



P6 NEWSLETTER Term 4 Teacher: Mr McIlorum, Mrs McIlorum

Meta-Skills

This will be a focus throughout all learning this term. We will continue to explore all 12 of the skills and self-evaluate on our strengths and areas to develop.

We will continue to use our journals and world of work profiles to reflect on our own skills and abilities.

Health and Well-being:

Mrs Irvine-McLean, our P.E. specialist, will deliver P.E every Friday. The class will also have P.E on Wednesday with Mr McIlorum. Please ensure your child comes in appropriate P.E clothing on these days.

We will have a focus on food this term as part of our Health and Wellbeing which will also be covered through IDL.

Religious and Moral Education:

This term the children will be learning about religious food and practices from different world religions.

Important Dates Term 4 -

Wednesday 14th & Thursday 15th - Learner Conference Dates

Friday 16th May - Sports Day (Weather Permitting)

Thursday 22nd May - P7 Fun Afternoon
Friday 23rd May - Sports Day Reserve Date

There will also be a class trip this term which is currently being arranged: details will follow as soon as organised.

Fair Trade and the History of Chocolate.

This term our IDL focus will be based around the Fair Trade and the History of Chocolate. Part of our learning will involve carrying out research and using it across the curriculum in a variety of different ways.

Homework:

Our main homework task will be a personal talk challenge to support the pupils with a talk they will give in school. If you would like any additional spelling, maths or reading homework this term please contact me on gw13mcilorumlisa@ea.dumgal.sch.uk

Literacy:

In literacy this term, our writing blocks will mainly focus on procedural and response texts. We will also be completing a poetry block. Our grammar focus will also be linked in to these contexts.

We will continue to work on presentation and spelling through our Handwriting and Spelling programmes. Reading will take place in class throughout various curricular areas as well as our class novel.

Numeracy:

In Primary 6, our main focus will be exploring patterns and relationships and expressions and equations. We will also revisit concepts covered previously in the year and have a focus on mental maths skills. In topics maths, we will be learning about shape and measure.

Expressive Arts

Our expressive arts outcomes this term will be covered using our topic as stimulus. The pupils will experience a range of art, drama and music opportunities.

Dojo:

We are so pleased to have Dojo back up and running. We hope you've been enjoying the updates! Dojo will continue to be used to share key messages for the class and share what we have been up to. Please also check here for any changes or additions to dates for various things throughout the term.

ICT:

This term we will be focusing on our researching skills and coding. We will continue to work on our transferrable skills using different devices across the curriculum.