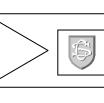


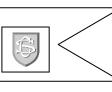
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In literacy we are learning to:	In numeracy & maths we are
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- All pupils will use full stops, capitals and	learning to:
finger spaces correctly in their work.	- Name and describe 2D and 3D shapes.
- All pupils will practise spelling common	- Identify 3D shapes in the environment.
words and use spelling patterns correctly.	- Build nets and skeletons of 3D shapes.
- All pupils will talk about the books and	
authors we enjoy. This will be supported	- Choose the appropriate addition and
by monthly visits to Dunfermline Library.	subtraction method from a range of
- Some pupils will learn to use a range of	strategies (written, practical and mental.)
connectives and openers to make their	- Recognise and use the place value of a
writing more interesting.	number.
- Some pupils will learn to structure their	- Rounding numbers to the nearest ten or
longer pieces of writing by using	hundred.
paragraphs.	
	*This could be 2,3,4 or 5 digit numbers
	depending on their group.
In our Viking topic we are learning	In Health & Well-Being we are
to:	learning to:
- Compare lives in the past to my own life	- Talk about what makes a good classroom
including what they ate, where they lived	citizen.
and the roles they had in society.	- Talk about my rights and those of others.
- Talk about significant people from this	- Name and describe a range of emotions.
time.	- Recognise non-verbal indicators that tell
- Use a variety of sources to find	how someone is feeling.
information about this time period.	
- Investigate materials that can float and	- In P.E. we will be practising a variety of
sink so we can make the strongest viking	
boats.	ball skills and learning to create and follow
boats.	dance steps or routines.
In ICT we are learning to:	In Expressive Arts we are learning to:
- Practise typing skills.	- Music: Develop rhythm and pitch through
- Use Clicker and MS Word to write.	
	games and songs. Play tuned and untuned
- Edit the colour, size, font etc of a text.	percussion.
- Open and save documents.	- Art: Use a range of materials to create
	images and objects.
	- Drama: We will be performing in our class
	assembly in November. Parents are invited
	to this!

In Outdoor Learning we are	How can families help?	
 In Outdoor Learning we are learning to: Recognise our five senses and use them to explore our surroundings. Develop an awareness of the seasons and how our environment changes. Chart weather changes and discuss how weather effects our lives. Look after our local environment by litter picking. 	 Please label all clothing including gym kit! Reading book and spelling jotter should be returned by Monday. Appropriate clothing and footwear for outdoor learning is required every Wednesday. Gym kits are required for Tuesday and Friday. Please make sure your child can tie their own shoe laces, zip up a coat, put on gloves and tie their school tie if they are wearing it 	
to school. Links for optional additional learning: www.sumdog.com www.topmarks.co.uk https://ictgames.com/ www.mathframe.co.uk		