

### Whinhill Primary School Bun-sgoil Chnoc a' Chonaisg PRIMARY 2 NEWSLETTER

Term 4



### **A Note From Miss Spencer**

I can't believe we are into our last term of Primary 2! This will continue to be a very busy term with lots of different events and learning opportunities. As it gets warmer (hopefully), can we ask that your child has a water bottle and wears suncream on sunny days as we will be outdoors more.

Miss Spencer

### Reminders

- PE Days Wednesday and Friday. Children should come to school with their PE kit and no jewellery.
- Can we ask that you check with your child about sandshoes. Some have outgrown them or they are broken.
- Remember water bottles.

#### Dates for the Diary

More information will be shared closer to the dates.

- May Holiday Friday 24th May until 27th May. Children return on Tuesday 28th May
- Walk to School Week
  20th May
- Health Week from Monday 20th May
- Sports Day -Wednesday 22nd May
- Children's Reports -Friday 24th June
- Last Day of Term -Friday 28th June

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### Literacy

Here are some of the things the children will be learning and developing during term 2:

- Phonics P2 will continue to develop their sounds building on the bank of sounds they already know.
- Writing We will be exploring a variety of writing genres this term. We will continue to explore story writing as well as instructional and personal writing.
- Reading we will continue to work on our decoding skills to introduce new words. We will explore the use of different punctuation in books and the impact on tone when reading.
- Talking and Listening P2 will be working on creating and asking questions during discussions.



# Health & Wellbeing

- PE focus: Athletics and dance.
- During our RSHP lessons we will be exploring different relationships, the brilliance of being unique and different body parts.
- P2 will continue to develop their knowledge of Children's Rights and Global Goals.

### Numeracy



- This term we will be learning about fractions. The children will explore halves and quarters of shapes, quantities and numbers.
- We will continue to build upon the children's mental agility to support their understanding and pace within numeracy.
- In beyond number we will be exploring data handling. We will look at how it is used in the real world context and carry out research in the class. We will look at pictograms, bar charts and Venn diagrams.