



Welcome to our February newsletter!

I would like to say how well I have settled into working with Primary 7/6 at Murrayfield Primary School and I look forward to meeting you all in the coming months at assemblies and parents evenings!

Mrs Mackie

Remember our PE days are Wednesday with Mr Benyon and Friday with Mrs Mackie. Please ensure your child has their gym shoes and kit in school on these days!

Within Literacy we are going to be working hard on our reading, writing and comprehension skills between now and Easter. We will be visiting the school library on Thursdays so your child will have the opportunity to choose a fiction or non-fiction book to read for enjoyment in school and at home.

The Jacobites

We have started learning about the Jacobites and in particular the period between 1688 and 1746. We have really enjoyed our research so far and are going to be working alongside Primary 6 during our interdisciplinary topic afternoon each Thursday. We will be working in mixed groups to combine our skills and abilities through Expressive Arts, Health and Wellbeing and JCT. If you have any books or artefacts we could use within class then please send them in.

Homework

We are now using new homework jotters to keep all of our work together and to keep track of our progression within each area. Our topic project – researching about a famous Scot from History – is now underway. The guidelines for this are in your child's jotter and I'm looking forward to reading them after the completion date of <u>20th February</u>.