

*Keeping You Posted*

***Primary 6/5***

*Camstradden Primary School*

*Glasgow*

***TERM 2***



Communication with our families and wider school community is very important to us. We want to keep in touch with you in order to keep you updated about your child/children’s progress. As such it is vitally important we have the most up to date contact details for you. Glasgow City Council are now using the Groupcall Xpressions app as a main method of communication with families. This is a free app for the school and for families. Further information about Groupcall Xpressions is attached to this newsletter.

***We still have a very large number of families who have not have not signed up for the Groupcall Xpressions app. As this is our main method of communication with families and as such it is vital that you download the app. We also have over 50 families who are still not provided the school with an email address.***

***Please contact the school to provide us with an email address if you have not already done so and download the Groupcall Xpressions app.***

**Primary 6/5**

Hello to all the parents and carers of the children in P6/5,

Welcome back! The children have made a great start to Term 2 and are working hard.

We have PE on Monday afternoons and Friday morning therefore children will need to bring a change of clothes on both days.

Homework will be given out on a Monday and should be returned/submitted via Seesaw on or before the next Monday.

Miss Layal



**Setting, Character and Recount.**

***Writing Focus:***

This term we will be focusing on the 4 operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division). Later in the term we will be learning about money and transfiguration. There will also be opportunities for pupils to develop their mental maths skills through daily “number talks”.

***Numeracy & Mathematics***

Reading:

This term we will be focusing on the following reading strategies: clarifying, main idea, and concluding. In addition to this, children will have regular opportunities to read a book of their choice with the aim of further supporting their reading and writing skills.

Writing:

We will regularly do short burst writing to build confidence and encourage independent writing. Our focus this term is on setting, character, and recount.

***Literacy***

Listening & Talking:

Children will be encouraged to engage in listening and talking regularly throughout the year, covering a wide variety of topics across the curriculum.

***Health and Wellbeing***

***Social Studies/Sciences/Technologies***

Our social studies class topic for this term is travel and tourism. In science, we will be focusing on the forces. Pupils within the class also now have access to iPad’s to enhance their learning, this will be utilised across the curriculum.

Our HWB focus for this term is HEALTHY, this will include lessons on the human body and healthy eating. There will also be a focus on ACHIEVING eating later in this term. In Term 1 our PE will focus on gymnastics and hockey.

***Expressive Arts***

***Religious and Moral Education***

This term we will be learning about Judaism and symbols.

This term we will be focusing on art & design, with lessons planned to help develop observation skills.

There will also be opportunities for drama lessons to be implemented across the curriculum.



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