

Interdisciplinary Context for Learning

This term, P6 will be taking part in the Scottish Engineering Leaders Award with Strathclyde University. This is a fantastic opportunity for the class to engage in their learning and promotes creativity, problem solving skills and a chance to interact within real life situations. There are many reasons why engineering and technology matters at primary level, but the main one is that through its practical nature. Engineering gives children the opportunity to put maths, science and design technology theory into practice in a way that cements their learning.

Trips

Primary 6 will be visiting the Sky Academy Skills Studio on Monday 13th of February. The trip will focus of the World of Money and the children will get to take part in the various roles needed to create and produce a news report.



P6 & Miss Gourlay

Welcome back and Happy New Year! **There is lots of exciting learning happening in P6. Please check out our website**
<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/pk/couparangusprimaryschool/>

Language/Literacy

Primary 6 will continue to take part in the Daily 5 in class, which aims to boost learning in Spelling, Writing and Reading. The children will also work with Mrs Canning and will have a focus on Letter Writing and Instruction Writing this term.

Maths/Numeracy

The class will be learning about Money; Money problems (i.e. finding out best deal etc.), Investigating links between work and money and also understanding the costs, benefits and risks of using bank cards to purchase goods or obtain cash and realise that budgeting is important. The class will also be learning about Fractions, decimals and percentages and how they link together. We will learn how these areas influence our daily lives.

Homework

Literacy Circles in Reading – Task will be completed weekly to be returned on Monday.

Maths – Handed out and returned Tuesday.

The IDL Grid will begin after the Mid-term break.

PE

Monday and Thursday – please ensure your child/children have their PE kit at all times. We will be learning Ball Skills linked to Netball/Basketball this term.

P6 will also be teaching the P1's Scottish Country Dancing and working on their leadership skills.

Science/ Technology

With the reintroduction of the ICT suite, the children will have the opportunity to carry out individual research into various areas of engineering. The children will also focus this term of Internet Safety and ways to Stay Safe Online.

We will also be carrying out science experiments throughout the term that link in with our Engineering context for learning.