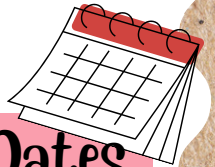




WHINHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL BUN-SGOIL CHNOC A' CHONAISG

Primary 2/1 Newsletter

TERM 1



We've had a fabulous start to our Primary 2/1 year. Everyone has settled into routines and I am so proud of my wonderful learners! This term, we are going to be very busy but as always we will make sure to have lots of fun as well!

Miss Dickson

Reminders

- PE days - Tuesday and Friday. 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.



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@MissDicksonWPS

Term 1 Diary Dates

Monday 15th September

P2 trip to Inverclyde Academy to see Royal Scottish National Orchestra.

Wednesday 17th September

P2/1 Meet the Teacher

26th-29th September
Holiday

Wednesday 8th October

Parents' Evening

Friday 10th October

Harvest assembly, please wear shirts and ties.
Last day of term - school closes at 3pm.



Literacy

Phonics

P1: alphabet sounds and how to form them.

P2: revision of alphabet sounds & phonemes - then learning new phonemes.

Writing

P1: pencil grip and control, writing our name and personal writing with detailed pictures.

P2: developing independent writing skills.

Reading

P1: using book words (e.g cover, title, author etc.), holding a book, listening to stories.

P2: developing our decoding skills to read texts independently.

Talking and listening

P1&2: creating our Y chart, turn taking and listening skills.

Numeracy & Maths

Primary 1

- Number formation for numbers to 10
- Counting forward to 20 and back from 10
- Ordering numbers



Primary 2

- Extending number knowledge to 30/50/100
- Numbers before and after
- Ordering numbers

Beyond number - Primary 1&2

- Patterns
- 2D shapes & 3D objects

HWB



- September focus: Safe
- October focus: Healthy
- PE focus: Being safe in the gym hall.

Other Curricular Areas

- Our School: We will be learning about our new friends, class zones, areas in our school and the staff that help us.
- Context for learning: Knights and Castles. The pupils will be help me planning this topic! They will learn about the history of castles and locate castles on a map.
- Art: Line drawings and painting skills
- Science: Magnetism
- Technology: using digital devices in class to support our learning
- RME: Harvest & Sukkot

