



Topic

Titanic is our topic this term. We will be finding out about how and where it was built, the journey it took, the different classes on board and what happened to make the Titanic sink.



PRIMARY 5/4 TERM 1



Science

As part of our Titanic topic, we will be investigating Floating and Sinking.



Literacy



Our novel this term is 'Kaspar Prince of Cats' by Michael Morpurgo which ties in with our Titanic topic. Through this we are developing our knowledge of reading strategies including prediction, main ideas and summarising.

In Spelling we are using the East Ayrshire Active Literacy programme to explore a range of phonemes including 'ae' and 'ee'. We will also look at a range of spelling rules.



Please remember to bring water bottles with a sports cap to keep hydrated. Fizzy or sports drinks are not permitted.



Primary 5/4 PE days are Wednesdays and Thursdays. We also have a small Fitness slot on a Tuesday. Please remember to bring your PE kit with you on these days. You can also keep them in the classroom to save you forgetting.



Maths and Numeracy

This session we are concentrating on Place Value. We are also revising times tables using our Ninja multiplication programme.



Welcome to Primary 5/4. I hope everyone had a lovely summer break and is feeling ready for an exciting year ahead. We have lots of fun learning planned, and I look forward to watching the children grow, learn and achieve. Thank you for your support. I look forward to working with you throughout the year. Mrs Barrie 😊



Reading for Gold



This year, P5/4 will take part in our Reading for Gold challenge. Children will work towards Bronze, Silver and Gold awards by reading books throughout the year. Please encourage your child to read regularly at home and help us develop a love of reading.

