



P5 Burns Display

Dear Parents/Carers,

Happy New Year!! We have been busy learning all about Robert Burns and sharing our learning. We enjoyed working with P3, P4 and P5/4 to create and perform a fantastic Assembly!



### Interdisciplinary

We really enjoyed learning more about, the climate crisis, pollution and the effect our actions have on Planet Earth. Our topic finale was a superb series of debates arguing for and against Wind Power and Nuclear Power.

This term we will explore the issues that surrounded the Scottish Wars of Independence, following key figures in Scottish history such as Robert the Bruce and William Wallace. A trip to Stirling Castle will help us understand why Stirling was so important and worth fighting over on so many occasions.

Lucky Primary 5 have also been selected to participate in Creative Music Making. The children will work with artists to develop their musical skills, explore new ideas, grow in confidence and self-esteem and, above all, enjoy themselves!!



### Reading

The class novel this term will be 'Braveheart' by Randall Wallace. This and Literacy Circle novels will help to develop our understanding, evaluating and analysing skills.



### Maths and Numeracy

In Numeracy this term we will concentrate on Multiplication and Division. Homework will always reflect the learning that takes place in class. Our class Maths topic is measure through which we will explore length, weight and capacity.



### Writing

Through our Scottish Wars of Independence topic we will explore the different elements writers use to create stories, poems and plays with interesting characters and settings which come to life. This will include diary entries, biographies and imaginative stories of battles and conquests.



### PE

This term children will be developing our Gymnastic and Netball skills. Our gym days will remain as Monday and Tuesday.

Many thanks  
Mrs Anderson

