

## Curriculum News

Term 2 – January to March 2018

### Scotland

We listened to the story “Going on a Bear Hunt” in scots language and had fun saying some of the words such as “skirl screech” and “cleggie mud.” We took part in highland dancing and tasted a range of Scottish foods such as haggis, neeps and tatties. We researched and created Scottish castles and flags using a range of materials and identified the shapes and colours in the Scottish flag.



### Reach for the stars

We worked together to create a space station in the role play area and dressed up as astronauts and aliens. We read fact and fiction stories about space rockets and planets. We tasted a range of real astronaut space food such as dried bananas and raisins and even food that tasted like mint choc chip ice cream! We moved around like astronauts in space. We constructed models of rockets and identified them as being small, medium and large and also used different shapes such as squares and rectangles to create these too.



### Animals with beaks

We have been listening to a range of stories about different animals such as “Chicken Licken”, “The Ugly Duckling” and learning the song “I’m a Spring Chicken” We have had lots of fun creating a stage area where we have been acting out the characters to these stories. We have been looking at the similarities and differences between animals that have beaks such as birds, octopus and turtles and using a range of materials to create these. We have been measuring different sizes of animals with beaks and learning small, medium and large.

