

Primary 5a Class Newsletter

Important information

Monday: Homework handed out.

Tuesday: PE Day at Clyde College (re-starting 16th 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.



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.