

Newsletter Primary P4a

Spring News Updates - News or updates from our classroom

The daffodils we planted in front of the school garden are now starting to grow. One of our PE slots has been moved from a Wednesday to the Friday until the end of the year to allow the P7's to attend transition events at the high school. Our class assembly will take place on Friday 30^{th} of May at 9:15am. We are looking forward to sharing our learning with everyone.



Our Learning- what have we been learning about?

We went on a school trip to New Lanark. We found out how people lived during the Victorian times when they worked and lived at the cotton mill. One of our favourite parts about the trip was the Annie McLeod ride. We discussed what we liked and disliked about the ride then we wrote a discussion text from each point of view.

We have also been making a diorama of the room we saw at the mill. Every member of the family would live in one small room.

We learned to play different rhythms on African drums, caxixi and Ghana bells. In art we have been making plant pots by sculpting with wire and card. They have been displayed at the front entrance and outside our classroom if you would like to see some examples.

In numeracy we have been learning how to multiply and divide using Numicon and counters. In maths we were learning how to read, write and follow directions using a compass and programming a Beebot.



Next up we will-

Next term we will be learning about the destructive powers of nature, from volcanoes and earthquakes to tsunamis and tornadoes. Through discussion and practical tasks, we will learn about how and why these natural phenomena occur, and the ways in which they affect people and the environment.

In health and wellbeing we will be learning about the human body.

We will continue leaning how to multiply and divide bigger numbers using Numicons and Cuisenaire rods. We will also be measuring in maths and looking at weight, length, capacity and area.

Easter messages-

We hope that everyone has a lovely Easter holiday. We are looking forward to all the new things we will be learning during our last term in P4.

