







Term 3 Learning Information for Primary 1



<p>TOPIC</p> 	<p>Our IDL topic we will be finding out about Scotland; learning to recognise the Saltire flag and identifying Scotland on a map. We will be exploring Scottish themes including Scots language, food, music and culture through a range of activities and stories. After this, we will look at comparing our lives in Scotland to the lives of children in France. We will learn about the food and begin to learn some French words and phrases.</p>
<p>LITERACY</p> 	<p>We will be revising all single sounds (letters of the alphabet). Children should have a copy of each sound flashcard in their bag; you can use these to build 3 letter words. We have begun letter formation (writing). We will teach these in groups of similar letters; for example, c o a d g q all start similarly. We have been working on 'tricky words' this term. These are words children cannot sound out. Learning these is an essential part of reading and practising these with your child will allow them to begin reading in class.</p> <p>Show and Tell will begin in February. Children will be invited each week to talk about their favourite toy/ certificate/ photo or item from home. They will be expected to introduce themselves and their theme, use eye contact, a clear voice, say at least 3 pieces of information and answer simple questions.</p>
<p>NUMERACY</p> 	<p>In Numeracy we have been focusing on money. Throughout this topic we will be developing the children's awareness of how money is used and see if they can recognise and use a range of coins.</p> <p>We will continue to revise our mental maths strategies working with numbers within 20 before returning to addition within 10.</p> <p>Miss Teasdale will be working on the seasons, days of the week and time, supporting the children to learn how to tell the time at o'clock and half past.</p>
<p>OTHER INFORMATION</p> 	<p>Mrs Irons is in class Monday to Thursday and Miss Teasdale teaches on a Thursday morning and all day Friday.</p> <p>P1 have P.E in the school hall on Thursday and have regular outdoor sessions</p> <p>Homework bags are collected in on a Monday to allow time to add any homework ready for Tuesday. Any homework issued is to be returned on a Monday.</p>
<p>Dates for the Diary</p>	<p>11th February - Scottish/Burns poem competition 7th March World Book Day event (further info tbc) 14th March Red Nose Day/Comic Relief (further info tbc) 28th March 9:20 leaving school for Church Easter Service 28th March last day of school 14th April return to school.</p>



Lighthouse Musicians



Gymnastics



Highland dancing, singing 'You Canny Shove Your Grannie Aff a Bus' and trying haggis!

