



# Lawhead Primary School

## Learning Overview - Class: Primary 1



Term 3: January - April 2025

### Our topic/theme for learning this term will be:

Scotland (January)

Spring (February/March)

### Literacy:

Reading	Writing	Listening and Talking
<p>This term we will continue working through the phonics progression and reading books will be sent home weekly.</p> <p>We will find new information from the books we read together in class and begin to look for information in non-fiction books.</p> <p>We will begin to use context clues to answer questions about a text.</p>	<p><b>Text Type:</b></p> <p><b>Procedural-</b> We are learning to write a set of instructions. <b>Description-</b> We are learning to write to describe a character or object.</p> <p><b>Tools For Writing:</b></p> <p>This term we will learn to write a sentence with spaces between words, a capital letter and a full stop.</p> <p>We will continue to work on correct letter formation.</p>	<p>This term we will work on following and giving instructions.</p> <p>We will continue to work on sharing in front of a small group or class.</p> <p>We will learn how to perform our poems to an audience. We will practise good pace, volume and eye contact and try to add expression to our voice.</p>

### Numeracy:

Number, Money and Measure	Shape, Position and Movement	Information Handling	Mental Maths
<p>This term we will introduce addition and subtraction strategies to complete a sum within 10. We will begin to use the +/=/ symbols to read and complete a number sentence. The children will use concrete materials to help them count on and back.</p>	<p>This term we will explore 2D and 3D shapes. We will explore the properties of each shape and name the shapes.</p>	<p>We will begin to classify data into categories e.g shape or colour.</p> <p>Or decide ourselves how the objects could be classified and label the categories.</p>	<p>Our mental math targets this term are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Read, write and count to 20 or beyond.</li><li>• Add 2 to any number within 10.</li><li>• Take away 1 from any number within 10</li></ul>

<p>We will begin to skip count in 2's, 5's and 10's.</p> <p>Telling the time- the class will begin to explore clocks and telling the time. We will focus on o'clock and half past.</p>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recite the days of the week and months of the year.</li> <li>Continue to practise doubling numbers and odd/even numbers</li> </ul>
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**Health and Wellbeing: (Pupils will not cover all 7 wellbeing indicators every term but will experience them all over the course of the year)**

<b>SAFE</b>	During our outdoor learning sessions we will think about road safety, finding a safe place to cross and staying safe outdoors.
<b>HEALTHY</b>	This term we will find out where food comes from and take part in tasting different foods.
<b>ACHIEVING</b>	Sharing and celebrating achievements (ongoing)
<b>NURTURED</b>	
<b>ACTIVE</b>	This term we will complete a block of Scottish Country dance in the hall and outside we will focus on team games. After the February break our focus will be on improving fitness and stamina.
<b>RESPECTED</b>	
<b>RESPONSIBLE</b>	
<b>INCLUDED</b>	

**Other Curricular Areas:**

<b>Social Subjects:</b>	We will begin this term with a focus on Burn's and Scotland. The children will enjoy exploring Scottish landmarks and traditions and practising some Scottish words! After the February break children will learn to identify their senses and use them to explore the changing seasons and Spring.		
<b>Sciences:</b>	This term we will be learning about our 5 senses and how we use them to explore the world around us.		
<b>Technologies:</b>	<p><b>Digital Literacy:</b></p> <p>This term we will take part in Safer Internet Day, we will learn about age-appropriate ways to stay safe online. We will learn about search engines and, with support, will find information related to our topic.</p>	<p><b>Computing Science:</b></p> <p>We will explore computational thinking by looking for similarities and differences in objects.</p>	<p><b>Food, Textiles, Technological Developments, Craft, Design, Engineering and Graphics:</b></p> <p>Through our Scotland topic the children will have the opportunity to prepare and taste food. The focus will be on preparing food safely and hygienically.</p> <p>We will explore the materials and techniques used to create tartan and create our own kilts. We will use materials in our play</p>



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			environment to create models and pictures. We will practise cutting, sticking, and weaving different textiles.
<b>Art and Design:</b>	This term we will explore colour and texture. We will look at hot and cold colours and tone. We will learn about adding texture to our artwork.		
<b>Music:</b>	This term we will use instruments to play along to music to explore rhythm and sound.		
<b>Drama:</b>	This term we will begin to share what we like/dislike about characters in drama, we will think about how a character might feel or what they might say in a situation. We will develop our communication skills when working as a group.		
<b>Dance:</b>	This term we will take part in Scottish Country Dance.		
<b>Religious and Moral Education:</b>	Our focus this term will be Easter and new beginnings.		
<b>Modern Languages/1+2:</b>	This term we will learn the days of the week. We will continue to practise greetings, colours and numbers. We will listen out for words/phrases in songs and stories.		