

Newsletter

Primary 7a

Spring News Updates- News or updates from our classroom

We have a new teacher this term because Mrs Purdie retired in the middle of February. Our new teacher is Mr Jeffrey although he is not really new because a lot of us had him in P3 and P4. (Chloe) At the end of this term we will be having our P6 and 7 show, Wonderland. We have been working really hard learning our lines, practising the songs and making props and scenery for the show. (Holly)

We have started to do our transition work with the high school. On a Friday, we do a Teams meet with one of the departments and all the other P7 classes join in. (Ayla)



Our Learning- what have we been learning about?

A lot of our learning has been in relation to the show this term.

Numeracy

In numeracy we have been learning about fractions. We started off doing fractions of shapes, then went on to fractions of numbers and simplifying fractions. Finally, we were learning to add and subtract fractions. We have moved on to fractions of numbers and we are looking at decimals and percentages.

<u>Literacy</u>

We have been writing descriptions about different jobs. Some of us chose jobs that we want to do when we are older. With reading, we have been looking at the reciprocal reading strategies of summarising, predicting and questioning. We are working hard to improve our joined handwriting. A lot of us have earned Pen Licences which Mr Jeffrey gives us when we do consistently neat joined writing.

Digital/ Other

We have been using Adobe Express to create our own posters. We used the website "My World of Work" to find out what skills we have. We were given an animal and we made posters to represent that animal, showing what our qualities are.



Next up we will-

Very shortly we will be performing our show to the rest of the school and our families. Next term we will focussing on transition and our move up to high school after the summer. Most of us are going up to West Calder High School and there will be a 2 day transition. We will also have our leaver's party and our end of P7 school trip.

Easter messages-

The class have kindly offered to donate all of the Easter Eggs to their P7 Teacher! What a lovely class! But seriously, we wish everyone a very happy Easter and we are excited (and a bit nervous) that next term will be our last term in P7.

