

Welcome Back to P7 from Mr Johanson!

I would like to extend a really warm welcome to the families I will be working with this year. I am delighted to be teaching P7 this year and looking forward to having an amazing year.

It has been wonderful start to P7! The learners have been so engaged and have demonstrated a brilliant commitment to being the best we can be. I am really confident that it will be brilliant year full of memories and achievements.



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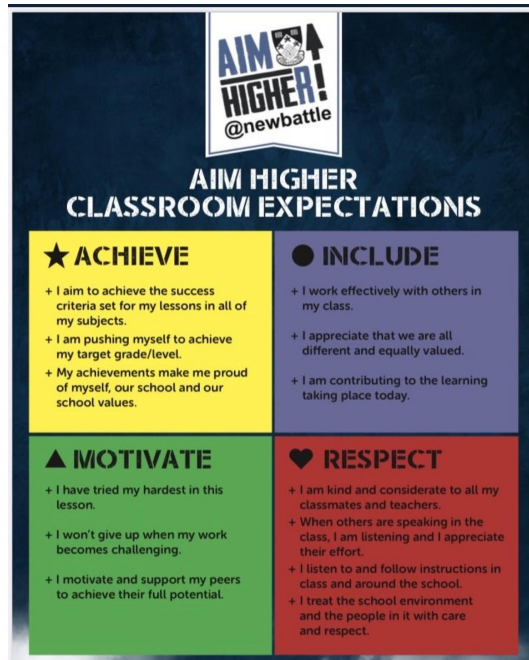
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Class Behaviour Expectations

At the start of the year we asked ourselves what classroom rules do we think will help everybody to learn and be happy. We had lots of discussions before deciding that we would use Newbattle High School's 'Aim Higher' values to support us this year with expectations. All of the P7s felt this would be good preparation for transition later in the year.

Dates

- 16th - 19th September - September Weekend Holiday
- 22nd September - 'French Fashion Show' - Transition Workshop
- 28th/29th September - Parent/Carer Consultations
- 17th - 24th October - October break



Positive Behaviour

In P7 we are using a behaviour chart. Pupils will get moved up the chart for following the class rules, approaching learning positively and being helpful. I work hard to continually give positive reinforcement to support an ethos of aspiration. If a pupil gets to the top of the chart I will ask them at the end of the day what is they think they did so brilliantly. I will summarise this discussion on a certificate.

Home-School Communication

If you have any concerns about your child please do not hesitate to get in contact. It is usually best to organise a phone call. If I have any concerns about wellbeing or if there was an incident in the day that I think you should be aware of I will make a call.

Seesaw

Family login information has been handed out. If you require this information please let me know. We have been using it regularly in class. If you have any questions or concerns please phone the school office to arrange a phone call with me. It is usually much more straightforward to address concerns over the phone rather than through Seesaw commenting. I would love if you commented and liked your child's work. It is a wonderful way to build their self-esteem. Please use seesaw posts to discuss what your child has been learning about in school. If you are enjoying the way seesaw is being used or have any ideas please let me know!