

Primary 6K

Happy New Year to all our families!

We've had an exciting and busy start to the year with preparations for our Burn's Supper and the children are working really hard to learn their parts.

We have all set our goals for the year ahead for both home and school and are wondering how long we will manage to stick to these!! Mrs Kelly has started her training for the Edinburgh Marathon. Mrs Pratt and Miss Scott are also training for the Moonwalk and Kilt Walk.



We are continuing to follow the Rights and Responsibilities from our Class Charter.

In P6K, our responsibilities are:

Always show respect for everyone's belongings and personal space.

Be aware of individual needs, treat everyone fairly and include all.

Make sure everyone's voice and opinions are heard when decisions are made in the classroom.

Look out for each others' emotional and physical well being and if you see someone upset or injured, support them or tell an adult.

Respect that we all learn in a variety of ways and allow each other to demonstrate individual skills and talents.

Respect the environment around you keeping it clean and tidy.

Encourage everyone to do their best.

Our main focus this term will be a study of Robert Burns including a Burn's Supper which parents and carers will be invited to attend. We will also investigate some Scottish Inventors.

Within Health and well being, we will be focussing on the stages of Puberty and Sex Education.

This term we will be extending our French vocabulary through colours, hobbies and interests, clothing and body parts.

Work in Numeracy this term will continue to extend our knowledge of basic facts, develop our skills and understanding of various strategies used in calculations and deepen our knowledge of number facts. We will also continue to develop our knowledge of measure and data handling.

Our literacy work this term will focus on Scottish poetry and discursive writing. Our reading skills will focus on cause and effect and identifying the main idea. We will also continue with our Book Detective work and use of the Reading Cloud.

This term, we will have P.E on Thursdays and Fridays. We will also be taking part in our daily mile (weather permitting).

Please ensure your child has their P.E kit with them every day (this can be left in school). This should include suitable footwear, a t-shirt (house colour if possible) and shorts. Please remember no football kits are permitted in school.

This term Primary 6 will also be taught by:

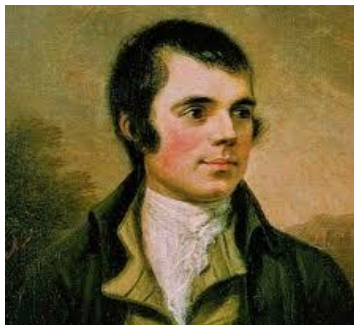
P.E – Ms F. Robson
Art – Miss K Welsh

We will continue to work towards achieving our Rights Respecting Schools Award.

We will also be sharing our learning with visitors from Scandinavia. Our previous visitors have been extremely impressed with our children at Woodburn.

Dates for your diary:

February Break - 15th/16th February
Parental consultations – 27th/28th March



You can support your child at home by:

Ensuring they come to school prepared with all necessary equipment.

Encouraging your child to talk about their learning and their day in school.

Encouraging your child to read and to discuss what they're reading (it really doesn't matter what type of text it is)

Supporting your child with any home activity tasks.

To share in your child's learning journey please keep in touch by following us on twitter.

@woodbumps

If you have any special skills or knowledge that you would like to share with our children, please let us know. We always welcome parents offering to help in school in any way.

If you have any concerns or queries at all, please do not hesitate to contact us. You can do this by :

Writing a note to your child's teacher or using their homework diary.
Making an appointment at the office to speak to your child's teacher.

