



**Class P4/5**  
**Term 2 2020/21**

## What are we learning this term?

Welcome to Term 2! What a fantastic first term we had in P4/5! All pupils worked so hard and we have had lots of laughs along the way. I can't wait for another action packed term.

### Language & Literacy

Our fiction story this term is 'The Tin Forest' where we will look at characterisation and use our Active Literacy reading strategies to answer a variety of questions. Pupils will be continuing to look at sustainability through non-fiction texts. We will explore lots of different styles of reports identify the features of reports and newspaper articles. This will continue into our writing where pupils will write their own!



### Numeracy & Mathematics

In numeracy this term P4/5 will continue with their Number Talks. Pupils have made excellent progress in Number Talks so far and are beginning to identify multiple strategies to solve calculations and to share their learning. Pupils will continue to develop their skills using the 4 number concepts and extend knowledge of 2D and 3D shape. Through the context of learning pupils will also work on practical measure and simple conversions of measure.



### Health & Wellbeing

In PE this term, Primary 4/5 will be developing their skills in creative dance and tennis. Through Health lessons, pupils will investigate food advertising and food packaging to allow them to spot healthy choices. Pupils will then explore substance misuse and identify ways to ensure that they stay safe on the internet, including the advantages and disadvantages of the internet.



### Contexts for Learning

Our context for learning this term is STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics). Through a Santa's Grotto theme, pupils will complete challenges and solve problems. This will include learning about electrical circuits, materials and computational language. Pupils will plan, design and evaluate tasks to help the elf off the shelf, to light up Rudolph's nose, build a gingerbread house and lots of other festive fun.



## Additional Information

Our PE days are a Monday and Wednesday.

Please check P4/5's Glow Blog for updates about our learning and any reminders. This will be updated fortnightly.

Please don't hesitate to get in contact if there is anything you want to discuss. Thank you for your support! Mrs O'Neil ☺