



# Primary 6 Class Newsletter

Term 3 March – June 2026



## LITERACY

**Reading** – Through a range of fiction and non-fiction reading activities, children will continue to strengthen their inferential questioning skills and will develop key comprehension strategies that support deeper understanding.

**Writing** - Children continue to develop their writing skills by crafting more complex narratives, reports, and persuasive pieces. Their work becomes increasingly descriptive, with greater attention to structure, purpose, vocabulary choices, and techniques that engage the reader effectively.

**Listening and Talking** - Pupils will build confidence in listening and talking by presenting their work and taking part in collaborative discussions with their peers.

## NUMERACY AND MATHS

**Numeracy** – This term, children will be strengthening their mathematical understanding of Measurement, Time, Equations, and number-based Problem-Solving.

**Maths** – Children are deepening their mathematical skills through exploring Data and Analysis, Patterns and Relationships, Ideas of Chance and Uncertainty.

Supporting your child at home:

- [www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games](http://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games)
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z97rdnb#z3r3xq8>

## HEALTH AND WELLBEING

**P.E.** - Children are enhancing their physical abilities and skills through volleyball, striking and fielding games and orienteering. Please ensure children are fully equipped with the correct PE kit and water bottles (Monday and Thursday).

**Health and Wellbeing** – Children are encouraged to bring a piece of fruit for our 'Read and Munch after Lunch' sessions daily. Water bottles brought into class should contain WATER only. Juice spills in class can be sticky and ruin jotters. They can still have juice at break and lunch if they wish.

Children will receive their puberty talk this term; information will be available nearer the time.

## IDL (INTERDISCIPLINARY LEARNING)

### Social Subjects

Our social studies topic this term is Culture in the 70's when the children will explore what life was like in the 1970s, including the music, fashion, technology and everyday experiences that shaped the decade.

### Science

In science, the children will explore Irvine Beach coastline, investigating how pollution affects the local environment, learning about the impact on marine life and habitats, and considering ways we can all help to protect our coast.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Primary 6 will be developing their leadership skills through our Pre-school Buddy Programme. They will support younger children with paired reading and help them during playground activities. As part of this role, they will receive training and are looking forward to showing our school values of Teamwork, Effort and Kindness in action.

Please remember to check Xpressions, our new Facebook page, and the school newsletter for important dates and upcoming events.