

Primary P4a Class Newsletter Term 4



Literacy

Reading: Literacy circles to develop reading and talking and listening skills.

Writing: Poetry, persuasive & recount writing.

Spelling: Rules and commonly misspelled words. Using a variety of different strategies and active activities. Words will be uploaded onto Seesaw for the term ahead.

Talking and Listening: Solo talks and sharing our own poems to an audience.

Maths and Numeracy

Shape, pattern and spatial awareness.

Place value – extending understanding of place value beyond 1,000 and strategies for addition/subtraction mentally.

Word Problems – applying our knowledge of the four operations to word problems.

Fractions – consolidating equivalent fractions and finding fractions of amounts. Using fractions in word problems.

Time – developing an understanding on time intervals.

Measure- measuring accurately to the nearest unit.

Transformation – describe, plot and use 2-figure grid references.

Health and Wellbeing

Mental, Emotional, Social and Physical Wellbeing – focussing on friendships, change and loss, safe travel and how we are all unique.

P.E Days: Monday and Wednesday. Focussing on rugby and athletics.

Pupils can come dressed in gym kit, please remove jewellery and a bring a full water bottle.

Technologies

We will be having a go at coding using the Lego Spike resources.

Social Studies

The Water Source - Exploring Water Rights and Sustainable Development.

Rights Education

The UNCRC (United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child) underpins all our learning in class. We explore how everyone has the right to feel safe, to be heard and to learn, and we consider how we can respect the rights of others in our school and beyond. Through regular input at assembly, we have developed a strong sense of fairness, empathy and responsibility and we draw on these skills to support one another as we grow into respectful and considerate members of our school community.

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Sharing of Learning

Remember our sharing of learning will be taking place on the 14th May.

Outdoor Learning

This term we plan for outdoor learning for Maths games and making use of our new loose parts materials. Please ensure that appropriate clothing is worn to school so we can go outside in all weathers.