

Balmalloch Primary School and Nursery Class



P3b Class Newsletter Term 2

responsiBility
grAitude
BELIEVE IN YOURSELF
huMility and forgiveness
perseverAnce
Love
ACHIEVE YOUR GOALS
hOnesty and generosity
Compassion and respeCt
friendsHiP & family

A PLACE OF ENTHUSIASTIC LEARNING AND ACHIEVEMENT

Welcome parents and carers to Primary 3b's Term 2 Newsletter. I would like to say thank you to all for your warm welcome back. It has been an incredible start to Term 2 where the class have demonstrated the school values with kindness, respect and more. They have been working hard in class and are excited to engage in their new learning experiences and opportunities.

Homework

We introduced homework at the end of Term 1. Each child has been provided with a homework jotter and monthly homework grid which is emailed out at the start of each month. Children are asked to complete their homework and return their jotters on a Friday. Each Monday, their weekly spelling words will be in their jotters.

P.E. Days

Please note that we will continue to have gym on a Tuesday (indoor) and Thursday (outdoor). Children should wear their P.E clothes on their gym days. Gym uniform should be black joggers/shorts and a white top. No branded clothing/football clothes should be worn. We may not be able to allow a child to take part in P.E. sessions if their footwear is not appropriate (i.e. wearing wellington boots). Please ensure your child has appropriate shoes and is prepared for the weather. Jewellery will be removed for health and safety.




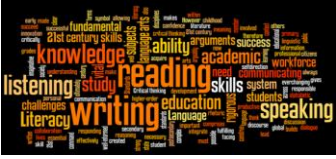




Christmas Show

We will soon be starting our Christmas Show practise in the next few weeks. This will consist of performing Christmas songs at the show therefore we ask that the children can also practise these at home with the lyrics provided. Dates and times of performances will follow shortly in our Dates for the Diary email.

If you have any questions or anything you would like to discuss you can speak to us at the door, send in a note or contact us via enquiries-at-balmalloch@northlan.org.uk.

Mrs Rachel Murphy
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Primary 3B

What I am learning this term:

<p style="text-align: center;">Health and Wellbeing</p>  <p>PE and Sport: - Fitness and Circuit Training HWB - Safe / Healthy / Nurtured RRS Articles - 2, 14, 15, 19, 27 Values - Honesty / Respect / Family</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Expressive Arts</p>  <p>Art & Design - Using a range of materials & artistic styles to represent seasonal events (Bonfire Night, Christmas) Dance - Not covered this term Drama - Not covered this term Music - Kodaly music lessons (every second Wednesday) / Christmas Songs</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Numeracy and Mathematics</p>  <p>Mental Maths - Number Talk Strategies, Daily 10 Practice of Number Processing Number Process - Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication & Division Measurement, Shape and Symmetry - 2d and 3D Shape, Symmetry</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Literacy and Languages</p>  <p>Listening and Talking - Note taking Reading - Reading Groups Fiction and Non-Fiction Texts Writing - Information Report and Narrative Grammar - Common & proper nouns, adjectives and verbs Punctuation - Core targets (Commas, full stops and capital letters) Phonics & Spelling - Continuing through the Active Literacy Programme (see weekly spelling words in homework jotters) Modern Languages - French Days of the Week, Months of the Year</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Science and Investigation</p>  <p>Planet Earth: Forces - Magnets, Shape and Motion</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Religious and Moral Education</p>  <p>Development of Beliefs and Values: Christianity - Christmas.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Technologies</p>  <p>Technological Developments in Society - Not covered this term ICT - Processing and Computational Thinking Business - Christmas enterprise Computing Sciences - Not covered this term Food and Textiles: Not covered this term Craft, Design, Engineering and Graphics: Not covered this term</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Social Studies</p>  <p>People, Past Events and Societies: Not covered this term People, Place and Environment: Not covered this term People in Society, Economy and Business: Not covered this term.</p>