**R.M.E.**

In RME this term, Primary 3 and 4 will be learning about Halloween religious signs and symbols, and also learning about Haffertee’s First Christmas, where we will touch on the Christmas story.

**NUMERACY**

In Numeracy this term, Primary 3 and 4 will be looking at addition and subtraction using 2 and 3 digit numbers. We will learn about different strategies we can use in our counting.

The children will continue to work on simple multiplications with the Primary 3’s focusing on the 2, 5 and 10 times tables and the Primary 4 attempting those in between.

**SCIENCE**

The Learning Zone is an unique part of Corsehill where pupils will have the chance to develop a variety of skills. This term, we will be using STEAM to support our topic, and also in the garden with Miss Russell.

**EXPRESSIVE ARTS**

Primary 3 and 4 have the opportunity to explore media through spooky pictures for Halloween! Miss Duff will also be having a lot of fun with the children during music!

**TECHNOLOGY**

Primary 3 and 4 will have the opportunity to use iPads and laptops during ICT sessions in the Learning Zone, and also during literacy and numeracy to reinforce learning. This term, we will also be having specific ICT sessions where children will learn about word processiong skills.

**LITERACY**

This term, we will be continuing to develop our skills in reading, engaging with comprehension tasks and Blooms Taxonomy questioning. The children are progressing well with their phonics, and this will be a large focus this term in order to aid their spelling and blending skills. Primary 3 and 4 will be writing some spooky stories in order to show off their VCOP. We will also be starting a new topic in the form of a novel.

**HEALTH AND WELLBEING**

Mindfulness will be a strong aspect of our learning in Primary 3/4 as we discover strategies to keep ourselves mentally healthy. We will also be looking at our Rights as children, and how we can be kind and respectful to each other. The children will also learn about a healthy diet.

In PE this term, we will be finishing off gymnastics, and moving on to work on our ball skills in rugby. We will also have some fun doing social dancing!

**☺ HOW CAN YOU HELP AT HOME? ☺**

Primary 3 and 4 are encouraged to engage with homework as much as possible. Homework is allocated regularly for literacy and numeracy, through Education City and Bugclub, as well as reading books which will be sent home **every 2 weeks**. If you still have any reading books at home, please return to the school, otherwise your child can not get a new one. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to come in and have a chat after school – my door is always open! Miss Sproat ☺

**Welcome back Primary 3/4!**

Have a peek below to see what we will be learning in term 2.