

Primary 6 Weekly Overview 11th -15th January 2021
Context for Learning- Inventors

Social Studies and Sciences



We will begin this week by finding out more about the inventions which affect our daily life. We are asking you to find the most important invention in your house. To do this you have to have an inventions tournament, like a sports tournament, to help you decide the most important invention. You are then going to research a bit about your object. Then you are going to present your findings in a book creator document. You could also use PowerPoint (if you save your work as a pdf, you can upload it to seesaw). Our literacy this week will link into this context, allowing you to learn a little bit about some important inventors.

Language



Reading - keep reading! This is so important, and I really hope you can keep this up. Remember that you can still access your [ELibrary](#) which gives you a choice of a broad range of books. Please do continue to do your AR tests (the link is on the school's website). If you are struggling for access to ebooks, please get in touch and we will try and sort something out. There will be more reading comprehension for you to complete. These will be levelled to allow you to choose a good level of challenge.

Writing - This week you are to create a short information text about an inventor of your choice. You will be given some examples of famous Scottish inventors to get you started. More details will be on Seesaw from Monday.

Listening and talking - record yourself reading aloud. To keep up your reading skills and talking skills. You can also record yourself reading out your information text that you have created.

Maths



This week's focus will be on brushing up on our knowledge and understanding of addition and subtraction. A series of lessons from the White Rose Hub will be uploaded to your Seesaw accounts giving you access to videos, worksheets, and some extra challenges. With any of the lessons if you need something a little different, the set lesson is a bit tough or too easy, then email me or contact me through Seesaw and I can send you something else. Additionally, any questions you have about the work get in touch and I will get back asap with guidance. Do not forget to support your learning with [MathsBot](#).

Continue to use [TTRockstars](#). I plan to be coming on each day too, when possible, and will announce a time on Seesaw. So, if you fancy giving your teacher a thrashing you better get practising!

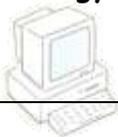
Expressive Arts



Over the next few weeks you can learn about some of the key elements of music.

This week we will focus on song dynamics. Mr Fryer has picked out a new song this week to demonstrate the use of dynamics and in his example, you will see how you can show your understanding of this element of music. There is also some new vocabulary for you to learn - watch out it might get loud!

Technology



You will be exploring early film special effects using your ipads. You will look at a pioneering film maker from the turn of the 20th century, [Georges Melies](#). After watching and thinking carefully about the clips, you will attempt to make your own film with special effects.

Health and Wellbeing



Thank you to those who have shared your brilliant outdoor learning tasks last week. This week our theme is "back to basics - Stick Challenges!" Both tasks involve using the most basic of natural materials we can find around us and being creative! Have fun and keep sending us your great work.

It was so great to see your amazing responses and ideas for last week's task. This week there will be the chance to think about the Orange Cog. This helps us learn and think about all the words there are for different emotions. Knowing words for emotions makes it easier to talk

	<p>about how you feel.</p> <p>For PE, pupils should continue to get active outside every day by participating in the Walk/Run/Cycle/Scoot challenge. Remember, every mile you do gets your house a little further round Scotland! Mrs. Royan is really enjoying getting your photos too, so keep sending those. Look out for updates on Seesaw.</p>
<p>Modern Foreign Languages</p> 	<p>We will continue to do some activities through Duolingo. All children in the class have accounts for this but get in touch if you are having trouble accessing this. There will be a challenge this week to collect a target number of XP.</p>
<p>Religious and Moral Education</p>	<p>There will be a video assembly this week for you to watch. Details will follow regarding this.</p>

Thank you for your support.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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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!