

**P7A Termly Update
Session 2023/24
Term 3**



Class News

Wow, term 3 already! I hope you've all had a lovely Christmas break. The children definitely earned it after working so hard towards our Christmas Show. This term, P7 will be getting their entrepreneur hats on as we aim to start a 'Grow a £5' challenge. The idea of raising money towards an extra P7 trip/treat seems to be very motivating so far and we look forward to seeing how creative our ideas will be. Watch this space... Thank you to all children who helped at our stall at the Christmas Fayre, and families who supported it. We were so impressed - well done P7!

Weekly Timetable

Monday	French and RME with Mrs Holland
Tuesday	
Wednesday	PE with Mrs Robertson
Thursday	Library Assembly/OTTER Clubs
Friday	Indoor/Outdoor PE

This Term's Learning

***NUMERACY:**

- investigating square and cube numbers, factors, multiples and prime numbers
- Division - using written methods to divide a 4 digit number by a single digit, and for some, long division.
- Time-converting between 12 and 24 hr times, calculating journey times and investigating the links between speed, distance and time.
- Area and Perimeter - calculate area and perimeter of a variety of shapes, including rectangles and triangles.

***LITERACY:**

Class Novel - Holes. We will be discussing and responding to the story and showing our understanding through a variety of comprehension tasks.

Writing - Focus on Scots Language. We will be looking closely at a few Scottish Poems and translating well known stories into Scots. We will continue to develop our knowledge of story structure through imaginative writing (suspense) and also be creating our own reports.

HEALTH & WELLBEING:

RSHP - Parenting - learning about the skills and qualities required to be a parent/carer.

Drug Misuse - focus on prescribed medicines, legal and illegal drugs, peer pressure and social media influences.

***PE**

Gymnastics

Social Dancing - performing a variety of Scottish dances in partners and groups

***TECHNOLOGIES** - Recycling and Sustainability - discuss how technologies impact on the environment, for example, renewable energy technologies.

*** SOCIAL STUDIES** - 20th and 21st Century Conflicts with a particular look at Scotland's involvement.