

Noble Primary School

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Head Teacher's Message



Dear Parents,

We have now entered into our third planning term at Noble Primary School. Next week, during the inservice days, we will be working collegiately with Bellshill Academy Cluster schools around assessment and moderation. We will also be looking more closely at the Curriculum for Excellence refresh guidance to complete some self-evaluation. This will inform our school improvement plan for next session.

Our Rights Respecting Schools Ambassadors have organised an 'Odd Sock Day' for Friday 14th February. This is an opportunity for our children to dress down, wear odd socks and celebrate diversity. We will also be revisiting our core value of respect through our assembly that day.

Finally, a reminder that school is closed on Monday 10th February, Tuesday 11th February and there will be inservice training on Wednesday 12th February and Thursday 13th February. Pupils should return to school on Friday 14th February. Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Daniel Murray'.

Mr Daniel Murray
Head Teacher



P6b Scottish Assembly

On Friday 31st January, P6b led our Scottish Assembly, to mark the end of Scottish Week at Noble. The children worked extremely hard to present interesting facts about famous Scottish Inventors, recite some poetry in the Scots language and intertwine all of this with some drama and songs. We are very proud of each and every one of you. Well done!

After School Clubs for this Term

We continue with the following after school clubs this term. Please let us know in advance if your child cannot attend.

What?	Stage	Time	Dates
Rugby	P5-6	3pm - 4pm	Monday 20 th January to Monday 23 rd March
Football	P5-7	3pm - 4pm	Tuesday 4 th February to Tuesday 17 th March
Running	P3-4	3pm - 4pm	Thursday 23 rd January to Thursday 19 th March
Netball	P6-7	3pm - 4pm	Friday 17 th January to Friday 13 th March

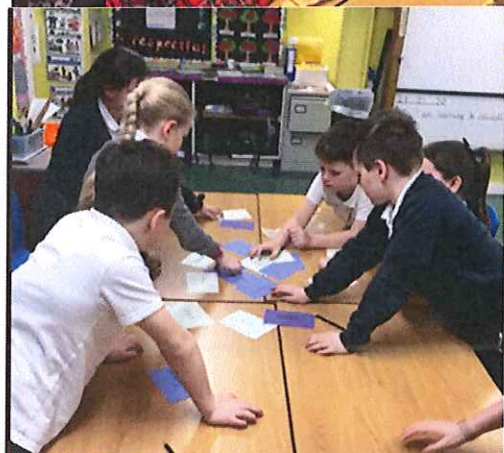
Scottish Week at Noble Primary School: Monday 27th to Friday 31st January 2020

We hope we kept you up to date on Twitter with all of the wonderful learning opportunities on offer during Scottish Week. Here are some of the activities below:

Scottish Art



Saltire



Scottish Art



Scottish Language



Scottish Food



Scottish Music

School Dinner Money

We would ask that parents check their child's iPay account regularly, to ensure that your child has enough funds to cover their tuck and/or lunch options. To access your child's iPay account, please use the link below:

www.northlanarkshire.gov.uk/schoolpayments

If you have forgotten your login details please contact the office on 01698 274907 and a letter with the relevant information will be sent home with your child.

Odd Sock Day

Our Rights Ambassadors are organising an Odd Sock Day on Friday 14th February to support Respect Me Day to celebrate diversity and anti-bullying. Staff and pupils can dress down and wear odd socks (strictly no football colours) as an alternative to school uniform.



Fairtrade Fortnight

Mrs O'Neill and Miss Shields have been planning Fairtrade Fortnight with their Making a Difference Group. All classes will be learning about Fairtrade over the next two weeks commencing Monday 24th February.

World Book Day "Pyjama Party"

We are celebrating World Book Day on Friday 6th March. We would like to ask the children to dress in their onesie/pyjamas and bring along their favourite bedtime story book (no slippers and no football colours as per NLC Policy).



CHILD SAFETY

School Boundary Safety

We would ask parents who wish to talk with a pupil during breaktimes comes to the main office and your child will be brought to you. The adults in the playground are there to ensure the childrens safety and will report any adult presence at our boundary fences.



Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Spark

The Spark counsellor, Haley Clifford, has moved to a new position in Edinburgh and we wish her well in her new role. The new counsellor, Sinead Rowe, will join us at the end of February to continue the fantastic work with our pupils.

Clothing

We would remind you to write you child/ren's name on all clothing. This enables us to return any items of clothing to the appropriate children with ease.

At the end of June 2019 there was eight black bin bags full of sweatshirts, jumpers, cardigans and jackets that had been left in the school.

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Head Lice

As always, we would recommend that you check your child's hair regularly for head lice. Please take the time to check your child's hair and, if necessary, treat them before they return to school. Further advice is available from our School Nurse, Helen Scott, on 01698810171 or speak to your local pharmacist.



Staff Car Park

Please remember that our car park is extremely busy in the morning. Our school is used for NLC training courses, Speech and Language Therapists and NL Development Officers working in the Learning Hub (Formerly known as the Literacy Base) as well as Noble Primary School staff. We ask that parents DO NOT park on the yellow lines in the car park or assigned car parking spaces. Our

children's safety is our number one priority.

School Calendar

Please note, dates and times are subject to change.

Calendar of Events 2020

Event	Date	Time
P7 Home Economics Transition	Tuesday 18 th Feb Tuesday 25 th Feb	(am)
Girls Football Festival	Friday 7 th Feb	(am)
February Holidays	Monday 10 th Feb Tuesday 11 th Feb	Holiday
Inservice Days	Wednesday 12 th Feb Thursday 13 th Feb	School closed to pupils
Football & Netball Festival	Friday 14 th Feb	(am)
Odd Sock Day	Friday 14 th Feb	
P1 & P7 Dental Inspections	Monday 17 th Feb	full day
P5/4 visit to Cumbernauld Museum	Wednesday 19 th Feb	full day
Fairtrade Fortnight	Week beginning 24 th Feb	
World Book Day	Friday 6 th March	
P4 visit to Bellshill Mosque	Monday 9 th March	(am)
P7 Kilbowie visit	Monday 16 th to Friday 20 th March	
Parent Council Disco	Wednesday 1 st April	
P5 visit to New Lanark	Thursday 2 nd April	full day