

Classbase 7 Term 1 Newsletter



Dear Parents and Carers,

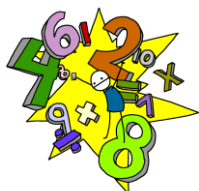
The boys and girls have settled in very well to their new school year at Elderbank. The children are enjoying mixing with Classbase 8 at playtime and lunchtime. They have had opportunities to visit various areas of the school such as the soft play, gym hall and library. Well done boys and girls, we are all so proud of you.

Health and Wellbeing

This term we will be looking at various emotions and feelings and identifying how we feel each day during our morning check in. We will also be focusing on making transitions between a variety of places in and outside of school. During our P.E. sessions we will be using various apparatus and focusing on working together and building relationships with our new friends.



Mathematics and Numeracy



Classbase 7 will be engaging in a variety of maths topics this term. We will continue to develop number skills, with some learners recognising and using numbers to 5, 10 or 20, while others will be working on adding two groups of numbers together. The children will be exploring shapes with a focus on 2D shapes and using them to create pictures. They will also be encouraged to look for 2D shapes within their environment.

Literacy/Communication

This term, Classbase 7 will visit the school library each week and explore a variety of suitable books. Every two weeks, learners will enjoy a new story and take part in activities linked to the book. We will focus on initial sounds, with some learners developing their recognition, copying and formation of upper- and lower-case letters, while others work on building CVC words.



Diary

Our P.E. days are on Monday and Wednesday mornings. We have outdoor learning on a Tuesday afternoon. The children are welcome to bring in a change of clothes or shoes if they wish. The children will have the opportunity to engage in cooking tasks and learning about safety in the kitchen every Thursday afternoon this term. We encourage you to share anything that the children are participating in at home with us on Learning Journals. Please do not hesitate to get in touch through Learning Journals or by phone if there is anything we can help with.

We are looking forward to working with you this year.

Mrs Marturano - Class Teacher

Miss Wardrope - EYP

Miss Reynolds, Mrs Reeder and Mrs McNicol - PSAs