

Primary 2 Weekly Overview 25th -29th January 2021
Context for Learning- Robert Burns

Social Studies and Sciences



This Monday, the 25th of January, is known worldwide as Burns Day. Robert Burns was a famous Scottish poet and songwriter. This week we will be learning about the importance of his work. You will have the chance to learn and perform different Scottish poems and songs, and to write your own!

- Watch the [video](#) about Robert Burns to learn some facts about him.
- Look at the PowerPoint to learn some fun Scottish words!
- Have a go at learning a short Scottish poem or song.

Language



Writing

Write down all the letters of the alphabet A-Z in order. Write a Scots word next to each one and draw a picture of it if you can e.g. B - baffies - drawing of slippers.

Use www.scotslanguage.com/learning to help you.

Write some sentences using **ur** words words e.g. I burnt my finger and it hurt.

Don't forget any free writing you want to do can be done using your jotter in the learning pack you were given.

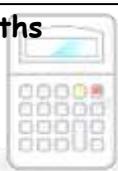
Spelling:

- Continue using your spelling words and common word lists to set yourself a challenge for the week (it was in your initial home learning pack). Only choose a handful of words, do not try to do them all at the same time. Perhaps someone at home could give you a test to find out which words to focus on? Can you write some sentences using your words? Write them out using the Look, Say, Cover, Write, Check method. Could you create some word art? You could upload a picture on Seesaw of anything you have been doing! As an additional challenge, can you continue to use topic words and try to learn their spelling e.g. famous, inventor, discovered, remembered, Eyemouth.

Reading:

- Continue to read several times a week with an adult to ensure understanding. Reading for pleasure is so important for children's vocabulary development, and a great opportunity to escape into the world of the imagination too. Please keep your teacher updated with your reading via seesaw.
- If you are struggling to find something to read, then try: [Oxford Owl](#) for lots of free Biff, Chip and Kipper eBooks. [Storyline Online](#) has hundreds of books read by leading actors, with animated versions of illustrations and some activity packs too. [Audible Stories is another free resource](#). There are lots of stories that you can listen to. No subscription or login needed. You could also listen to a story from the [Cbeebies website](#).

Maths



Instructions: Please click on the resources that you need and they will open up a webpage with the documents. There are also links to these activities on Seesaw. If you are unable to write directly on Seesaw, then you can write your work in your yellow jotter, which is in your learning pack, or on any piece of paper and send a photo.

Multiplication and Division:

This week is an introduction to the concept of multiplication and division. If you wish to challenge yourself further, [White Rose Maths home learning](#) has additional work available, which is free to access. Click on Year 2.

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Make equal groups: Watch the video first and then complete the worksheet. You can have a go at marking your own work. 2. Add equal groups: Watch the video first and then complete the worksheet. You can have a go at marking your own work. 3. Make arrays: Watch the video first and then complete the worksheet. You can have a go at marking your own work. <p>Measure: Get into the kitchen and see if you can put your understanding of weight and measurement into practise by doing lots of cooking and lovely baking!</p> <p>Introduce weight and mass: Worksheet, Answers.</p> <p>Measure mass: Worksheet, Answers.</p> <p>Compare mass: Worksheet, Answers.</p> <p>Please make sure you are writing your numbers the right way round! Use the rhymes to help you e.g. number 3 round the tree, round the tree.</p> <p>Keep practising your number bonds using the fact sheets in your home learning pack and quick fire questions. Play games like snakes and ladders or dominoes with your family to practise your numbers. There are also lots of fun games on Topmarks.com.</p>
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<p>Expressive Arts</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Draw an Andy Warhol inspired portrait of Robert Burns (instructions on Seesaw) • Design your own tartan (on paper or on Seesaw). • Make a Scottish flag. • Learn the Selkirk Grace using the videos on Seesaw.
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<p>Technology</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make porridge - weigh ingredients, write recipe and instructions. • Get baking! Make some yummy Scottish shortbread, or perhaps a Robert Burns gingerbread man complete with a kilt! • Enjoy a haggis, neeps and tatties dinner with your family. • Go to www.scotslanguage.com/learning for games and activities
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<p>Health and Wellbeing</p> 	<p>PE - This is the FINAL WEEK of the PE challenge, where you are encouraged to get outside and active once a day to log miles for your house! Remember you can walk, run, cycle or scoot. All miles handed in by 12pm on Friday will count!</p> <p>Emotion Works - This week there will be a chance to learn more about the Green Cog. The Green Cog helps us to think about behaviours linked to emotions. For example, when you're excited you might cheer, or when you're sad you might sob. There will be a choice of activities this week. One will ask you to be very active (and a bit crazy!) and make a wee video to share with your teacher, the other will be a sorting activity that you can do on paper or using an app on your iPad.</p> <p>Outdoor Learning Family Tasks - Thank you for continued participation in Outdoor Learning, it is fantastic to see all your photos! This week the theme is local birds. Tasks offer the chance to learn more about local birds in the area and how we can all help them in the winter. The weekend (29th-31st Jan) is the RSPB's annual Garden Birdwatch so the tasks include the opportunity to take part in this and learn more about the work of the RSPB. Happy Birdwatching!</p>
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<p>Modern Foreign Languages</p> 	<p>To maintain some of our German skills we will continue to direct you to the Duolingo website as our suggested resource to sign up free to. You can then work your way through the programme starting with Basics 1 at your own pace, if you wish. There will also be some clips and suggested activities to look at via the new BBC bitesize website.</p>
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Religious and Moral Education	<p>There will be a video assembly this week for you to watch.</p> <p>A link for this will be provided to you on Seesaw by Friday morning. Mrs McQueen will address the whole school, including announcing the House Points winners for the week and the Star Pupil for each class.</p>
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Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact gw09hornearlene@glow.sch.uk gw17rodgeriona@glow.sch.uk

We will be giving out house points and feedback via the Seesaw app - these will contribute towards our class and school targets as they would in school!