

Cramond Primary School

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Monday 3rd September

Dear parents

We hope you are all well and have enjoyed the summer months. It has certainly been lovely hearing from the children, all about the wonderful things that they have been doing over the holiday period. What a great group of children they are!!!

Our first couple of weeks have been action packed, with the children of P4S linking the majority of their work into the Mr Men/Little Miss Books and P4R linking theirs into the 'Boy in the Dress'.

This terms topic is 'Into the Future' and we will be getting the children to let their imaginations run wild, when envisaging what life might be like in the future. They have already been designing flying cars and producing wonderful art work around hover boards. Some of the areas that the children would like to focus on, include: space tourism, human settlements on mars, robots, holograms and how technology will evolve. This is the first time this topic has been taught in Primary 4 and we are all really looking forward to delving into it. If any parents feel they can offer any support in relation to this topic, then please feel free to get in touch.

We are hoping that Forest Explorers will take place on Friday's, with the first of 6 sessions for Primary 4S starting on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September. Primary 4R will start their block of sessions at the start of November. We have located a wonderful site down by the River Almond and are feeling really excited at the prospect of getting this up and running at Cramond.

Your child will be receiving a home learning journal very soon. You can log their nightly reading in the back of this and their weekly active spelling tasks in the front. Pieces of homework, linked to the home-learning wall (which will be issued soon) can also be stuck into this book. We ask children to hand this book in every Monday, and then it will be handed back out with new Spelling words on a Tuesday.

Please can we ask that all children have their P.E kits in school from Monday to Friday, with both indoor and outdoor P.E kits included. Can all children have a water bottle and waterproof coat in school every day. P.E is on Tuesdays and Thursdays for P4S and Wednesdays and Fridays for P4R.

Meet the teacher is this Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> September, with talks at 5.30pm and 6.15pm. We hope to see you there!

Kind regards

Doug Short & Owen Robinson

