



Primary 7 Class Information Leaflet 2019-2020

Class Teacher: Mrs Waddell

P.E. Days: Tuesday and Wednesday

Homework: Details in Homework Diary.

Listed below are the main areas of learning for your child's class. Please note, all children learn and make progress at different rates. Some learners require further challenge, while others require support and consolidation of previous learning.

Maths and Numeracy

Throughout the school year Primary 7 will revise times tables and develop their mental maths strategies.

- Data and Analysis, e.g. mean, mode, median and range
- Place value to millions - including decimals and rounding.
- Addition and subtraction to 1 million
- Time: calculating duration, convert between minutes, seconds, hours and days
- Units of measure: volume, length, weight, area and perimeter
- Multiplication to 1 million and by 10, 100, 1000
- Division to 1 million and by 10, 100, 1000
- Fractions: equivalent, improper
- Decimals: tens of thousandths, multiply and divide decimal fractions with at least 3 decimal places mentally by 10, 100, 1000
- Percentages: making the link between the three areas of fractions, decimals and percentages
- Angles: acute, obtuse, reflex, naming and measuring angles
- Symmetry
- Bearings
- Sequences and chance
- Negative Numbers
- Expressions and Equations
- Coordinates

Literacy and English

- Cursive Handwriting
- Listening and Talking
 - Strategies – taking turns, respecting other people's opinions, sharing ideas.
 - Analysing poetry
 - Preparing and delivering speeches
- Revise and consolidate spelling rules and strategies
- Dictionary Skills
- Writing:
 - Persuasive and balanced arguments
 - Imaginative and Creative Writing
 - Personal Writing
 - Writing to convey information
- Language features:
 - Figurative language – similes, metaphors, alliteration and onomatopoeia
 - Sentence starters/openers

- Connectives
- Improving vocabulary
- Up-levelling and re-drafts
- Proof reading and editing work
- Emotive language
- Punctuation: ellipsis, exclamation marks, commas, speech marks, colons
- Correct use of tense
- Using brackets to show parenthesis

- Reading Strategies:
 - Skimming and Scanning
 - Inference
 - Summarising
 - Interpreting texts

Health and Wellbeing

- P.E.:
 - Athletics - track and field events including speed racing, relay skills, jumps and throws.
 - Gymnastics - travelling and balance skills including movement routines and sequences.
 - Outdoor Games – including football, basketball, rounders and hockey.
 - Rebound Games – including cricket, tennis and badminton.
- Anti-bullying
- Sexual Health and Relationships
- Drug Awareness
- Mindfulness
- Mental Health
- Road Safety

Modern Languages

- French
- Spanish
- BSL

Throughout the session additional areas will be identified and shared with you. Across our school, children lead the learning. We collaborate with the pupils to identify contexts for learning (topics) which cover the Curriculum for Excellence experiences and outcomes for your child's particular level.

Contexts for Learning

- Children's Rights – Class Charter.
- Education for Work.
- Cycle Proficiency.
- Various Social Subjects relating to current world affairs.
- Religious Diversity.

