



Nevis Information

BLOCK 3
2019-2020



Literacy and Language

Reading- Class Nevis takes part in reading and comprehension activities every day. As well as our levelled reading books we enjoy taking time for personal reading and story time to encourage the habit and enjoyment of reading.

Talking and Listening- We work on our talking and listening skills throughout the day, across all curricular areas. We also take time during our 'Social Time' and 'Daily Mile' sessions to discuss our daily news and ask questions to each other.

Writing - This term we will focus on poetry and setting and we will explore these contexts through our China topic work.

Spelling- We continue with our daily spelling practice and pupils enjoy taking part in various active spelling activities, particularly the messy ones!

Maths and Numeracy

This term we will learning more about time; how we measure it today and how we measured it in the past. We will continue to practise our money handling skills and will also be learning more about shape and pattern.



Social Studies



We are looking forward to celebrating Chinese New Year on 25th January as part of our China topic work. As we learn about some of the traditions in Chinese culture, we will also learn a little about China's history and environment. We will also be using our topic work to extend our personal reading.

Homework



Pupils will normally be given a new reading book at the beginning of each week. The aim is that children should read, or be read to, at home 3 times per week and this should be recorded in the home/ school communication sheet.

Other Curricular Areas

PE Kit - please ensure your child has their gym kit, bring to school on a Monday and take home on a Friday.

Swimming - Please ensure your child has their kit on Tuesday.

Daily Mile - The children will complete the Daily Mile each morning before play time. This is a whole school initiative, to help improve children's fitness. This term we are recording how far we walk each day, ask your child how many times they walked around the playground today!

Expressive Arts - Our expressive arts work will be based around our China topic and other seasonal celebrations.

Change of shoes - Please provide your child with a change of shoes.

Uniform - make sure all items of uniform are labelled.

School Information - Please check your child's bag daily for information regarding school events etc. In addition please consult the school's App and website.

Health Promoting School - We are a Health Promoting School and follow Glasgow City Council's Better Eating, Better Learning Policy'. This means that snacks pupils are permitted to bring are:- A healthy snack - **NO** sweets, chocolate etc., and water to drink - in a refillable bottle preferably.

Additional
Information

