



A note from Primary 1...

Please find below our learning from August to December 2017:

Science... We will be learning about electricity and will be exploring our school to identify how electricity is used within our learning environment. We will also be learning about the properties of water through our topic 'Freezing and Melting'. We are looking forward to our visits in the autumn and winter months to Linn Park.

Social Studies... The focus for this planning block is 'Our School and our Local Community'. There are lots of people in our school who work with and help the children and it will be exciting to learn about the different roles they play in our school life.

RME... At Netherlee Primary we take great pride in our school values - Courage, Compassion, Respect, Responsibility, Fairness and Friendship. In Primary 1, we will be learning about our school values, with the emphasis being placed on Friendship. We are really excited about our annual nativity performance and look forward sharing our learning about Christianity through our performance of the Christmas Story.

Technologies... We will be exploring a variety of educational websites to help us with our learning in numeracy and literacy. We will also be using the drawing programme Tux Paint to represent our ideas.

Expressive Arts... Our focus this block will be on developing our fine motor skills. By using various media we will be creating colourful patterns and line drawings.

Health and Wellbeing... Friendships and building positive relationships will be one of our areas of learning. We will also be focusing on personal hygiene and will learn the importance of brushing our teeth and washing our hands to help us stay healthy.

Modern Foreign Languages... We will be participating in daily conversational French we will be learning new vocabulary through interactive games, songs and rhymes.

Literacy and Numeracy ... Our learning in literacy and numeracy will follow our curriculum skills framework and will differ according to the needs of each group / class. Where relevant it may be set within the contexts listed above. Supporting your child at home to form numbers accurately will be enormously beneficial to our children.

