Primary 5a Class Newsletter

Important information

Monday:	Homework handed out.
Tuesday:	PE Day at Clyde College (re-starting 16 th January)
	Miss Crumlish (taking over for Mrs Draffen)
Wednesday: Library	
Friday:	P.E
	Spelling quiz and Maths challenges

Homework: Weekly homework will consist of spelling words or grammar activity, reading book, and your choice of activity from the cross-curricular homework grid.

Literacy

Writing – Focus on Procedural writing (e.g. instructions and recipes) Poetry – Tetractys poems

Grammar – Develop our punctuation practices. This term we will also focus on: Comparatives and superlatives, questions and statements.

Reading – We will continue to be developing our reading skills through Literacy Circles, with a continued focus on recognising and creating different types of questions.

Spine Books (Class Novel) – Focus on purpose of texts. Discuss the writing tools used by authors to achieve their purpose.

Reading for Enjoyment – Focus on recognising different genres and offering suggestions for others to read. This will be supported by weekly Library visits!

Talking and Listening – Pupils will continue to focus on making constructive responses in groupwork as well as opportunities to create and present work.

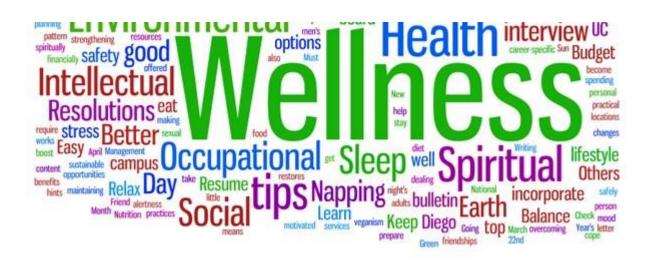
Numeracy and Mathematics

In Numeracy:

- Fractions
- Factors and multiples
- Continue developing Multiplication and Division strategies (with a focus on word problems)
- Chat that Counts

In Maths:

- Data & Analysis charts, graphs and interpreting information
- Area and perimeter



Health and Wellbeing

- RSHPE
- Continue developing our understanding of emotional literacy through Emotion
 Works

PE:

- Developing balls skills through a range of different sports
- PE will be developed with support from Clyde College,



Topic, Science and Technology

Topic: Scottish wars of Independence (Medieval times)

Science:

Forces - exploring friction, air resistance and motion

Topical Science

ICT/Technologies:

Cyber bullying and developing our technology skills, through coding.



Art

Explore press printing and multi-layered prints

Developing use of digital media

Drama

Watch and reflect on different dramatic performances.