



Welcome to our first newsletter!

What a fabulous start we have had to Primary 4! I am so proud of how well the boys and girls have settled into their new classroom and routines. I am looking forward to sharing all of their achievements and successes with you throughout the year.

Mrs Homer

Dates for the Diary

- Weekly Swimming Block
 - Wed 27th Aug - Wed 8th Oct
- Meet the Teacher
 - Thurs 18th September
- September Break
 - Fri 26th - Mon 29th September
- Parents' Evening
 - Wed 8th October
- October Break
 - Mon 13th - Mon 20th October

Reminders

- Children should bring a pair of black sand shoes to change into during the school day.
- Please label your child's clothing and belongings. We have a few items which have been misplaced.

Homework

Homework tasks will be issued on a Monday and should be returned in the homework folder on a Thursday.

Details of tasks will be found in your child's homework diary. Please sign this when tasks are complete. Thank you!



Literacy

This term our focus will be personal writing. We will continue to build upon our listening and talking skills through group and class discussions. This will also aid our reading skills through creating and building questions for our peers.

Numeracy

Our focus will be place value, estimation and measurement. We will be learning to use different strategies to support our learning.

Health & Wellbeing

Our focus will be Children's Rights, GIRFEC Wellbeing Indicators and PATHs.

Other Curricular Areas

- 1+2 - We will be learning to have short conversations in French.
- R.M.E - We will be learning about Ganesh with Mrs Tucker.
- Science - Our focus will be how to prevent germs and bacteria from spreading.
- Social Studies - Our Local Community will be the focus for this term.
- Technologies - Our focus will be sending an email and developing our touch typing skills.

Reminders

- PE days are on a Tuesday and Wednesday.
- Pupils should bring their PE kit (shorts and polo shirt) to school on a Tuesday.
- Swimming will replace PE lessons on a Wednesday for this term.
- No jewellery should be worn on these days.

Upcoming

Our Eco Pop-Up shop will be available at Hallowe'en and Christmas. If you have any preloved Hallowe'en costumes or Christmas jumpers, please hand them into the school office. Thank you!