



MOSSEND PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY CLASS

WHERE STARS SHINE
BRIGHTER



ROOM 14 PRIMARY 5

WELCOME TERM 2



CLASS NEWSLETTER

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Summary since September

Hello and welcome to our second newsletter.

Since September the children have been learning, practising and developing their multiplication skills. This has helped them in their study of division and equations. They have also been measuring using a variety of instruments and converting metres to cm and vice versa.

The children are now in specific Reading groups and have almost finished their first independent novel of this session.

They are learning how to organize information to write reports and have written a number of poems.

All of the children are performing well in their weekly spelling tests.

In French, they can now say simple facts about themselves, their families and the weather. They can say and write the date and count up to 39.



Summary Continued . .

The children no longer work with Miss Mill, but do Health and PE with Miss Tosunoglu on Tuesday afternoons. They have also been studying the importance of good sleep habits with Miss McLean and produced information posters which are displayed around the school. They are improving their stamina and fitness by doing weekly circuit training and recording their results. They are studying The Romans and can read and write numbers using Roman numerals. They have used chalk pastels to create polar bear pictures. They continue to practise a positive mindset philosophy in all that they do.

Wider Achievements

The children strive to achieve class dojo points daily through their hard work, effort, attitude and behaviour. These are counted every week and the winner receives a certificate at Friday assembly. A weekly certificate is also given to a child in each class who has displayed positive mindset qualities. Room 14 has won the weekly Power Up award in recognition of good behaviour and manners outwith the classroom. These are awarded by adults throughout the school. We are hoping to get a second award soon!



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What we are learning next

Next term in Maths the children will study multiples, factors and primes; fractions and decimals; number patterns and area.

We will be reading non-fiction books as well as novels and the children will be learning to write Explanations as well as narrative stories.

We will be studying and investigating the culture and customs of another country.

All classes will be forming focus groups which will look at ways the children can become involved in practically improving some aspect of the school environment such as the playground, waste management, health etc. and we will provide further information on this next term.

Other class specific information (PE Days, Glow Information, homework etc)

All children now have their glow usernames and passwords and have access to Teams and class notebook. Their homework will continue to be accessed through Teams.

PE days are currently Mondays and Thursdays. Any future changes would be announced after the Christmas holiday.



Christmas Messages/Activities/Enterprise

The children have had a different but enjoyable Christmas experience this year. They had Christmas dinner in their classrooms, a virtual pantomime and a party with food, games and fun. No dancing, which pleased some of them!! They have worked hard to learn a new Christmas song and perform this on video for our service. They have participated in Christmas puzzles, quizzes, crafts and activities. We made our own class advent calendar and had fun guessing what picture lay behind each door. I hope you all have the best time this Christmas and a happy, safe holiday.



You can contact your child's teacher directly by emailing enquiries@mossend.n-lanark.sch.uk. Please mark it for their attention and allow a few days for replies during normal school hours

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