



Primary 3/2 News

Class Information

We have all settled in well to the class routines since our return from the summer holidays. Our PE days are on a **Wednesday and Friday**, and children should come dressed for PE on those days. Please ensure the children come to school with a water bottle filled with plain drinking water and that all items of clothing have your child's name on them.

Homework

All spelling and numeracy homework will be set on Teams every Monday morning. The children will bring home their reading books and homework jotter in their homework folder. Please ensure all books, jotters and folders are returned to school every Thursday morning ~ thank you.

Numeracy

So far, we have looked at place value, number operations and addition in our maths groups since we have been back at school. Over the year we will look at the other number operations such as, subtraction, multiplication and division as well as looking more in depth at number ~ comparing numbers, rounding numbers and estimating with numbers. We will also look at outer maths, learning more about Time, Money, Measure, Data Handling and Shape.

Please continue to practise number work and operations at home to help your child's number skills. This is greatly appreciated.

Literacy

P3/2 have been working hard to improve our talking and listening skills as these help us in all areas of our learning. We know it is so important to listen carefully during teaching time to ensure we know what we are learning about, and we know what to do.

We will continue to follow the North Lanarkshire Active Literacy programme, reading fiction and non-fiction books. We will continue to work hard learning sounds, phonemes, and common words to improve our reading and writing skills. Please continue to practise these at home. It really does help to support the children's learning and it does help increase their independence during writing when they are able to spell the common words and phoneme words.

We are also working hard on our handwriting, ensuring that we are meeting all the core targets in all our writing tasks.

Other Curricular Areas

The children shared their ideas for topics at the start of the school session. The children were keen to learn about The World Around Us, Animals, Materials, The Olden Days (the 80s and the 90s ~ thanks P3/2 🙌) and Body Parts. We are currently learning about Continents and Oceans, and we are learning lots of new and interesting facts. We have been using the iPads in class to research this topic.

Please note the above information is subject to change.