



# Elderbank Primary School

## Home/School information for Primary 7H - Term 3



### Numeracy and Maths

Circles - The Circles group will be developing their skills in calculating the volume of cubes and cuboids using a formula. They will also be exploring and continuing a variety of well-known number sequences. In addition to this, they will be using BODMAS to solve calculations involving multiple operations.



Squares - The Squares group will be developing their ability to use and read scales on a variety of measuring containers. They will also be developing their ability to balance, simplify and solve algebraic equations. In addition to this, they will be developing their skills in estimating, measuring and converting length.

Triangles - Triangles will be improving their knowledge of the 6, 7, 8 and 9 times tables and linking this to division. They will also be describing, following and recording routes using directional language. We will be estimating and measuring the area of shapes.

### Health and Wellbeing

Our PE days are a Monday, Tuesday and Friday. We will be developing our volleyball skills and badminton skills. Throughout HWB lessons, we will be using Emotion Works to develop our emotional literacy and wellbeing. In addition to this, we will be exploring factors that can influence people's food choices.

### Literacy

#### Reading

This term we will develop our ability to use strategies such as questioning, summarising and monitoring to help us to understand texts. Our class novel will be 'Divided City'. We will be working in groups and independently to develop our understanding of the issues covered.



#### Writing

This term we will be looking at the features of procedural texts and information reports and we will be applying our knowledge to create texts of our own.

#### Listening and Talking

This term we will be developing our ability to recognise and use Scot's language. We will be developing our skills in presenting a talk using appropriate language and vocabulary with a focus on using a clear voice, expression and gesture.

Science - This term, we will be looking at the lifecycles of animals: identifying and comparing different vertebrates. We will also research the lifecycles of the five main types of vertebrates. Following this, we will explore and categorise characteristics into inherited (e.g. eye and hair colour) and non-inherited (e.g. favourite colour).

RME - This term, we will be investigating how 'Carnival' is celebrated and identifying the traditions associated.

Topic - Our topic this term is the Victorians. We will be using primary and secondary sources to develop our understanding of what society was like during this time.