

P2 SCOTTISH POETRY RECITAL



As part of our Scottish focus week, we would like the pupils to select a verse or two of the poem and learn as much as possible of it off by heart.

The Sair Finger by Walter Wingate

You've hurt your finger? Puir wee man!
Your pinkie? Deary me!
No, juist you haud it that wey till
I get my specs and see!

My, so it is – and there's the skelf!
Noo, dinna greet nae mair.
See there – my needle's gotten't out!
I'm sure that wasna sair?

And noo, to make it hale the morn.
Put on a wee bit saw.
And tie a bonnie hankie roun't –
Noo, there na – rin awa'!

Your finger sair ana'? Ye rogue.
Ye're only letting on!
Weel, weel, then – see noo, there ye are.
Row'd up the same as John.

The pupils have come up with the following success criteria, and this will be used in class to give pupils feedback:

P2 SCOTTISH POETRY RECITAL SUCCESS CRITERIA

- I can learn the poem off by heart
- I can talk loudly and clearly
- I can pronounce Scots words correctly
- I can use expression and change my tone of voice
- I can use actions and movement
- How do you feel about your poem recital?

***Thank you for your support,
Mrs Gladstone.***