



What are we learning this term?

Language & Literacy	Social Studies	Health & Wellbeing	Religious & Moral
<p>This term we will focus on- Writing a recount and developing our imaginative writing skills with a focus on character and dialogue, using our Talk for Writing programme. Using contractions, commas, adjectives and nouns through our grammar work. Focusing on the reading strategies synthesising, inferring and summarising and paraphrasing. Reading with fluency and expression. Further developing our Active Spelling strategies. In French and BSL we will focus on food and classroom objects.</p>	<p>We will be learning about Scotland through our mini topic- 'The Ceilidh' and about Robert Burns and his poetry.</p> <p>This term we will also focus on 'International Inventions that changed the world! -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We will look at a variety of inventors, and their work. • We will discuss and identify the influence of their actions, then and since on society. <p>*Compare our lives to those living in the past.</p>	<p>In PE, we will be developing skills through possession games in basketball and netball, and athletics.</p> <p>We will be applying skills in games ensuring we are following the rules and communicating well.</p> <p>We will develop our knowledge of the importance of being active, respected and responsible. We will focus on recognising our own and others feelings and how to ask for help when needed.</p> <p>In addition, we will also be further developing our understanding of children's rights as a Rights Respecting School.</p>	<p>Our focus this term will be on Buddhism and associated festivals and celebrations, including Nirvana Day.</p> <p>We will further develop our understanding of values such as caring, sharing, fairness, equality and love.</p> <p>Later in the term, we will look at aspects of Easter, focusing on Easter symbols.</p>
<p>Numeracy & Mathematics</p> <p>This term, we will further develop our agility skills using Number Talks. We will also be developing skills in-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multiplication & Division • P3 2,3,4,5,10 x tables • P4 all tables and by 10/ 100) • Patterns • Fractions • 2D shape and 3D objects • Applying numeracy skills in a variety of contexts across the curriculum. 	<p>Technologies</p> <p>We will be using our ICT skills to enhance our learning across the curriculum.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We will also develop our use of- • How technology especially computers has developed. • Designing our own inventions • Microsoft packages, coding and Sphero Indi • Food technology • Internet safety 	<p>Science</p> <p>In science, we will be investigating Forces, Electricity and Waves.</p> <p>We will focus on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Different types of energy around us and their importance to everyday life • Identifying components and building circuits. • Combining simple components in a series circuit to make a model. • Investigating forces on toys and other magnetic objects, predicting the effect it will have. 	<p>Expressive Arts</p> <p>In art, we will develop our skills using mixed media. We will create Scots inspired art for the Burns Competition and develop skills in painting and colour looking at Scottish artist Samuel Peploe.</p> <p>In drama, we will use our Scots poem as a stimulus for role play and develop our performance skills. We will also achieve this through learning and performing our class assembly.</p> <p>In music, we will be developing our performance skills learning songs for our assembly, and for our Easter service.</p>

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Read a variety of books for pleasure!		Research some famous international inventors.			Who is influential in your life?
Read your class reading book.		Identify how many items in your home were made by different inventors!		Keep a diary of your daily activity- challenge yourself to do at least 30mins per day.	
Read your favourite story to someone else.		Create your own invention.		Go outside and play!	Talk to people at home about the qualities of a good friend. Why is caring, sharing and helping others important to you?
Write a thankyou letter to someone.		Make a poster of your invention, showing what it is, what it does, and the difference it will make to daily life.		Talk to a parent or carer about the importance of being active and keeping our bodies healthy.	Make an Easter card for someone in your family or organise an Easter egg hunt.
Watch Newsround.		Make up your own ceilidh dance and teach it to your family.		Learn a new sport or skill (knitting, painting, running etc)	Have an Easter egg competition- paint your own eggs. The more adventurous, the better!
Practise your spelling words using active spelling strategies.		Practise your Scottish poem at home in front of an audience.			Go to the library and read/research about different religions and cultures.
 Numeracy & Mathematics	 Technologies	Science		Expressive Arts	
Practise the multiplication tables or create a board game to help you learn them.	Discuss internet safety with people at home.	Record how many journeys you make and try to walk, cycle or scooter on as many as you can.		Visit a gallery or museum.	
Create a division poster to display in the classroom.	Discuss age restrictions on social media and why we have these.	Try to reduce the amount of plastic packaging in your lunchbox/ snack.		Keep a sketch book of places you visit.	
Practise quick fire mental maths addition, subtraction, multiplication and division on a whiteboard with a partner.	Write a story using the microphone function on Google Docs.	Try to reduce the amount of energy you are using at home- switch off lights etc.	Visit the Science Centre.	Perform your Scots poem to your family.	
Practise using your Number Talks strategies for addition and subtraction.	Make 3D models of inventions with a variety of recycled materials.			Remember the actions!	
Play a maths game on Top Marks or Sumdog.	Create a presentation about a famous inventor and their invention.			Paint, draw and be creative.	
 Home Learning Opportunities				Visit the Robert Burns Birthplace Museum in Alloway.	

Here are some activities for you to try at home!