

# WHINHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL BUN-SGOIL CHNOC A' CHONAISG

Primary I newsletter Term 2



What a busy term we've just had! Our boys and girls settled into school so well and worked incredibly hard.

Term 2 is another busy term with lots of very exciting things to work towards! It's sure to be another great term!

Mrs Smith & Miss Dickson

#### Reminders

- PE days Tuesday and Wednesday. Children should come to school with PE kit under uniform or be able to change themselves. No Jewellery.
- Remember water bottles with water only please.

#### follow us on X

@MrsSWhinhill

Term 2 Diary Dates More info will be provided closer to these dates!

<u>Tuesday 29th October</u> Stay, Play and Learn - Literacy (see email for info)

<u>Monday Ilth November</u> PI visit to Greenock South West Library

<u>Thursday 28th November</u> Stay, Play and Learn – Numeracy & Maths

<u>Friday 6th December</u> Christmas Market

<u>Tuesday 10th & Wednesday 11th</u> <u>December</u> PI-3 Nativity

<u>Tuesday 17th December</u> PI Christmas Party

<u>Thursday 19th December</u> Christmas Service

<u>Friday\_20th December</u> Last day of term – school closes at 2:30pm

@MissDicksonWPS

#### Literacy

- Phonics alphabet sounds, reading and spelling cvc words.
- Writing Character descriptions and setting descriptions.
- Reading Learning to read using wordless books and decodable readers.
- Talking and listening developing our dialogic skills in class discussions.
- Class focus texts: Katie Morag Stories

## Numeracy & Maths

- Developing our number knowledge.
- Recognising, writing and organising numbers to 30 and beyond.
- Subitising
- Early addition counting
- Time: Daily activities and o'clock.
- Patterns

## HWB

- November focus: Achieving
- December focus: Nurtured
- PE focus: Ball skills and possession games.



# Other Curricular Areas

- Science: Seasons (focus on Autumn) This will give us opportunities for outdoor learning.
- Technologies: Recognising different technology, using technology appropriately.
- Topic: Katie Morag! We will be reading the Katie Morag stories and using them to compare mainland and island life.
- RME: Welcoming a baby and Christmas.
- Expressive Arts: Music, Drama and Dance for the Nativity!