

Whinhill Primary School

Bun-sgoil Chnoc a' Chonaisg



PRIMARY 5

Literacy and English

Reading

This term we will continue to improve our reading comprehension and questioning skills through answering and creating various question types during small group discussions. Our class novel is 'Titanic Detective Agency' and will be continuing to engage in Drop Everything and Read time throughout the week.

Writing

Our focus is on discursive writing and note taking. We are learning about the different techniques used to persuade readers, and we will develop our ability to take notes on information we have read/heard. As always, we are working hard to write neatly in our jotters!

Talking and Listening

This term we will be developing our talking and listening skills through learning how to influence an audience and present our own ideas and opinions. Each day we continue to display and build on our dialogic skills too!



Key Events

Sports Day

Digital Learning Week

Celebration of Learning - Titanic Tea Party

Dates will be issued nearer the time.



Numeracy and Maths

For numeracy this term we will be consolidating our learning of the four operations. We will continue challenging ourselves with daily number talks, and continue to develop our mental agility. In beyond number our focus will be on money, measurement and direction. We will have the opportunity to experience more outdoor learning and explore maths all around us.

We will also continue to enhance our problem solving skills, helping us navigate challenging issues and build our resilience! and build our resilience!



Health and Wellbeing

This term in PE, we are focusing on accuracy and team building skills, through kickball, rounders, and summer games.

Our wellbeing indicator for this month is, Included. We are working on our awareness of what this means and exploring examples of how this relates to our own lives.

We will continue to set and evaluate our Numeracy, Literacy and Health and Wellbeing targets and continue to work hard towards these every day! Throughout the year, we have been developing our independence and sense of responsibility and are keen to build on this in term 4. We will also be exploring the importance of food safety and hygiene throughout the term, in line with our Titanic Tea Party!



Summer term fun in PE!

PE Days

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Mondays and Fridays

Pitch Day

Thursday

After School Clubs

Monday - Country Dancing and Netball

Wednesday - Boys Football

Tuesday - Athletics and Music

Thursday - Girls Football and Rugby

Other Curricular Areas

For our topic this term, we are continuing to collaborate with the other Primary 5's and Primary 4's, where we will explore 'The Unsinkable Ship'. We look forward to sharing our learning with you during our Titanic Tea Party!

During RME we will be looking at the 'Shabbat' (the Jewish Day of Rest), exploring some of the Jewish beliefs and practices.

For science, we will be exploring the human senses and taking a closer look at how these work as part of our bodies!

In French we are continuing to learn about the items in our classroom and how to describe clothes and school uniform.

We will use outdoor learning opportunities this term across maths and numeracy, HWB, Literacy and technologies.

Home Learning

Spelling

Weekly spelling practice of the phoneme(s) of the week.

Reading

Weekly reading practice and working on comprehension by answering and preparing different questions.

Maths

Consolidation of strategies we have been using in class.

Other

Creation of a personal project relating to our topic 'The Unsinkable Ship' (Titanic).



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