

P3/2 Class Information

BLOCK 1



Reading- In reading, Primary 3/2 will be developing their ability to read aloud with increasing fluency and expression. We will be using a variety of strategies to support reading such as predicting, visualising, and retelling. We will also be reading and writing common words daily and learning new sounds each week to support reading.

Talking and Listening- Children will listen to stories and give feedback on what they have heard. They will develop skills in turn-taking during talking and listening.

Spelling - Primary 3/2 will take part in daily active spelling activities. They will be encouraged to spell words independently using their knowledge of phonics.

Writing- In writing, Primary 3/2 will explore recount and procedural writing in various contexts. They will recount their weekend through news writing as well as other aspects. This will allow pupils to develop their basic writing skills such as capital letters, full stops, and finger spaces. French -- We will embed French into our daily routines such as greetings, days of the week and the weather, also learning through songs, games and rhymes.





Numeracy:

Primary 2: will be exploring number bonds up to 100 and developing an understanding of place value. They will also focus on adding numbers up to 100 and rounding to the nearest 10. Primary 3: will work with numbers up to 1000, learning to add and round numbers to the nearest 10 and 100.

Mathematics:

Primary 3/2: will learn to order days of the week, months of the year, seasons and how to use calendars. We will also learn about money and the properties of 2D and 3D shapes

H&WB: Our focus for this block is Values and Emotions. Children will be exploring the School Values, RESPECT and the Sandwood Voyagers. We will explore different emotions and learn how express how we feel.

PE: PE will take place on Tuesday (Gym Hall) and Wednesday (MUGA). Please ensure children wear suitable footwear and clothing for all weather types when outside. As per GCC Health & Safety Physical Education guidelines, pupils cannot have jewellery or earrings in.



Homework will be issued on a Tuesday to be completed by the following Monday. This will allow families time to work on homework activities over the weekend. We suggest that no more than 10 - 15 minutes is spent on homework each night. Written activities, such as spelling, will be given out for children to complete.

We are currently in the process of reviewing our homework policy. More information to follow.



Social Studies/Science/Technology - Our term 1 topic is Glorious Glasgow to celebrate Glasgow's 850th birthday. Expressive Arts - Children will learn different skills in art, drama and music linked to our topic.

RME: We will be learning about Old Testament Stories and Harvest Festival from the Christian faith.

Outdoor Learning: We will carry out a variety of outdoor learning experiences across the curriculum.

Digital Literacy: We will use iPads in class to enhance our

learning and have a go at coding.



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 and follow us on Twitter.

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. Daily Mile - The class will be participating in the daily mile each day as part of our P.E programme.