

# Primary 2 ~ Term 3 Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

As always we have a busy term ahead. Hopefully this curriculum newsletter will provide you with an outline of some of the topics your child will be covering next term.

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## Health and Wellbeing

Our Outdoor Learning will continue this term with P.E in the MUGA on a Monday and in the gym hall on a Thursday. Our outdoor learning sessions will be changing to a Monday afternoon.

As part of our Health and wellbeing lessons, we will be focusing on healthy snacks and how we can promote these around the school. We will also be discussing the benefits of drinking enough water.

### Literacy



Within writing we will be looking at creating an information report which should include a title, a general statement, a description and an evaluation. We will continue to develop our phonological awareness and sight word recognition skills. We will also focus on letter formation and the correct positioning of letters on the line during our handwriting lessons.



### Numeracy and Maths



As part of our work on the topic of 'money' we will be identifying and using all coins and notes up to at least £20 and exploring different ways of making the same total. We will be solving number problems using a range of mental maths strategies eg. putting the larger number first in order to count on.

### Expressive Arts



In drama we will be focussing on games to further develop our Attention and Listening skills. In music we be listening to songs from a variety of cultures, including Scotland. In Art and Design we will be looking at the work of a Scottish artist and trying to replicate the style of their work.



### Inter-Disciplinary Learning

Our topic this term will be 'Scotland'. As part of this topic we will be talking about the 'Scot's Language' and discovering more about some Scottish traditions. The children will also learn to read and create a map of the local area, while identifying the key features shown on a map.

### Science

In science we will be learning that there are lots of different types of sounds and that sound travels in waves. We will go on to learn that sounds are made by vibrations, and that some sounds are very loud and some are quiet.

**Reminders** - Our P.E days are Monday and Thursday. These sessions will be in the MUGA on a Monday and in the gym hall on a Thursday.

Our outdoor learning day is Monday.



**ICT** - We will be learning how to use internet search sites and how to access our Glow emails.

**RME** - Towards the end of Term 3, we will be learning about the meaning of Easter and how it is celebrated.