

## <u>Parkhead PS - Welcome back</u> <u>P7A Newsletter</u>

Message from the class teacher- Primary 7A have come back from their summer holiday refreshed and ready to learn – it's great to see such enthusiasm. They are full of energy and fun – a great bunch - I am looking forward to sharing all the experiences that Primary 7 has in store for them.

How have we spent our first few weeks?

Literacy- We have been learning about Parts of Speech, which includes: nouns, verbs, adjectives, adverbs, adverbial phrases and fronted adverbials. It was quite difficult at first to find all of these in sentences but we are definitely improving! We did a reading comprehension all about the origins of the Olympic Games and that was really interesting. We are enjoying listening to The Boy In The Striped Pyjamas for our class novel, linked with WW2. Today we are writing letters as Evacuees.





Numeracy- We have been focusing on Place Value, looking at numbers up to ten million. We have been ordering and comparing these larger numbers, putting them in ascending and descending order. We have also worked on extending number lines, working out the values and estimating where numbers would be placed on the number lines. Today we have been rounding to the nearest power of 10.

How are we finding Primary \_\_\_\_7\_ so far?

Comments from the class:

"Mrs Purdie is the best teacher!!" Laila

"I think WW2 has been the highlight of P7 so far for me." Holly

"P7 is fun and exciting!" Kian

"During the holidays, I was scared to go into P7but now I don't get why I was so scared!" Mia "I like how we do so much other stuff, like Buddies." Hayden

"I like the Buddies, Prefects and House Captain responsibilities." Carson

Friday 13<sup>th</sup>- Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> September – September long weekend holiday Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2-3pm- Chit Chat Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> and Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October- Parent Consultations Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October- Monday 21<sup>st</sup> October- October holiday