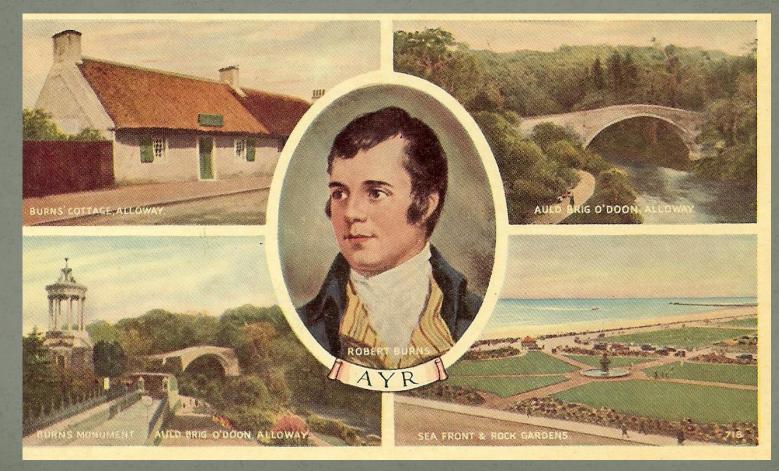




Lesson: ROBERT BURNS



Robert Burns



Poems and songs

Interesting facts

During the lesson we should:

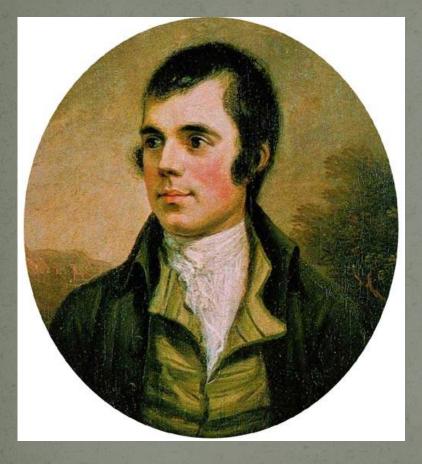
1. make the project about Burn's life

2. read about interesting facts about his life and his family

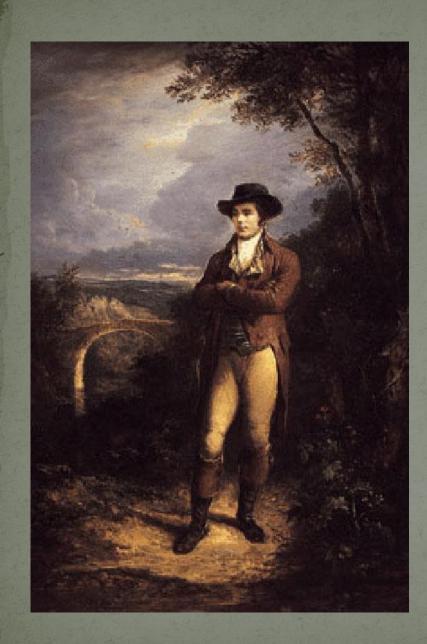
3. take part in activities: sing a song, read a poem

4. use words and phrases in Past Simple Passive

Robert Burns (1759-1796)



Robert Burns was the most democratic poet of the 18th century. His birthday is celebrated in Scotland as a national holiday.



Burns is very popular in Russia too. His first poems <u>were translated</u> into Russian at the end of the 18th century.



Robert Burns <u>was</u> <u>born on January 25,</u> 1759, in a small picturesque village at Alloway, in Ayrshire, Scotland.

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"My Father Was a Farmer"

His father was a poor farmer. He was a hard-working man. But he <u>was worried</u> about Robert's education. Robert <u>was sent</u> to school when he was 6 in 1765. He liked reading books.



Read some facts

- He started to write poems in <u>1774</u>. He wrote about people, nature.
 - In <u>1777</u> he moved to Edinburgh. His father died in <u>1784.</u>
- A book of his poems <u>was published</u> in <u>1786</u>. These are "My Heart's in the Highland", "Oh, My Luve (love) is like a Red, Red Rose."
- The most popular poems were written during the last 5 years.
- He died when he was 37 in <u>1796.</u>

Say True or False

He was born on 25 July in 1759.
 Englishmen celebrate his memor
 He went to school in 1765.
 He started to write in 1774.
 He wrote about cars.
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Listen to the poem and match the translation

• "My Love is Like a Red, Red Rose"

O, my luve is like a red, red rose, that's newly spring in June. o, my love is like a melodie, that's sweetly play'd in tune. As fair thou art, my bonnie lass, so deep in luve am I, And I will luve thee still, my dear, till a' the seas gang dry. Till a' the seas gang dry, my dear, and the rocks melt wi' the sun! And I will luve thee still, my dear, while the sands of life shall run. And fare the well, my only luve! And fare the well awhile! And I will come again, my love. Who it were ten thousand mile!



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Past Simple Passive.

worry(волноваться) - was worried
send (отправлять) - was sent
publish(публиковать) - was published
write(писать) - was written
translate(переводить) - was translated

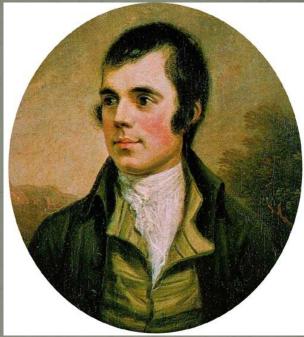
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Find the mistakes

- A book of his poems <u>was publish</u>
- But he <u>were worried</u> about Robert's education.
- Robert was send to school when he was 6.
- His first poems <u>was translated</u> into Russian at the end of the 18th century.
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Make a project

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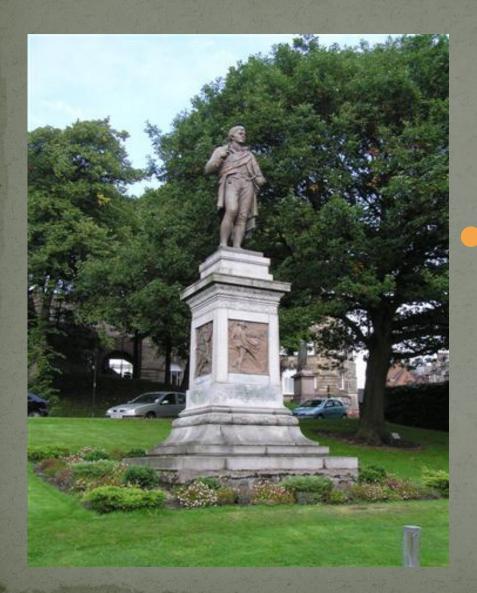
Repeat, Listen and then sing the song.



"My Heart's In The Highlands"

My heart's in the Highlands, my heart is not here, My heart's in the Highlands, a-chasing the deer; Chasing the wild-deer, and following the roe, My heart's in the Highlands, wherever I go. Farewell to the Highlands, farewell to the North, The birth-place of Valour, the country of Worth ; Wherever I wander, wherever I rove, The hills of the Highlands for ever I love. Farewell to the mountains, high-cover'd with snow, Farewell to the straths and green vallies below; Farewell to the forests and wild-hanging woods, Farewell to the torrents and loud-pouring floods. My heart's in the Highlands, my heart is not here, My heart's in the Highlands, a-chasing the deer; Chasing the wild-deer, and following the roe, My heart's in the Highlands, wherever I go.





Statue to Robert Burns, Stirling, Scotland

Home task :

1.Find some interesting facts about Robert Burns' life on the Internet.
2. Translate the song "My Heart's In The Highlands".

