

# Noble Primary School

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## January 2020 NEWSLETTER

Our shared vision: Working together to create a nurturing, inclusive, rights respecting community, where learning is exciting, challenging and relevant.



### Head Teacher's Message

Dear Parents,

Happy New Year! January is already shaping up to be a busy month here at Noble Primary School. Staff have already begun work on their planning for the third term, and there are lots of exciting opportunities and visits being organised to support learning.

I am also looking forward to welcoming our new P1 parents next week as part of our P1 enrolment. Children who attain the age of 5 years between 1 March 2020 and 28 February 2021 should be registered. Please bring a copy of your child's birth certificate and proof of address in the form of the current council tax bill. The enrolment days and times are as follows:

Mon 13th	Jan 2020	1.30pm - 2.30pm
Tues 14th	Jan 2020	9.30am - 10.30am
Wed 15th	Jan 2020	1.30pm - 2.30pm
Thurs 16th	Jan 2020	3.00pm - 4pm

Thank you for your continued support,

Yours sincerely,

Mr Daniel Murray  
Head Teacher

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### REMINDER:

Due to allergies, Noble Primary School is a nut free school. No products containing nuts should be brought to school. This includes Nutella and other hazelnut spreads.

[www.noble.n-lanark.sch.uk](http://www.noble.n-lanark.sch.uk)

### Raising Attainment in Literacy

We are delighted to welcome back Mrs Margaret Ewing, Literacy Support Teacher, to our staff team this term. Mrs Ewing will be working with classes and groups of children during literacy time to help us raise attainment in reading and writing. This support will remain until the end of term 3 and hopefully continue into term 4.



### Scottish Week 27<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> January 2020

Class Teachers are in the process of planning Scottish Week activities for their class. All classes will be learning about an aspect of Scottish culture.

### Scottish Assembly - 31<sup>st</sup> January 2020

P6b (Mrs Montgomery) will be leading a Scottish Assembly on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January. All of the children can add something tartan to their uniform that day if they wish. More details about this will be shared nearer the time.

### Primary 7 Art and Home Economics Transition Programme

Starting next week, Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> January, Primary 7 will begin additional transition visits to Bellshill Academy. Building on their recent Science CSI project, the children will spend a few weeks in the Art and Home Economics Department. The children will be escorted to the Academy by staff and parent helpers, and will be back in time for lunch. Please return your child's consent form if you have not already done so.

### Sharing the Learning

Your child's jotters will be sent home on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> January. This is an opportunity for you to discuss with them, their progress to date. We would ask you to ensure that all jotters are returned the very next day. Thanks in advance.

### PE Days

All classes receive 2 hours of PE per week. All children are required to participate and should come prepared with appropriate kit.

PE days are as follows:

Class	Days
P1a	Tuesday, Friday
P1b	Tuesday, Wednesday
P2	Monday, Tuesday
P3/2	Monday, Wednesday
P4/3	Tuesday, Thursday
P4	Wednesday, Friday
P5/4	Monday, Wednesday
P5	Monday, Thursday
P6a	Tuesday, Thursday
P6b	Wednesday, Thursday
P7	Tuesday, Thursday

### Reminder: Health and Safety

As part of our policy, children should not wear any loose fitting clothing, dangling earrings and other potentially dangerous jewellery.

All items of jewellery should be removed prior to any PE lesson.

**Earrings which can't be removed, should be covered with a plaster.**

## School Calendar

Please note, dates and times are subject to change.

### Calendar of Events 2020

Event	Date	Time
<b>P1 Enrolments</b>	13 <sup>th</sup> , 14 <sup>th</sup> , 15, 16 <sup>th</sup> Jan	Various
<b>P4 visit to Science Centre</b>	Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> Jan	All day
<b>P7 Art Transition Begins</b>	Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> Jan Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> Jan Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> Jan	10:45 - 12:15
<b>Netball and Football Festival</b>	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> Jan	(am)
<b>SSPCA Visit to all classes</b>	Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> Jan	All day
<b>P6 Scottish Assembly</b>	Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> Jan	(am)
<b>P7 Home Economics Transition Begins</b>	Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> Feb Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> Feb Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> Feb	(am)
<b>February Holidays</b>	Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> Feb Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Holiday
<b>Inservice Days</b>	Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> Feb Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> Feb	School closed to pupils