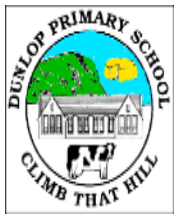




P2



Class Learning

Dunlop Primary School
Term 1
Miss Rodgers

Literacy



Reading: The children will continue with weekly reading and will engage in a range of activities which show comprehension and reading skills using the strategies Find It, Talk It, Prove It. During reading sessions, the children will develop the skills of reading with fluency and using expression.

Writing: Writing will be contextualised to the themes of Teeth and Oral Hygiene and Food and Farming. Genres of learning include: instructional writing, report writing and characterisation. During writing, the expectation will be on; the different genres features, using good vocabulary, connectives to join sentences together and writing in sentences.

Grammar: In grammar, the children will be learning about the different types of noun: common nouns, proper nouns and pronouns, verbs and verb tenses and also adjectives to enhance writing.

Spelling: Spelling will focus on the Stage 2 programme, which I will share with you via the app.

Talking and Listening: I will set a small talking and listening task and the children will present information on a farm animal. Information on this will follow shortly.

Social Studies/Science

Our Science learning is linked to Health and Wellbeing, focusing on Teeth and Oral Hygiene, Healthy Eating and Food Groups during this learning we will be conducting experiments, please look out for these on the blog.

In Social Studies, the children's learning will focus on Food and Farming, examining the job of a farmer, local and seasonal produce, different types of farms and farm to fork. If allowed we would love a farmer to come and speak to us!

Numeracy



As part of the daily Numeracy programme the children will learn a range of number talks designed to build number confidence as well as accuracy and efficiency with number calculations. Number talks enable the children to explain their thinking.

The focus for Numeracy will be working with numbers to 100 this includes reading writing and ordering. Addition and subtraction will focus on 2 digit numbers and number patterns of 2, 5 and 10. Learning will also include the numbers to 20 and the corresponding number words.

The children will also be consolidating previous learning to ensure accurate recall of the number bonds to 10 and then progressing through the number bonds to 20.

Ongoing, learning will include days of the week, months of the year, seasons and time.

In Shape, Position and Movement, the children will learn about a range of 2D shapes and 3D objects, linking this learning to the real world. After this the children will focus on pattern, tiling and symmetry.

Technologies



The children will develop their digital skills by focusing on;

- Using the laptops to log on and log off.
- Opening Word and using the features to change font, size of text and colour. In addition the children are continuing to develop their keyboard skills.

The Promethean Board will be used ongoing to enliven teaching and learning using a range of programmes.

Health & Wellbeing



P.E: PE will be twice a week. The focus will be small and large ball skills, including throwing and catching.

Towards the end of the term the focus will be gymnastics, focusing on rolls and balances.

Health: This term, the children's learning will focus on Teeth and Oral Hygiene, Healthy Eating and Food Groups, and as part of our JRSO work, we will also focus on road safety.

Emotional Wellbeing will focus on the strategies for a healthy mind including yoga, mindfulness, thai chi, breathing exercises, calm stories and music for relaxation.

Daily Mile: The Daily Mile will continue as this is a great opportunity for us to use the wonderful park and it encourages an ongoing commitment to keeping the children active on a daily basis.

For health this year, P2 will take on leadership responsibilities for the Junior Road Safety Officer programme with each child having the title of Junior Road Safety Officer or JRSO for short. Look out on the blog or parent app for projects the class will lead for whole school participation.

Expressive Arts



Our Art focus for this term will develop the skills of drawing, this will be taught via online drawing tutorials and is designed to not only develop skills but build confidence in drawing.

Later in the term, the Art and Design focus will be linked to our class topic of 'Food and Farming' and the children will develop a wide range of skills including collage, pattern and painting.

To further extend 'Food and Farming' our Music focus will include songs linked with this topic.