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



May 2023 Newsletter

Message from the Head Teacher



Dear Parent/Carer,

Can you believe we are now a week into the month of May? This is an extremely busy month for the school so I would recommend keeping this newsletter handy for reference to dates and times etc. This month also has a big focus on transition for our pre-school pupils into our school and our P7s, who are now in their final term at Noble Primary School!

Next week, our new Primary 1 children will be making one of their first official visits to the school and working in our classrooms. We are really looking forward to making them feel welcome and part of our wonderful community.

Afterschool clubs continue to run for various stages in our school and continue to be well attended. Outdoor learning blocks also continue this month. Arrangements were sent out in a separate letter; however, I have added all of these dates at the back of the newsletter for reference purposes. For weekly updates, please be sure to follow us on Twitter or check our website. For this month, we will also send our weekly What's On through email and will look for feedback on whether this has been useful to you.

In the meantime, if there's anything we can assist with, please do not hesitate to contact us at school.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Daniel Murray
Head Teacher

Article 17

I have the right to get information in lots of ways, so long as it's safe



Article 17 of the UNCRC says children and young people should be able to access information, particularly from the media. They should be able to get information from many places—from their country and beyond.

ACTIVITY TIME

All these activities are related to...



Your right to be safe and protected is always important, including when you use the internet. Can you think of three top tips for staying safe online? Use thinkuknow.co.uk to help. Discuss this with adults in your house or share with your class.

Play a game of 'Two Truths and a Lie' in class or at home. Just like on the internet, it's not always easy to tell when something is true, is it? Draw a poster to explain why truth is important.

Imagine there was no internet, computers, mobile phones and other devices! An older family member will be able to remember a time like this. If you can talk to them and then describe what life would be like for children, at school and at home. You can write this down or discuss it with somebody.

How many of these apps are you familiar with?

Age Restrictions for Social Media Platforms

What is the minimum age for account holders on these social media sites and apps?

Under 13	13+	16+	17+
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Roblox PopJam FaceTime 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Twitter Facebook and Messenger Viber WeChat Monkey Yubo Dubsmash Instagram 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> TikTok Skype Google Hangouts Reddit Snapchat Pinterest 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WhatsApp Telegram Messenger Tumblr
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Line Sarahah Tellonym

Sourced from NSPCC website October 2019

Assemblies and Showcases

Class	Assembly	Date
P2/3	Eco Theme	25 th May 2023
P7	Leavers' Assembly	21 st June 2023

Class	Showcase - Linked to curricular learning	Date
P1	The Snail and the Whale - Journeys	17 th May 2023
P2/1	Explorers	18 th May 2023
P6	The Titanic	25 th May 2023
P7/6	Glasgow and Edinburgh	31 st May 2023
P7	Space - The Solar System	23 rd March 2023

We will confirm arrangements for assemblies and showcases nearer the time. Class showcases will usually be in the afternoon 1:45pm to 2:45pm.





We are delighted to have achieved the Bronze Sports' Award from Sport Scotland at the end of March. The Sport Scotland Award framework supports schools to promote active, healthy lifestyles for all our children. Next session, we will be organising a Sports' Committee to drive forward this agenda within our school, hopefully achieving Silver by the end of the year.

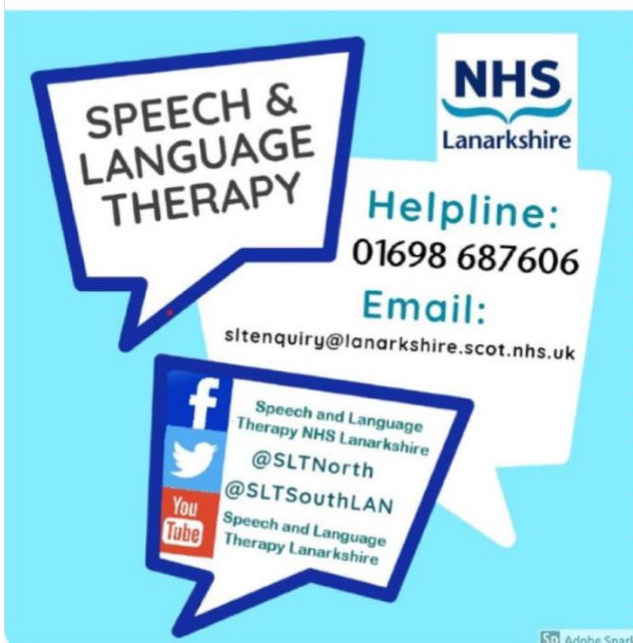
We're very excited to begin this journey together.



