

P4 Newsletter

Dear, My fabulous Primary 4s and your Parents/Guardians

Firstly, I would like to welcome you all back to our virtual classroom. Although I am aware that many of you would have been disappointed to miss out on trips away, outings and spending time with friends and family. I really hope you all managed to enjoy your Easter break none-the-less and managed to spend some time in the lovely sunny weather that we had! I am certainly missing the hustle and bustle of our classroom, the laughter, hard work and smiley faces! However, it has been so lovely to hear from so many of you on our Google Classroom. I would also like to thank you all for your patience and understanding whilst we continue to adapt to Remote Learning and Teaching.



Accessing Learning: I will continue to send work and communicate through our Google Classroom. This can be accessed by logging onto Glow then clicking onto the Google Classroom tile. Further information and a short video demonstrating how to access it can be found on our Glow page.

Remote learning will continue to be in the form of three lesson per day, one numeracy, one literacy and one other curricular area. These will be a mixture of written, oral and practical tasks. Mrs Rennie will also continue to set a task on a Wednesday. Tasks are created with a focus on further developing skills for learning, life and work including applying knowledge and strategies, creative thinking and problem solving.

Literacy: This term we will continue to focus on grammar, punctuation, comprehension, spelling, handwriting and writing tasks.

Maths: This term we will focus on developing mental agility, problem solving and applying strategies across numeracy and mathematics.

Topic: This term our topic is 'Well known Scottish People and Places'. We will be looking at significant Scottish people from the past and present and exploring how they have impacted the world. We will also look at significant Scottish places and discover the importance of them in our history.



Tasks do **not** need to be completed on the day they are set. Tasks can be either completed and handed in on Google Classroom by clicking 'return' at the top right-hand-side of the task or completed on paper offline.

Please remember, do what you can when you can and be kind to yourself!

Our Google Classroom is not just a place to access your work, but also a place to say hello and share any news with us all. Again, it has been lovely to hear from so many of you and stories of what you have been doing.

Further suggestions of additional tasks and ideas were created and sent out as part of our school closure letter. You can also find these on the school website if you click on the 'parent' tab you will be able to select 'Home Learning Links' from the drop down menu. This will take you to the school closure letters for all classes and the additional activities and ideas that have been previously emailed out to you all over recent days and weeks.

Finally, homework diaries also have a plethora of helpful information including times tables, number squares and 100 most common words list. Electronic copies are available if you require them.

If you have any questions or would like to share any information about your child, please feel free to contact me either on our [Google Classroom](#) page or through the school office email: fishermoss.sch@aberdeenshire.gov.uk

Thank you for your patience and keep safe,
Miss Airlie