



Lawhead Primary School



Learning Overview

Term 1: August - October 2023

Class: P3/4

Our topic/theme for learning this term will be:		
St Andrews and the local area		
Literacy:		
<p>Reading</p> <p>Developing fluency when reading aloud. Beginning work on a variety of comprehension skills.</p>	<p>Writing</p> <p>Genre: Personal</p> <p>Grammar: Using basic punctuation accurately and consistently, using paragraphs in our writing.</p>	<p>Listening and Talking</p> <p>Listening to and responding to texts. Developing collaborative working skills; turn taking and listening to others in a group.</p>
Numeracy:		
<p>Number, Money and Measure</p> <p>Place value - ones, tens, hundreds, thousands and beyond. Rounding (to nearest 10/100/1000) and using rounding to estimate answers. Number and order - sequencing and ordering numbers by using knowledge of place value. Addition and subtraction strategies - developing a wider range of mental and written strategies to solve +/- problems. Explaining strategies used.</p>	<p>Shape, Position and Movement</p> <p>Not covered this term.</p>	<p>Information Handling</p> <p>Exploring probability - predicting the likelihood of an outcome, using more/less likely to compare events, identifying possible results of an action by collecting data.</p>

Health and Wellbeing: (Pupils will not cover all 7 wellbeing indicators every term but will experience them all over the course of the year)

SAFE	Keeping safe when sharing a space with others, developing risk assessment skills and awareness of how to keep safe in the outdoor learning context
HEALTHY	Understanding ways to look after our bodies, developing awareness of the effects of smoking on the body
ACHIEVING	Growth Mindset work.
NURTURED	
ACTIVE	P.E - tennis and netball skills
RESPECTED	
RESPONSIBLE	
INCLUDED	

Other Curricular Areas:

Social Subjects:	Exploring the local area - making maps/models and describing land use. Researching the role of local organisations and how they provide for the needs of the community.	
Sciences:	Not covered this term.	
Technologies:	Digital Literacy: Logging into Glow independently. Revisiting whole school code of conduct and safe use of internet guidance. Finding information online.	Computing Science: Introducing computational thinking skills. Algorithms, debugging and creating simple pieces of code.
Art and Design:	The visual elements of art - line, shape, form, colour, tone, pattern, texture.	
Music:	Charanga - keeping the beat/rhythm.	
Drama:	Developing scripts for tricky learning situations, linked to Growth Mindset work.	
Dance:	Not covered this term.	
Religious and Moral Education:	Islam - key beliefs, the role of Islam in Scotland and across the world.	
Modern Languages/1+2:	Building French into our daily routines- greetings, lunch choices, the date, weather, saying how you are feeling.	

Suggestions To Support Learning At Home This Term:

- Sumdog (Maths, Spelling, Grammar)
- Encourage reading, watching and listening to a variety of genres and sign reading record weekly
- Encourage independent use of Glow, Teams and Sumdog



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- Discuss our topic at home and share what you know in your family about St Andrews, local organisations which help people and land use in the area.
- Practise handwriting focussing on size and formation