

Curriculum Bulletin

Sgoil Uibhist a Tuath

Primary: P5-7 GLE Term 2 : December-March

Interdisciplinary Topic:

Disabilities and inequalities

Overarching Theme: Our Caring World

Description:

Using the novel 'Wonder' by RJ Palacio, pupils will explore important themes surrounding disabilities such as Bullying, friendship, family and getting on and falling out. Pupils will use the novel as a context for learning about the range of disabilities people can have and the importance of equality. Pupils will also learn about inequalities that people faced in history, such as Black history and the slavery links within Scotland. Pupils will also investigate inequalities in the modern world linked to the Global Goals and RRS

The 5 Big Questions:

- What are the different disabilities and how do they affect people?
- How are some people born with disabilities?
- How do are people who have disabilities supported to live a full and happy life?
- What did inequality look like in the past?
- What does inequality look like in our world today?

Useful websites:

www.topmarks.co.uk www.bbcbitesize.co.uk www.sumdog.co.uk Subjects Incorporated: Literacy, Social Studies, Health and Wellbeing, Sciences

Mathematics & Numeracy;

Mathematics:

- Time
- Data Handling
- Problem solving strategies

Numeracy

- Addition and Subtraction
- Multiplication and Division

Literacy

Writing - Creating Texts

- Imaginative Writing/Reports
- Creates interesting characters through, their feelings and actions, physical description and/or dialogue.
- Creates setting/context with some descriptive detail.
- use figurative language (imagery) to engage the reader, for example, simile, metaphor, alliteration and onomatopoeia.
- Creates plots with clear structures

Report Writing

- Organises ideas in a logical way.
- Includes an introduction that makes the topic clear and a conclusion that rounds off the writing.

Tools for Writing

- Uses punctuation such as: capital letters, full stops, commas, inverted commas (speech marks), exclamation marks, question marks and/or apostrophes.
- Use sentences of different lengths and types and varies sentence openings.
- Links sentences using a range of conjunctions.
- Uses paragraphs to separate thoughts and ideas.

Writes in a fluent and legible way

Reading

Understanding, Analysing and Evaluating

- Identifies the purpose and main idea of a text.
- Responds to a range of questions, including literal, inferential and evaluative questions, to demonstrate understanding of texts.
- Creates different types of questions to show understanding of texts

Tools for Reading

- Read with fluency, understanding and expression using appropriate pace and tone
- Applies a range of reading skills and strategies to read and understand texts, for example, skimming, scanning, predicting, clarifying and/or summarising

Novel study: Wonder by RJ Palacio Talking and Listening:

Understanding, Analysing and Evaluating

- asks and responds to a range of questions, including literal, inferential and evaluative questions, to demonstrate understanding of spoken texts.
- Identify the difference between fact and opinion with suitable explanation.

Tools for Listening and Talking

Learn to use:

- eye contact, body language, emphasis, pace and/or tone.
- techniques used to engage or influence the listener, for example, vocabulary, emphasis, tone and/or rhetorical questions.

Health & Wellbeing:

Physical Education

- Jog Scotland programme endurance
- Badminton
- Circuits

Pupils will have 2 sessions of P.E with P5-7 GME pupils as part of their language development in Gaelic

RSHP:

Please note, content for the following lessons is differentiated and is able to view on our school website

A Fair and equal life for boys and girls

 Stereotyping and equality Being Fair Physical Changes My Feelings My Body – Toothbrushing/exercise/rest and sleep When I feel sad or worried
MESP - Social Wellbeing
Religious & Moral Education: Christianity and World Religions Nativity story Bible Stories – Moses
Other World Religions: • Buddhism
Go Gaelic/French Vocabulary related to: Family Pets Animals Body parts
Art and Design: Learn about the artist L.S Lowy – apply his techniques to artwork Gardening: Our weekly garden sessions will continue this session