

# Elderbank Primary School P4P Curriculum Outline - Term 1



Welcome to P4P with Mrs Preiss.

# Literacy

Reading - We will develop our comprehension skills through a variety of texts as well as our class novel 'George's Marvellous Medicine'. We will consider a variety of literal, inferential and evaluative questions while also exploring SHORS strategies such as predicting.

<u>Writing</u> - We will focus on writing a recount about a past event. We will take part in whole class, small group and independent learning experiences which will help us build the necessary skills. We will have opportunities to share our writing with our peers, taking on quality feedback and allowing us to uplevel our writing.

<u>Talking and Listening</u> - We will develop our attention and listening skills by recalling and displaying the 5 rules of attention and listening. We will utilise tools such as a class randomiser to encourage all children to contribute to group and class discussions.

#### Additional Information

Homework will be issued every Monday in the format of a homework grid. Homework can be completed in jotters and returned on a Thursday.

# Numeracy & Mathematics

This term, we will be working alongside colleagues from the Professional Learning Academy to develop skills within Numeracy and Mathematics. We will focus on the four mathematical operations – addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

We will be exploring patterns in numbers, considering place value when setting out written calculations and developing the knowledge and skills to quickly recall number facts.

We will also be introducing a 'Thinking Classroom' approach when solving problems where we will work collaboratively in order to deepen mathematical knowledge and thinking skills.

### Health and Wellbeing

Our PE days are **Tuesday** and **Friday**. This term, we will be developing team building skills in netball as well as agility and balance through gymnastics.

As part of Health and Wellbeing, we will be building confidence and developing a growth mindset through a variety of activities and experiences.

#### IDL

This term, our topic is linked to our class novel - 'George's Marvellous Medicine'.

**HWB** - We will explore the importance of medicines as well as the associated dangers. **Science** - We will investigate dissolving and changing states.

Music - We will be introduced to a range of instruments in order to convey characters emotions.

Art & Design - We will research the work on Quentin Blake and use the visual elements of line, shape and colour to create our own character illustrations.