



P7a Class Information

BLOCK 3
2025-26

LITERACY



Reading - this term we will be exploring a range of non-fiction texts. We will learn how to evaluate the reliability of sources and explain and identify fact and opinion and identify bias. We will develop our note taking skills and how to organise these effectively with subheadings to help create written texts.

Listening and Talking - We will be learning to recite 'A Chuckie in yer shoe' by Bruce Clark Dick in preparation for our Scottish Assembly. Pupils will be encouraged to face the audience, speak clearly, use gesture and express the mood and rhythm of the poem. We will also be performing in a class assembly and preparing a class talk.

Writing - We will learn about the different techniques used by authors (e.g. similes, metaphors & alliteration) to engage the reader and will incorporate these techniques into our own poems. We will continue to incorporate VCOP into all writing activities and to ensure neat, joined script is used at all times.

Modern Languages - We will be continuing to develop our skills in French by revising numbers, days and months and new vocabulary linked to discussing the weather.

Homework

We are currently completing our homework through activities available on the school app. Pupils are also being encouraged to read for pleasure at home to develop their ability to read independently for extended periods of time.

NUMERACY



For our Numeracy we will continue to develop our mental maths skills and strategies through daily challenges. We will consolidate our knowledge of the four operations (+ - x ÷) by solving word and multi-step problems. We will also be focusing on fractions, decimals and percentages.

In Mathematics we will also have the opportunity to conduct a survey and to present our findings in a range of ways including digitally. We will be developing our skills in measurement with learning linked with weight and volume and looking at comparing costs.

H&WB - This term we will be looking at our rights and responsibilities, resilience and dealing with conflict and change. As part of our learning, we will discuss strategies to build resilience, to support us during challenging times and we will also continue to promote the importance of having a growth mind-set.



P.E - P.E will be on a Monday and a Wednesday. Primary 7 will practise our Scottish Country Dancing and developing our football and rugby skills. Please ensure all jewellery is removed before coming to school on these days and please remember to bring appropriate footwear. False nails are not to be worn in school.



Social Studies/Science/Technology - During the month of January we will be developing our mapping skills by focusing on the geography of Scotland as well as investigating its history and culture.

We will then be learning about The Human Body and its systems.

Uniform - make sure all items of uniform are labelled.

School Information - Please check the school 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

