

Primary 2/3 Intended Learning Plan Jan-Mar 2023



What will we be learning this term?

Language - Reading, Writing, Listening and Talking

We will continue to explore language and spelling patterns in class. Please support your child by using the suggested activities in the home learning grids.

P2s will be learning about magic e, soft g and c and the children are enjoying reading and writing these new words.

P3s are revising -ing words and ed endings and then will continue with their P3 spelling programme. We will continue to work on extending our writing by up-levelling sentences and using conjunctions.

Through our Scots poetry work, we will be looking at rhyme and alliteration and beginning to explore some of the Scots language.

Mathematics

As well as continuing to develop our numeracy skills through the SEAL programme, we will be learning all about measure this term. As we explore the most effective ways to measure length, width, weight and height we will be doing lots of practical tasks.

The P3s are starting to use maths jotters and textbooks to increase their independence and skills in numeracy. The class are enjoy exploring patterns in Maths. Patterns in numbers, shapes and colours will all be explored this term. You could look out for interesting patterns in your local area.



Social Studies

This term the children have chosen to learn about life in other parts of Scotland. We will be looking at houses and homes around Scotland and then houses in different countries and compare them.

We shall be learning and performing a Scots song, exploring houses in Scotland and looking at the differences, comparing city houses and rural island houses.

Scottish traditions, dress and foods will also be explored – make sure to have a chat with your child about your own family traditions so they can share and compare with the peers in class.



Science/Technologies



The pupils will continue to use iPads in the classroom and try to log on independently.

They will also use the smartboard as a tool for learning within different curricular areas. Don't forget to give Crazy Cursive, and Quick Maths Jnr a try at home! Also, Sumdog and Topmarks are good practise for numeracy skills. Challenge yourself!

P3s will use the iPads with a partner to research different houses and homes in Scotland and other countries.

Expressive Arts

In art, the pupils will be experiencing a range of craft activities linked to our learning.

This term we are delighted to have music lessons with the wonderful Mrs Ewen, our music specialist. They will be learning about rhythm and counting out beats. We will also be learning about rhythm and beats in our Scottish Country Dancing.

In RME, we will be learning about the following celebrations.

- Chinese New Year.
- Easter
- Holi

Health & Well-Being/RME

In Health and Wellbeing this term, the focus will be "Have a Goal". We will be learning about setting realistic goals and overcoming any setbacks we may face. We will also recognise the importance of celebrating our successes! This is part of the 'Being Resilient' Programme of study that our school follows. Please remember to complete your homework task with your child (see your homework grid for details).

Our focus in gym will be on Scottish country dancing and ball skills.



Ethos and Wider Life of the School

- Pupil Council

Planned opportunities for wider achievement

- Pupil of the Week
- Star Writer

Dates for your diary and reminders

- Gym on a **Tuesday and Thursday**. Can you ensure that your child has a gym kit in school on these days. Children should have a t-shirt, a pair of shorts/joggers and indoor gym shoes all labelled.
- Remember to return your child's library book every **Thursday** so that they are able to choose another book.
- 30th January- Equalities Week
- Monday 6th February – Internet Safety Day
- Thursday 2nd March – World Book Day
- Friday 10th February – February Week Holiday
- Monday 20th February – All Back
- Tuesday 21st March – Parents night
- Friday 24th March – Parents afternoon
- Friday 31st March – Last day of term

