan	Religious and Moral Education As we approach the Easter holidays, we will be building on previous learning about the Easter story more specifically the resurrection and appearances of Jesus. We will also explore story of Jesus appearing to Mary Magdalene.
Expressive Arts We are looking forward to showing off our Scottish dancing at the Burns Supper and hope that some of you will join in with us! We will also be learning Scottish songs. As we move further into the term, we will be making Japanese style artwork.	Science In the discovery zone, we will be learning about the solar system - more specifically the relationships between the planets. We will then move on to studying germs and diseases and will hopefully get to make use of the microscopes and feel like real scientists!	Technology We will look at refining our internet searches in to help us complete specific topic tasks. Pupils will also consider the reliability of different websites, quality of information and user friendliness. They will also begin to reference websites when using their information to produce reports.
Languages In Term 2, Primary 7 will continue to practise Spanish through daily routines. For French, we will learn body parts, how to describe people's appearances (such as eye and hair colour) and how to speak about our hobbies.	 How can you help at home Ensuring your child has appropriate gym kit i.e. shorts, t-shirt and trainers. Jewellery should not be worn during gym sessions (earrings can be taped). Ask your child about their reading book – can they summarise the section they have just read? 	Important Dates - Please remember to bring gym kit on a Monday and Friday. Burns Supper on 30 th January at the Love Hall.