





Curricular Area	Details
<p>Language and Literacy including French in P5-P7</p> 	<p><u>Spelling</u>: The children will learn new sounds, words and spelling rules on a weekly basis. The children will be tested on these on a Friday.</p> <p><u>Reading</u>: We will continue to develop our skills through our new class novel 'The Last Bear', non-fiction comprehension texts, non-fiction books relating to our class topic and of course our core reading books.</p> <p><u>Writing</u>: This term we will be creating our own explanations and carrying out some persuasive writing through persuasive posters and letter writing.</p> <p><u>Listening & Talking</u>: Pupils will develop their confidence in talking and listening by preparing a short talk to deliver to the rest of the class. All pupils will deliver two class talks over the course of the term.</p> <p><u>French</u>: Mrs McLean will take Primary 5/4 for French on a Tuesday afternoon.</p>
<p>Mathematics and Numeracy</p> 	<p>In Numeracy we will continue to consolidate our knowledge of place value to 999. As well as this we will be learning different strategies to carry out addition and subtraction problems. Counting, flashcards and maths games will be used daily in lessons to develop our mental maths skills. In Maths we will explore patterns and relationships, expressions and equations and carry out some data handling relating to our class topic. Mrs Thompson will continue to take the children to carry out some problem solving activities on a weekly basis.</p>
<p>Interdisciplinary Learning (IDL)</p>	<p>Our class theme this term is Global Goals Life on Land. Through this topic we will be covering various aspects of the curriculum including Literacy, Maths, Expressive Arts and Social Studies.</p>
<p>Social Studies</p>	<p>We will develop our understanding of climate zones around the world and look at how these affect animals living in them. We will explore the different environments and what living things live there and make comparisons and contrasts with our own environment.</p>
<p>Sciences</p>	<p>In Science this term we will be investigating how water can change from one form to another. Pupils will learn what the three states of water are and be able to explain what happens to water at 0° and 100°.</p>
 <p>Technologies</p>	<p>This term we will carry out different STEAM challenges. These challenges will develop pupil skills of inquiry, dialogue and critical thinking. In addition to this we will continue to make use of the Sumdog and Showbie apps through weekly homework tasks.</p>
<p>Religious and Moral Education</p>	<p>In RME we will focus on the festivals of Diwali and Christmas and make connections between the similarities of these and other world religions.</p>
<p>Health and Wellbeing</p> 	<p><u>PE</u>: The children will be working to develop their fitness over the course of the term. They will work on improving their stamina, speed, flexibility and core strength.</p> <p><u>HWB</u>: Pupils this term will learn to assess and manage risks and to demonstrate how to keep safe in emergency situations. We will be doing this through the 'Save a Life' training. In addition to this we will be carrying out activities during Anti Bullying Week.</p>
<p>Expressive Arts</p>	<p>Our art this term will be based around our class theme of Global Goals. We will be focussing on the visual elements of line, shape and colour.</p>
<p>How you can help/Other Information</p>	<p>Please ensure your child brings their gym kit to school on a Wednesday. Remember no jewellery including earrings and no football tops. This is council policy.</p> <p>Children should complete homework and return to school by Friday at the latest. Reading books and reading records should come to school every day. Please encourage your child to complete homework tasks.</p> <p>Water bottles are encouraged however please ensure these are filled with water only. Lastly please check schoolbags regularly for letters and return to school ASAP.</p>



P5/4 Curricular Newsletter

Term 2 Session 2022/23

Welcome to P5/4's Newsletter

Welcome to term 2. I can't quite believe it's November already! As ever we have a very busy and exciting term planned.

Why not keep an eye on Twitter where you can see some of the exciting things that go on. Remember you can follow our school @IbroxPS or our class account @Ibroxteacher.

Remember if you have any question or any concerns about your child's time in school then please do not hesitate to contact us. The school number is **0141-427-0922** shall you need it.

Class Information

PE will take place every Wednesday.

Homework expectations – Tasks will be given on a Monday for the entire week. Homework should be returned by Friday at the latest. Pupils will be given spelling, reading and research homework. A task will be set on Sumdog also. All homework will be put on Showbie. Each child will be given information about a class talk over the course of the term.

iPad – If your child has a school iPad please ensure it is brought to school with enough charge to last the day.



Class Achievements

I am pleased to announce that Jagir and Haleema are the most recent pupils to attend the Head Teacher Values Party. I wonder who will be picked to attend the next party?



Dates for your Diary

Parents' Night

Wednesday 30th November

P7 Day at Bellahouston Academy

Friday 2nd December – details to follow for P7

Christmas Fayre

Tuesday 6th December – PM

Whole School Panto at the Pearce Institute

Wednesday 7th December

P1, P2/1 and P2 Nativity

Tuesday 13th December

Christmas Lunch

Thursday 15th December

Christmas Whole School Showcase

Monday 19th (PM) and Tuesday 20th (AM) December

P1, P2/1 and P2 – Breakfast with Santa

Thursday 22nd December

Christmas/New Year Holiday

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

Wednesday 4th January – children return

Super Treat!

A huge well done to our first Supertreater children Farida and Samir for term 1. Remember 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.



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. As you can imagine they are very busy gatherings!