



#### Litearrachd Literacy

- This term we are focusing on instructional writing and a writing a letter.
- We will continue to work on consistently using a capital letter, full stop and finger spaces, as well as ensuring our writing is neat with letters formed correctly.
- We are continuing to work on phonics across the class from initial sounds up to three letter blends.
- Questioning, and thinking about different types of questions, is a big focus across the curriculum this term. This will encourage pupils to think more deeply about different subjects.

### Àireamhachd Numeracy

- We are focusing on addition strategies and number talks this term.
- We will be looking at sharing various strategies we have used to find an answer to a number problem.
- As a class we will be focussing on measure and area this term.
- We will also be looking at timelines through our topic The Vikings.

#### Slàinte agus Sunnd Health and Wellbeing

- From our wellbeing indicators, we will be focusing on 'Achieving' during November and 'Nurtured' during December.
- Our visible learning focus this month is 'Creative' and we are looking at how we use this across the curriculum.
- Our focus this term for PE is gymnastics an area that GPI-3 thoroughly enjoy!
- We will continue looking at food groups and food preparation this term including throughout our instructional writing lessons.



#### Deitean Chudromach Important Dates

<u>Thursday 7th December</u> - P1 Library Visit

Wednesday 6th December - Christmas Lunch

<u>Friday 8th December</u> - Christmas Market

<u>Tuesday 12th December (evening)</u> <u>Wednesday 13th December (afternoon)</u> - P1-3 Nativity

Monday 18th December - GPI Christmas Party

<u>Tuesday 19th December</u> - GP2/3 Christmas Party

<u>Thursday 21st December</u> - Christmas Service

<u>Friday 22nd December</u> - Last day of term - school closes 2.30pm



# **Cuimhnichibh**Reminders



- PE days Tuesdays and Thursdays (No jewellery to be worn)
- Homework is sent out on a Monday to be returned on a Thursday.













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Other Areas

- Topic Our topic this term will be all about the Vikings, we will be looking at they way the Vikings lived compared to our lives now and creating our own pieces from the Viking era through technology.
- Science We are learning about energy sources this term, both battery and electrical appliances.
- Nativity The children have already been working hard to learn the nativity songs and their roles within the Nativity.
- RME We will be looking closer into the Christmas Story.

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