



A note from Primary 1...

Please find below our learning from August to December 2018:

Science... With autumn and winter fast approaching, we will be using our observation skills to look at the sky and discover how night turns to day. We will also explore the change of seasons from summer to autumn and autumn to winter, visiting Linn Park and using our local environment as a stimulus for our learning.

Social Studies... The focus for this is 'Our School and our Local Community'. There are lots of people in our school who work with and help us and it will be exciting to learn about the different roles they play in our school life and why it's important to build positive relationships. We will also visit our local community and explore different signs and environmental print, linking our work through the curricular areas of Literacy, Art, Drama, Technologies and Numeracy.

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.

