Meet The Teacher

Kirkhill Primary School

Thursday 5 September 2019





Our Revised Vision and Values

At Kirkhill we are **#PROUD** of our school community.

Everyone is encouraged to be creative, strive for excellence and be inspired to attain, achieve and be their best.

At Kirkhill we are #PROUD and empowered to demonstrate our values of;

Perseverance

Resilience and Respect

Optimism

Unity

Diversity

Literacy and English



- Spelling daily. Assessment on Friday
- Handwriting Monday
- Knowledge about Language (KAL)/
 Grammar Friday
- Big Writing Thursday (with Mrs Menzies)
- Talking and listening daily

Numeracy and Mathematics



- Interactive Oral Mental Mathematics
- Introducing the Lesson
- Direct Interactive Teaching
- The Plenary Session

- Games to reinforce learning
- Online resources such as Education City

Health and Wellbeing



- PE Possession Games Monday
- PE Fitness Tuesday
- Mental/Social/Emotional Health Bounceback/Mindfulness
- Weekly assembly share achievements
- **GIRFEC**

Other Curricular Areas



- Social Studies Rainforest/Endangered Animals
- Science Skeleton, organs, inheritance
- Drama Cross curricular HWB/Literacy
- Art Henri Rousseau, Henri Matisse
- RME Festivals/Values
- Technology Craft Design

Homework

- Spelling Weekly (issued on an Monday for Friday)
- Reading Weekly (issued Wednesday for following Wednesday)
- Mental Maths Daily (Monday to Thursday)
- Other Research/Curricular Area Roughly Twice a Term
- Homework will be issued through our class blog on a Monday. If you have trouble accessing homework online or would like a paper copy please contact the Office and we can arrange for paper copies to be sent home.

How you can help...

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Please remind your child to:-

- Prepare all homework to a high standard and ask an adult to check and sign homework
- Undertake reading homework with an adult
- Bobbles and no jewellery for PE days
- Put homework into school bag
- Return letters on time
- Ensure they have all equipment e.g. pencils/reading glasses etc.
- Ensure they have a full water bottle on arrival each morning

How Will We Keep You Informed?



Communication

- Twitter @KirkhillPS
- Friday Bundle
- Monthly newsletter
- School website

Sharing our Learning

- Twitter @KirkhillPS
- Class blogs
- Termly overview
- Snapshot jotters
- Curricular events