

**P4B Termly Update
Session 2023/24
Term 3**



Class News

Happy New Year and hope you all had a lovely festive break! The children have returned full of enthusiasm and we will soon be working hard on planning, preparing for our school assembly - we look forward to seeing you then! This term our topic will have a historical and environmental focus as we investigate people in the past through Vikings and weather in Scotland. As always, the children have been eager to contribute during our planning discussion by asking relevant questions and suggesting a range of fun activities.

Weekly Timetable

Monday	Phonics, Numeracy, Topic, Outdoor PE
Tuesday	Grammar, Science and Health and Well being with Mrs Pirie, Numeracy and French.
Wednesday	Writing, Drama with Mrs Elder, Numeracy, Topic and Otter Club or assembly.
Thursday	Maths, Library, Handwriting, PE and Rights/Bounceback/RME with Mrs Harvie
Friday	Maths, Music, Comprehension, Art and ICT

This Term's Learning

NUMERACY:

- *Subtraction- Develop a range of strategies and identify links with addition to solve problems.
- *Multiplication- Apply strategies to learn and secure multiplication facts for the 2, 3, 4, 5 & 10 X table.
- *Time- Revision of telling the time using half past, quarter past and quarter to before learning to tell the time in 5 minute increments using analogue & digital clocks.
- *Position & Movement- Describe, follow and record routes using angles, directions and turns.
- *Money- Continue working out change and totals of coins and notes.

LITERACY:

- *Explore with Scots' dialect through a selection of Scots Poems.
- *Learn to write different styles of poetry.
- *Engage with a range of sources for research, take notes & organise them into our functional writing.
- *Begin to proof read and self correct any simple spelling and punctuation errors.
- *Explore with tone and expression when reading aloud.
- *Develop our questioning skills by writing our own comprehension questions.

HEALTH & WELLBEING:

- *To use the correct terminology for body parts and discuss their functions.
- *Continue working through out school bounce back programme.
- *Learn about Children's Rights and how we can respect them.

OTHER:

SOCIAL STUDIES- Compare aspects of people's daily lives in the past with my own.

ICT- Develop independent use of Chrome books to safely & responsibly research a given topic.