



Sandaig Primary School

Term 1

Primary 3/2 Curriculum Newsletter



Literacy & English



This term in Primary 3/2, we will be learning about 'Cassey the Caterpillar' shapes through stories and active learning, to improve their letter formation. In writing, we are learning how to write independently through 'Have a go writing' where children will be encouraged to write daily stories.

In reading, we are learning how to identify the main ideas, sequence events in a story and use our reading strategies to help with our knowledge and understanding of different stories.

In Talking and Listening, we are learning how to be a 'good audience' and how to ask questions to gain more information. This will be done through daily new time and circle time. Children will also be participating in listening activities such as 'Listen and Draw'.

Mathematics & Numeracy



This term we will be focusing on mental math's skills (number bonds to 30) and skip counting in 2s, 4s, 5s and 10s. Using 'Chat that Counts', children will be encouraged to explain their strategies and thinking when adding and subtracting. We will also be learning how to share equally through class learning, outdoor learning and the playroom this term.

The class will also be developing their knowledge and understanding of time on both digital and analogue clocks. We will be focusing on o'clock, half past, quarter to and quarter past times. We will also be looking at how we use time everyday in a real life context.

Health & Wellbeing



This term, Primary 3/2 will be working with Head Strong who will be visiting the school weekly to help children understand and improve their mental wellbeing and develop their awareness of different emotions.

The class will continue with PATHs participating in 'Pupil of the Day' where they will share compliments about one another and learn how to compliment themselves. The class will also be focusing on readiness to learn and following their own class charter they have created at the beginning of this term.

In term 1, our P.E days will be Tuesday's and Thursday's. In P.E, we will be learning ball skills and how to be a 'good loser'.

Sciences



In term 1, we will be learning about Living and non living things. We will also be learning what plants need to grow and why.

Religious & Moral Education

We will be learning about Judaism. We will read the story of Ruth and discussing this as a class and learning about the importance of respecting others.

Interdisciplinary Learning

This term we will be learning about our local area Barlanark. The children will be discussing their likes and dislikes about the area. The class will be creating their own map of the area showing important buildings (such as the fire station etc.) We will also be designing our own leaflet to help those who are new to the area where things are and who can help them.

Expressive Arts



In Art, we will be learning how to collage. In music we will be singing songs and rhymes.

Technologies

We will be using Chatterpix to share our learning with others. We will also be learning how to stay safe when using I pads and computers.