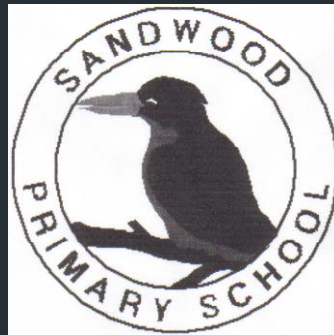


# Meet the Teacher

Mrs Smith



Primary 3

*Dream*

*Believe*

*Achieve Together*

# Our Values

**R** esilience

**E** ffort

**S** uccess

**P** ositivity

**E** quity

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**T** eamwork

# House System



# House System



# House Tokens



## How can we earn our tokens?

- Showing respect (our core school value!)
- Good listening.
- Showing good manners.
- Looking after our playground and school.
- Being caring towards others.
- Putting in effort into all your learning.

Rowan

Lime

Scots Pine

Willow



# IN THIS CLASSROOM



We all **BELONG** 



We are **IMPORTANT**



We don't **GIVE UP**



We try **OUR BEST** 



We make **MISTAKES**



We **ENCOURAGE**



We take **URNS** 



We are a **TEAM** 

# Yearly Overview

- **Literacy and Numeracy- Daily**
- **Digital Literacy-** All Primary 5, 6 and 7 pupils have their own iPad. All other classes will have a slot weekly.
- **PE twice weekly-** Monday and Thursday - Children to come in PE uniform. All children must have appropriate footwear i.e. trainers, sand shoes. No jewellery is permitted.
- **Daily Mile-** daily.
- **Lunch-** It is preferable for families to order online with your child at home however Class Teachers will order with children who have been unable to do so. Lunches are free for P1-5.

# Literacy

- **Reading-** All children will have a reading book that they can read in class and take home. These books are at their reading level.
- **Writing-** **VCOP**, Daily Handwriting
- **Talking and Listening-** Lessons linked to other areas of the curriculum as well as stand alone.
- **Spelling/Phonics-** Children in a group that suits their level.
- **Common Words-** Children in a group that suits their level.

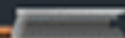




# Maths and Numeracy

- **Numeracy-** different concepts covered each Block
- **Mental Maths-** Daily counting and mental maths problems.
- **Active maths-** games, whiteboards, number talks.
- **Outdoor learning-** opportunities at appropriate times.

**We encourage families to practise numeracy at home, these task will be directed by class teacher as part of homework.**



# Health and Wellbeing

**H&WB** is part of every aspect of our school day.

## Monthly themes-

**Aug- Values**

**Sep- Emotions**

**Oct- Personal Safety/Substance abuse**

**Nov & Dec- Relationships (Bullying)**

**Jan- Dealing with Conflict and Change**

**Feb- Resilience**

**Mar- Rights and Responsibilities**

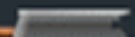
**Apr- Relationships, Sexual Health and Parenthood education (RSHP)**

**May- Food and Health**

**Jun- Success and Ambition**

**PE- twice weekly**

**Daily Mile- Daily**



# Environmental Studies

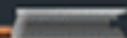
We use a context to learn a variety of skills within Expressive Arts, Technologies, Social Studies, Sciences, Literacy, Maths and Health and Wellbeing.

**Block 1- Ancient Egypt**

**Block 2-**

**Block 3-**

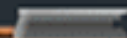
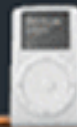
**Block 4-**



# Homework

**This is given out on Tuesday each week. Returned the following Monday.**

- **SeeSaw- Activities posted weekly.**
- **Literacy- Spelling and Common Words- practise reading flashcards.**
- **Numeracy- Sumdog**
- **Reading homework is assigned each week.**
- **Please leave any comments inside jotters regarding homework or message me on SeeSaw.**



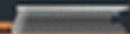
# Promoting Positive Behaviour

- Children earn their Golden Time each day. They have Golden Time on Friday afternoons.
- House Point System- as previously mentioned.
- Group Points
- Star of the week
- Effort Wall
- CfE Certificates.



# School Information

- **Uniform and labels-** Please write your child's name and class inside their items of clothing.
- **Playground-** breaks are at 10:45-11 and 12:30-13:15.
- **Parental Involvement-** We are always looking for support so please get in touch to let us know how you can get involved.
- **Concerns-** Please contact me on SeeSaw or the school office.



# Additional Information

- **Water bottles-** Please bring a water bottle to school. There are some spares if you need a re-usable one.
- **Inhalers-** All children must have two inhalers in school. One on their person and another in the medicine cabinet. Children cannot leave the school without their inhalers.
- **Class Information Block 1-4-** sent on the app termly.
- **App-** Please download the app. Scot Ed and find Sandwood Primary.

**Should you have any questions  
please message me on SeeSaw or  
contact the school office!**

**Thank you for joining me today  
and I look forward to a fun-filled  
year with your children 😊**

