Primary INEWSLETTER

HELLO ©

We have all settled back into school routines well and are continuing to work very hard at developing our skills and achieving our school goals!

Literacy:

P1 will be continuing to learn, recognise, write and use our letter sound knowledge to focus on blending in reading and sounding out words in writing. The class will work on developing our listening and talking skills and confidence to share, ask and respond to different questions with the whole class. We will also be detectives as we look at prediction within reading.

Numeracy:

P1 will continue to revise and advance our number recognition, formation and ordering skills with a particular focus on number bonds and counting backwards. We will be moving on to look at Positional Language and Time, learning our days of the week, months of the year and exploring how we measure and read the time on digital and analogue clocks.

Health and Wellbeing:

In P.E., pupils will work on their gymnastics skills, looking in particular at balance and jumping. We will also look at racket skills through Tennis, building up our coordination skills. Learners will then move on to some Social Dance which links well with our Scottish topic. On a Friday our P.E. session will continue to focus on games chosen by the learners to work on turn taking, cooperation, team work and autonomy and choice.

In HWB we will explore feelings associated with change and loss and discuss how we can express how we feel about change. We will continue to look at kindness to others and how we can be good friends, help others and what we do if we experience or see bullying. We will use the RespectMe resources to support our learning.

<u> I.D.L —</u>

So far this term we have been learning about Scotland. We have looked at where we live in Scotland, why we like where we live, Scots language, Burns night, Scottish Castles and The Loch Ness Monster! Our next topic will be exploring toys, comparing old and new toys and designing our own toys. It will link in lots of science about the forces used to make objects, such as our favourite toys, move in all directions.

P.E Days and other curricular areas:

- Our P.E days are a Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Please send in a separate bag with indoor shoes and P.E kit to change into. No jewellery can be worn.
- We will do Music/Art/Drama on a Thursday Afternoon.



Please feel free to contact me any time — Miss Fyvie