

**Dreghorn Primary School**  
**Class Newsletter**  
**Session 2021 - 2022**



**Primary 6**

**Class Teacher: Mrs Gorman**

**Term: 2**

This term we will be learning about the following in class:

**Literacy and English**

This term we will be continuing to explore the SHORS reading strategies where we will be using texts to visualise how a character or a particular part of a story looks. We will be using our reading books to continue to work on our fluency and accuracy, as well as answering questions about what we have read. In writing, we will be working on using our imagination to write stories and also producing informative texts about our topic.

**Numeracy and Mathematics:**

We will be working on Fractions, Decimals and Percentages in Numeracy. We will work ordering and comparing fractions, decimals and percentages as well as converting them. In Maths, we will be learning about Time, where we will look at 12 and 24 hour time in analogue and digital form. We will also work on creating and reading timetables and calendars.

**In class we will be studying Natural disasters as our topic, we will be exploring**

– All different types of natural disaster including volcanoes, tornadoes, floods and earthquakes. We will study the history and also the science behind these natural disasters.

**This term we will be focusing on feelings during health and well-being. We will look at:**

Healthy eating and food safety. We will look at healthier options and how to be hygienic around food.

**In PE we will be:**

Focusing on our gymnastics and hockey skills. We still have PE on Tuesday and a Wednesday this term. Remember, your child can use the changing facilities for PE so please bring appropriate clothing and footwear for PE lessons.

**In technologies our focusing will be on:**

Our food preparation and cooking skills. We will be using a range of practical skills when preparing food and using a range of equipment to help us solve problems.

**In RE will be learning about:**

We will be learning about other world religions including learning about Islam and the 5 pillars. We will also look at the Christian Christmas story in December.

**Expressive Arts incorporates Art & Design, Dance and Music. This term we will be:**

Producing and presenting drama performances and listening to music that links to our topic. In Art, we will be exploring the print making process and towards the end of the term we will practice our dancing skills while learning our Christmas social dances.

**Any other information**

- Homework will continue to be sent home monthly – remember this can be handed in at any time, it does not need to come in at the end of the month.
- Spelling words will continue to come home weekly – please encourage your child to have a practice of these a couple of times a week.