



# Noble Primary School

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



## March Update 2021

### Red Nose Day

Thanks to your generosity, we raised an incredible £232 for Red Nose Day on Friday. During our assembly, we learned more about the work of Comic Relief and how the money we raised will be used to help children and their families across the UK. If your child has still money to donate, please give it to a member of staff in the playground.



### P1 and P2 Wellies

We have now identified a safe place to store wellies for outdoor learning. The children in Primaries 1 and 2 can bring a pair of wellies to store in school from tomorrow. Wellies should be brought in a bag with your child's name written on it, please ensure the name is on the inside of the boots if not we will write it on to avoid any confusion. The boots will have to remain in school due to Covid restrictions.



### Pupil Progress Discussions - Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2021

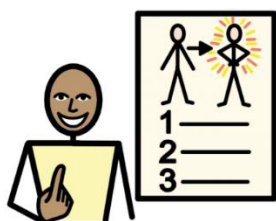
Teachers will be making phone calls to discuss your child's progress on Wednesday. If you have not booked a time, please contact the school office.



## Curriculum Focus

We are delighted to have all of our children back in the school building. The curricular focus all classes over the next few weeks continues to be first and foremost, wellbeing, literacy and numeracy. Throughout the recent lockdown, teaching staff continued to plan progressive learning opportunities for all children. Teachers are using a range of assessments to continue to plan progressive learning. We are looking forward to discussing your child's learning and progress with you on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2021.

## Earth Hour – 27<sup>th</sup> March 2021



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As part of our whole school focus on Eco and children's rights, we will be encouraging all of our families to take part in Earth Hour on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2021 between 8.30pm - 9.30pm. The children will be learning about this in their classes this week.

<https://www.earthhour.org/take-part>

## Holidays

### Spring Break

The spring holidays begin on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> April until Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April.

It is an early finish for all stages. Those classes that finish at 2.50pm will finish at 2.20pm and those classes finishing at 3pm will finish at 2.30pm. We look forward to welcoming all of the children back to school on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April at their starting time of 8.50am or 9.00am.



### Holidays and In-service Days

May Day holiday: Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> May

In-service day: Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> May

May weekend holiday: Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May and Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May

### School Meals

You will have received the letter from North Lanarkshire Council noting the increase in the price of a school meal. More information about the service can be found on the website: [www.northlanarkshire.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school-meals](http://www.northlanarkshire.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school-meals)

### House Captains' Walking Challenge - March into March

We have launched a walking challenge on your child's class team. We hope that as



many of the children will take part. At the end of the week, your child should upload their steps and distance walked on the Microsoft form link in their Team or on Twitter. The House that has covers the greatest distance will win a small prize. More details can be found on your child's MS Team or on Twitter. Good luck!

### Nursery to Primary 1

Enrolment of pre-school children for Primary 1 took place in January as normal, however, this had to be completed online rather than in person. Due to current restrictions and circumstances, we will have to make alternative arrangements for transition events until such times that we are permitted visitors into the building. However, if we are given permission for this in good time, we will certainly be in touch to make the necessary arrangements.

In the meantime, we have written to all of our P1 families to welcome them to Noble Primary School. We will be organising a virtual meeting with parents after the spring break using the application Webex. This will be an opportunity for parents to ask any questions about the school and for us to discuss our transition plans. Invitations will be sent to the email address registered at enrolment. A date for this event will be confirmed at the end of the week.