The Jacobites

This term we are learning about the Jacobites and the rebellions of the '45. P6 have only just started this topic but they are already really enjoying it and have had lots of great ideas!

P6 are very excited to continue with this project. If you have any resources or books at home that you wouldn't mind us borrowing throughout this topic please feel free to send them in with your child.

Primary 6 Project

As part of their topic homework Primary 6 have been asked to complete a project on a Historic Scot. The guidelines can be found inside your child's homework jotter.

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Diary Dates

Burns assembly 24th January

February Holiday Monday 17th and Tuesday 18th February

> Back to School 19th February

Famous Historic Scot Project Deadline 20th February.

Commonwealth Master class 20^{th} February

50th Anniversary Celebration week 31st March to 4th April

Homework

At the start of this new term I would like to invite parents to read and sign the Murrayfield Primary School homework agreement. Expectations from homework will be significantly higher as the children move into this new term. Children should be set tasks which they can complete during the evening and these should take no longer than 30 minutes.

We feel that this will act as a step up as they move into secondary school. I hope you will support your child through the tasks they have been set each week. If you have any concerns please feel free to contact me through the school.

BOOK BUDDIES

Over the past few months we have been sharing the Scottish Children's Book Award 3-7 category with Primary 1F. P6 have really enjoyed sharing these books and it has really boosted their confidence when they are reading aloud. It has also helped Primary 6 understand how to use 'effective questioning' to help someone understand a text. P6 are really excited to be carrying on this project and we hope to be sharing lots more picture books with our buddies!