



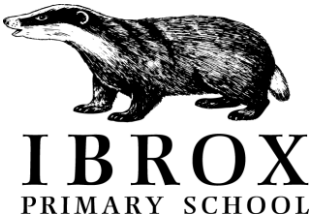


Curricular Area	Details
<p data-bbox="86 120 363 210">Language and Literacy including French in P5-P7</p> 	<p data-bbox="379 120 1501 181"><u>Spelling:</u> This term Primary 4 will continue to develop their common and core words. They will also learn new sounds, words and spelling rules each week.</p> <p data-bbox="379 188 1501 277"><u>Reading:</u> This term we will use our core reading books to develop fluency, expression and understanding. We will also be developing our before, during and after reading strategies.</p> <p data-bbox="379 284 1501 344"><u>Writing:</u> This term we will be developing our skills in note taking, to help plan and improve our recount writing.</p> <p data-bbox="379 351 1501 472"><u>Talking and Listening:</u> We will develop our talking and listening skills in a variety of ways including: sharing our news, discussing the main ideas of a text, answering questions to demonstrate understanding and sharing thoughts and opinions of stories heard in class.</p>
<p data-bbox="86 479 363 539">Mathematics and Numeracy</p> 	<p data-bbox="379 479 1501 517">This term we will be:</p> <ul data-bbox="427 524 1501 748" style="list-style-type: none"> • Using rounding to the nearest 100 to estimate before calculating • Counting in steps of 2, 4, 5, 10 and 50 to improve our agility in number • Read, write and order numbers to 1000 • Compare quantities and numbers using symbols • Recognise tens and units (ones) in numbers • Make 3digit numbers using concrete materials and record in numbers and words <p data-bbox="379 770 1501 808">In maths we will be focussing on 2D and 3D shape:</p> <ul data-bbox="427 815 1501 949" style="list-style-type: none"> • identifying, naming and describing their features using appropriate vocabulary • exploring and discussing how and why different shapes fit together and create a tiling pattern
<p data-bbox="86 972 363 1032">Interdisciplinary Learning (IDL)</p>	<p data-bbox="379 972 1501 1032">This term we will be focussing on research skills linking literacy and technology. This will help the children find key information quicker in research tasks.</p>
<p data-bbox="86 1039 363 1077">Social Studies</p>	<p data-bbox="379 1039 1501 1211">As part of our local community topic we will be looking at how the River Clyde impacted on the growth of Glasgow and in particular Govan shipbuilding. We will be exploring places (The Clydeside, Elder Park, Govan Stones and Fairfield Shipyard), investigating artefacts and locating them in time, developing an awareness of the ways in which we remember and preserve Scotland's history.</p>
<p data-bbox="86 1218 363 1256">Sciences</p>	<p data-bbox="379 1218 1501 1279">This term we will be learning about different types of energy (light, sound, heat, electrical) around us and their importance to everyday life and survival.</p>
<p data-bbox="86 1285 363 1323">Technologies</p> 	<p data-bbox="379 1285 1501 1458">Our focus for technologies this term is to extend our knowledge of how to use digital technology to communicate with others and become more aware of ways to keep safe and secure. We aim to become responsible digital citizens who demonstrate understanding of potential dangers online and know who to go to for advice and who to report a concern to.</p>
<p data-bbox="86 1464 363 1525">Religious and Moral Education</p>	<p data-bbox="379 1464 1501 1592">This term we will be focussing on developing our school values and discussing ways in which our own values can affect our actions. We will also be discussing and expressing our views about the importance of values such as honesty, respect and kindness.</p>
<p data-bbox="86 1599 363 1659">Health and Wellbeing</p> 	<p data-bbox="379 1599 1501 1727">This term we will continue to use Emotions Work to help us to express our feelings and develop the ability to talk about them. Primary 4 will be focussing on developing ball handling skills. We will be practising skills in passing, shooting, attack and defence which we will use in mini games of netball.</p>
<p data-bbox="86 1733 363 1771">Expressive Arts</p>	<p data-bbox="379 1733 1501 1816">Mrs Thomson will be developing the children's skills in music this term; pitch, rhythm, tempo and following simple notation. The children will be encouraged to participate with enthusiasm.</p>
<p data-bbox="86 1823 363 1926">How you can help/Other Information</p>	<p data-bbox="379 1823 1501 1926">Please ensure your child wears their gym kit to school on a Tuesday and Friday. Please encourage your child to complete their homework every evening and return it to school the following day.</p>



P4 Curricular Newsletter

Term 1 Session 2022/23

Welcome to P4's Newsletter

A very warm welcome to our first newsletter of session 2022/2023 for P4. I hope you all had a pleasant summer break. The first term is always an exciting one as children settle into their new class, get to know their teacher and learn school routines.

I hope you find this letter helpful in letting you know what is coming up during Term 1. You can also keep up-to-date by following our class twitter @MrsArmstrongIPS.

If you have any questions or concerns about your child's time in school, please do not hesitate to contact us. The school number is **0141-427-0922**

Class Information

Information specifically related to P4 -
PE - Tuesday and Friday
Outdoor Learning - Thursday
Homework expectations - homework tasks will be given out daily from Monday to Thursday.
If your child has a school I-pad, please ensure it is brought every day charged and ready for use.



Class Achievements

We will be using this space to inform you about achievements both within the classroom and outside of school. If your child gains a trophy, medal or certificate outside of school, please share their achievement with us. On a Friday we will give a Star of the Week and Group of the Week.

Dates for your Diary

Meet the Teacher

Week beginning 14th September (details to follow)

September Weekend

Friday 23rd September and Monday 26th September

In-Service Day - school closed for children

Friday 14th October

October Week Holiday

Monday 17th October - Friday 15th October

Parents' Night

Dates in November To Be Confirmed

Christmas/New Year Holiday

Thursday 22nd December - school closes at 2:30pm

Wednesday 4th January - children return

Super Treat!

Our class Supertreaters are children who are chosen because of their consistent efforts to demonstrate the values and work hard over the whole term. All Supertreaters will then have the choice of an activity to take part in on our Supertreater Day in June.



There are four chances to become a Supertreater this year. Will it be you?



Assemblies

The children come together twice a week (Monday and Friday) for whole school assemblies. During this time, we do many different things, such as sharing information about what is happening in the school, asking the children for their ideas and opinions on different aspects of school, celebrating achievements and birthdays and also giving the children the opportunity to find out about the learning that is happening in other classes. They are very busy gatherings!