



The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

A set of activity cards to base lessons on or to use as imaginative fillers for children who finish their work early.



## Activity cards

### Activity 1

Write a formal letter inviting your MSP to your school.

### Activity 2

Create a word puzzle based on parliamentary vocabulary. It could be a word search, crossword, anagrams, or another word puzzle.

### Activity 3

The Canongate Wall has quotes and phrases carved into the stones to represent Scotland. What quote from Scottish literature or a Scottish person would you include? Research your choice, and then write a paragraph to explain your choice to others.

### Activity 4

Take a page of A4 and draw a large speech bubble to fill the page and use it to write a persuasive speech on a subject. Research, and then try to write a speech which will encourage people to agree with you. Use facts, figures and persuasive vocabulary to help you.

### Activity 5

Watch the web recording of First Minister's Questions: [www.scottish.parliament.uk/FMQs](http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/FMQs)  
Now write a newspaper article reporting the action that happened at FMQs.