

**P6B Termly Update
Session 2017/18
Term 2**

Class News

Welcome back to Term 2 ☺. P6 enjoyed sharing our WW2 learning on Parents Nights and look forward to welcoming grown-ups again during our Craft Afternoon later this term. Please see the changes to our timetable below. Mr Sawyers from Meldrum Academy will be supporting our French learning at different times during the term.

As always, please get in touch if you have any questions. Thank you.

Miss Buist

Weekly Timetable

Monday	Drama with Mrs Holland Assembly (Fortnightly)
Tuesday	P.E with Mrs Grant
Wednesday	Science with Mrs Grant OTTER Clubs
Thursday	P.E with Miss Buist Library
Friday	

This Term's Learning

Literacy and English...

We will be learning about...

- Listening and Talking - This term P6 will plan and deliver a short talk on an aspect of WW2 that interests them.
- Through regular reading sessions we will cover a wide range of skills through book detective activities which will further develop comprehension, fluency and enjoyment.
- Writing by linking our writing experiences to our topic to give interesting contexts. The core writing skills of spelling, grammar, punctuation and presentation will be a continued focus.

Mathematics...

We will be learning about...

- Problem Solving – selecting and applying different strategies in a variety of contexts.
- Information Handling – to gather, collate and present data in a range of formats.
- Shape – Symmetry and Tiling.
- Number – Subtractions and Multiplication. Focussing on both mental and written strategies.

Across the Curriculum...

We will be learning about...

- Health & Wellbeing - P6 will continue to develop their group work skills.
- Drama – We will investigate different roles and perform in front of an audience.
- P.E - We will develop our fitness levels and badminton skills.
- Social Studies - We will continue with our WW2 topic.

Home Learning Arrangements

Home Learning will usually be issued on a weekly basis. Children will record any changes to arrangements in their school diaries which should be brought to school every day. **Please check and sign weekly.** Home Learning tasks will reflect on going class work and will have been explained fully in class. Children are encouraged to ask for access to the computers or materials if needed.

Class Notes

- Please ensure your child has an inside and outside kit at school: Kit needs to include shorts, change of T-shirt and gym shoes for indoors and trainers and warmer clothing for outside. Earrings should be removed or taped and long hair secured back in a bobble.
- Pupils are encouraged to take in their own water bottles during class time.
- Please send in an art apron for messy activities – an old baggy T shirt is perfect.