

Learning About Our World

A key part of [Curriculum for Excellence](#) in Social Studies is learning about places, events and situations across the world. In Literacy and English we learn about fact and opinion, and look at different resources to consider “fake news”.

In Cawdor, one of the resources that we use is Newsround to support these teaching points. Newsround is predominantly used from around P3 or P4 through to P7. The content, designed for 6-12 year olds, sensitively explores current affairs in an accessible way for young children.

Resources such as Newsround will explore areas of conflict across the world so that children can understand the impact of global events on us locally. Through our [trauma informed approach](#) to learning and teaching, we use resources recommended for teaching conflict by Highland Council and [Education Scotland](#). We recognise and value the rights your child has. All children have the right to find out and share information ([Article 13 of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child](#)). As a school we are asked to ensure that we realise each of your child’s rights, and exploring current affairs through age appropriate news is one way of supporting this.