

Welcome back Primary 3/4!

I am so excited to see you all again. Have a peek below to see what we will be learning in term 1.

LITERACY

During literacy we will be developing our skills in reading, working our way through our reading books and engaging in comprehension tasks. Children will engage in a range of phonics activities in order to aid their spelling and blending skills, and will work on their VCOP in order to create wonderful imaginative stories!

R.M.E.

In RME this term, Mr Downey will be working with the children to explore Buddhism and discuss the wonderful things you can do for people.

TECHNOLOGY

Primary 3 and 4 will have the opportunity to use iPads and laptops during ICT sessions. We will also be using them as part of our numeracy and literacy activities and independent jobs to reinforce our learning.

Topic

The pupils will be exploring the book 'The Colour Monster' which will support our HWB, Art and French this term. We will also continue to look at STEAM activities in the classroom including practical activities where pupils can challenge their understanding of the world.

NUMERACY

In Numeracy this term, Primary 3 and 4 will be looking at Number Processes and the value of given numbers up to 100 or 1000. We will also be working on addition and subtraction skills, and simple multiplications after a long break and working on building their confidence. Mr Downey will be focusing on Measurement.

HEALTH AND WELLBEING

This term, we will be looking at 'The Colour Monster' book and talking a lot about different emotions. Children will learn about strategies to help them express and recognise how they are feeling. We will also be looking at our Rights as children, and how we can be kind and respectful to each other. Our Physical Education days are a Tuesday and Wednesday, so please remember PE kits!

EXPRESSIVE ARTS

Primary 3 and 4 will look at pointillism and how we can show the texture of an object. The children will also explore how different colours are composed.

😊 HOW CAN YOU HELP AT HOME? 😊

Primary 3.4 will benefit from lots of discussions at home – especially to support their mental wellbeing. Spending time with your child practicing phonics sounds, reading books on Bugclub and practicing simple addition sums will help them to progress this term. Children have been sent home log-ins to complete some games on Education City this week. If you have any questions or are unsure about anything please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you, Miss Sproat 😊