



Curriculum Newsletter

Primary 6a

Term 2
Autumn 2024

Schools across Scotland follow the *Curriculum for Excellence*, which is divided into eight broad curriculum areas.

The curriculum is divided in to different levels →

Pupils in Nursery and P1 generally work within the *Early* level

Pupils in P2, P3 and P4 generally work within the *First* level

Pupils in P5, P6 and P7 generally work within the *Second* level

Literacy and English

The class will be reading:

Group Texts

PM Books & X-Code

Our **Reading** focus will be:

Fluency

Selecting information

Predicting

Understanding

The genre(s) for our **Writing** focus will be:

Short Story

Description

We will be looking at features including:

Vocabulary (subject-specific)

Adjectives

Vocabulary (uplevelling)

Punctuation (advanced)

In **Listening and talking**, we will be developing:

Respectful listening

Asking questions

Answering questions

Numeracy and mathematics

Our work in **Numeracy** will include:

Addition

Subtraction

Multiplication

Division

Our work in **Mathematics** will include:

2D shape (complex criteria)

3D shape (complex criteria)

Tiling

Patterns (shape)

Health and wellbeing

In **PE**, we will be developing our skills in:

Badminton

Other

Other aspects of **HWB** we will look at include:

Healthy eating

Keeping ourselves safe

Expressive Arts

The **expressive arts** are woven across the curriculum.

Art and design

Line Drawing

Painting

Scottish country

Dance

Drama

No drama this term

Music

Playing percussion

Rhythm

Religious and Moral education

This term, we will be learning about the following:

Cultural

Saint Andrew's Day

Christianity

Christmas

A range of religious and cultural events are discussed at our weekly assemblies. We use these opportunities to reflect on our values, and celebrate the diversity of our community.

Science / Social Subjects

Our interdisciplinary learning (**IDL**) theme for this term is:

Scotland

We will be studying:

Scotland. Researching Scottish timeline, highlighting major events that changed Scotland. Researching people that impacted Scottish history. Looking at nature & wildlife. Famous Scottish people - artists, musicians, authors and poets.

Technologies

Technology is embedded across the curriculum, but we will be developing specific skills and knowledge in:

Collaboration

Communication

Other useful information:

Our PE days are: **Monday & Tuesday**

Remember you can keep up to date with our learning through the school website.