



# CADDER PRIMARY SCHOOL



Curricular Newsletter Primary 5 Term 2

**This term Primary 5 will focus on:**

## Literacy

**Reading:** We are going to be reading a variety of fiction text as part of Literature Circles. We will be focusing on summarising a text and identifying main points within our reading. We will also be working on our knowledge of alphabetical order to increase rapidity in locating words within dictionaries.

**Writing:** The children will be focusing on 'Report Writing' using Pie Corbett's Talk for Writing approach. They will be using talking and listening to imbed structure, grammar and vocabulary within a model text before writing their own piece independently. We will also continue to focus on cursive handwriting and spelling.

**Talking and Listening:** Our talking and listening targets this term are continuing to work on group talk with a focus on turn taking and sentence openers.

## Numeracy and Mathematics

**Numeracy:** P5 will improve their knowledge and understanding of multiplication and division with a focus on the 6, 7 and 9 times table and will use this knowledge to multiply and divide two and three digit numbers. They will apply their skills in a variety of relevant contexts using a range of Glasgow Counts strategies (concrete, pictorial, abstract). This will enable them to revise number concepts previously taught and build on new knowledge.

## Health and Physical Education

**Health:** We will be developing social & emotional learning through the use of Emotion Works.

**PE:** We will be developing our gymnastics skills with a focus on balance, travel, jump and roll. We will also take part in team games with coaches from Achieve More.

## Social Studies, Science and Technologies

**Social Studies:** Our topic this term is Geography and exploring and interpreting maps to locate key features in Scotland, UK, Europe and the wider world.

**Technologies:** This term, the children will be exploring different film making apps on iPads.

## Other Curricular Areas

**French:** We will be focusing on weather and seasons as well as classroom objects.

**Expressive Arts:** P5 will be working on the elements of line, colour, tone, pattern, texture and shape as well as investigating works of various cubist artists.

At present, Mrs Houston will covering Non Class Contact time (NCCT) in P5 every second Thursday, teaching the following curricular areas: reading, measure, music and digital technologies.

### Days to remember

Monday	• PE (am)
Tuesday	• PE (pm)
Wednesday	
Thursday	
Friday	

Bring all necessary kit for PE lessons – **shorts, t-shirts and appropriate shoes**. Please do NOT wear any jewellery to school on these days.

**A change of shoes to be worn in school at ALL times.**

**Homework** – All homework will be issued on Seesaw on a Monday to be completed by the Friday. If you are having any issues with Seesaw please get in touch.



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