Noble PS @Noble_PS · Apr 21
 Delighted to be acknowledged as being a Breast Feeding Friendly School #breastfeedingfriendlyscotland @NHSLanarkshire @NHSLHI



SLT NORTH LANARKSHIRE @SLTNorth · Apr 28
 Do you have concerns about your child's or a child you work with speech, language, communication and/or eating and drinking skills? You can contact the Speech and Language Therapy team via our helpline on 01698 687606 or email SLTenquiry@lanarkshire.scot.nhs.uk



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 Successful Learners Confident Individuals... Effective Contributors... Responsible Citizens*

CSI Experience & Bellshill Academy Transition Programme

Primary 7 will be participating in the CSI Project at Bellshill Academy on the following dates:

Wednesday 3rd May 9:20am - 10:20am
 Wednesday 10th May 9:20am - 10:20am
 Wednesday 17th May 9:20am - 10:20am



Pupils will be escorted to and from the Academy by Noble staff and must wear their full school uniform.

Parent/Pupil Information Event at Bellshill Academy

On Tuesday 23rd of May, there will be an information session for P7s and parents at 6pm in Bellshill Academy. The event will finish around 7pm.

Two Day Transition Visit to Bellshill Academy

The P7 to S1 transition days will be Wednesday 24th & Thursday 25th May. Pupils should make their own way to Bellshill Academy for 8.55am and will then be dismissed from the Academy at 3.00pm and make their own way home at the end of the day.

Outdoor Learning Arrangements



Outdoor Learning Block		
Classes	Day	Dates
P1 & P2/1	Thursday	4 th May, 11 th May, 25 th May, 1 st June, 8 th June, 22 nd June
P3/2 & P3	Tuesday	9 th May, 16 th May, 23 rd May, 30 th May, 6 th June, 13 th June
P4 & P4/5	Wednesday	3 rd May, 10 th May, 17 th May, 24 th May, 31 st May, 7 th June
P5 & P7/6	Friday	5 th May, 12 th May, 19 th May, 2 nd June, 9 th June, 16 th June
P6 & P7	Monday	15 th May, 22 nd May, 5 th June, 12 th June, 19 th June

After School Clubs at Noble Primary

Day	Club	Organised by	Dates
Monday	P3 Football	Active Schools	24 th April, 15 th , 22 nd May, 5 th , 12 th , 19 th June
Wednesday	P1 & P2 Multisport	Active Schools	3 rd , 10 th , 17 th , 24 th , 31 st May, 7 th , 14 th , 21 st June
Thursday	P4 Dance/Gymnastics	Active Schools	27 th April, 4 th , 11 th , 18 th , 25 th May
Thursday	P4/5 & P5 Dance/Gymnastics	Active Schools	1 st , 8 th , 15 th , 22 nd June

Primary 7 Leavers Hoodies

Our Primary 7 children were given their leavers hoodies this week and now wear them as part of their uniform.



Noble Sports' Day

Friday 19th May 2023

9:30am

See separate letter for details.

School Calendar

Please note, dates and times are subject to change.

Calendar of Events 2022 - 2023

Event	Date(s)	Time
New P1 Stay and Play	Wednesday 10 th May, Tuesday 16 th May, Wednesday 24 th May, Friday 9 th June	See letter for arrangements.
P7 CSI	Various	am
St Andrew's Hospice World of Work Talks (all stages)	Thursday 11 th May	am
P7 Football Festival	Thursday 11 th May	am
Parent Council	Monday 15 th May	6:15pm
World of Work Week	Week beginning 15 th May	All week
P1 Class Showcase	Wednesday 17 th May	1:45pm
P4 Meet Your River Day	Thursday 18 th May	am
P2/1 Class Showcase	Thursday 18 th May	1:45pm
Sports' Day	Friday 19 th May	am
Bellshill Academy Parent/Pupil Event	Tuesday 23 rd May	6pm - 7pm
P7 Transition Days to Bellshill Academy	Wednesday 24 th May Thursday 25 th May	All day
P2/3 Assembly	Thursday 25 th May	9:30am
P6 Titanic Class Showcase	Thursday 25 th May	1:45pm
Holiday Weekend	Friday 26 th and Monday 29 th May	School Closed
Valley View Adventure Park P1, P2/1 and P3/2	Wednesday 31 st May	All day
P7/6 Class Showcase	Wednesday 31 st May	1:45pm