



Hillview Primary

Primary 2



THE GLOBAL GOALS
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Curriculum News



The pupils are settling well into Primary 2 and are very excited to be back at school. Since returning to school the children have embraced the challenges of Primary 2 so far and have had lots of fun getting to know their peers and school staff a little better.

The children show great enthusiasm towards their learning and are excited for all that awaits them in their second year of primary school.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Literacy : Across all curricular areas pupils will continue to explore a wide range of how sounds work together to help them read and write. Each week pupils will be led through guided reading sessions as a class, spelling, grammar, talking & listening and writing experiences. On Thursday we will focus specifically on developing writing skills.

Numeracy: Exploring number will be at the heart of our numeracy experiences this coming term. We will be exploring numbers to help us to count, explore sequences and describe order up to 20. Practical materials will be used to help us count on and back to help us understand addition and subtraction calculations. Children will be making links to real life and becoming more aware of the importance of maths in the world around us.

Health & Wellbeing: Health & Wellbeing will be particularly important to ensure our learners feel safe and reconnected. We have been exploring the relationships we have with those around us particularly our peers and those within our school community. Alongside our **Resilience** programme we have been learning strategies that help us work through various situations that may arise in our friendships and relationships in and out of school.

Social Studies: We are very excited to start our topic on Under the Sea where this week we will be learning about the classification of living and non-living things.

Celebrating Achievements

It is so important that we celebrate all achievements both in and out of school. We always love hearing about achievements from home e.g. baking, craft, helping others.

We love acknowledging all achievements so please keep us informed of all the good news ☺



Homework Hints

- Homework will reinforce concepts taught in class and will usually comprise of some Literacy and Maths.
- Useful websites include Sumdog and Literacy Planet (logins available from class teacher if required)
- Please encourage your child to read a book they really enjoy at home every night if possible ☺

PE

Primary 2 will have their P.E. sessions on a Monday afternoon and Muddy Movers on a Thursday afternoon.

Pupils should bring a water bottle and come prepared for all weathers.

General Information

Our **Class Blog** will be accessible through the school website. Please also follow the school on **Twitter**. Primary 2 enjoy sharing their learning and this is a great way for you to keep up to date with the learning in class!

We look forward to an exciting year ahead.

Thanks for your support! ☺