



PRIMARY 2

ROOM 4

CLASS NEWSLETTER

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Summary since September

In Literacy, we have been continuing to work on the Stage 1 phonemes and common words we would have completed in Primary 1. As we have now completed these, we have been revising and consolidating these phonemes before moving onto Stage 2 after the Christmas Holidays. We have been using the Antarctica context in Taught Writing to create reports. Another aspect of literacy we have been working on is using describing words in our sentences.

In Numeracy

We have been continuing to work on addition and subtraction using different methods, including the part-whole model. We used Venn Diagrams to sort and have explored position and movement.

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In Health and Wellbeing, we have been taking part in Outdoor P.E. when possible due to the weather. We have also been thinking about being kind and nurturing during our Mindset Monday assemblies. Our topic has been Antarctica and the children have been learning about the climate there, where exactly it is situated and about the animals that live on or near Antarctica. We especially like the Emperor Penguin and created beautiful paintings of chicks. We are glad we don't have to live there as it is so cold!



Wider Achievements

Lots of children have earned Certificates at our Fabulous Friday Assemblies, for Health and for being winners of the Dojo Points. Here are the winners since September.

Mark Ruby **Andrew** Marley Calvin Anaya Bradley Brodie Leigha Tomas Laci **Brooke and Grace.** Well done!!!



Where Stars Shine Brighter







What we are learning next

In Literacy, we have completed the Stage 1 phonemes and will be moving onto the Stage 2 set for Primary 2. We will be working on writing more independently and carrying out a range of tasks linked to our reading books. In reading, we will be developing our pace and fluency and reading with expression. We will continue to learn new common words each week, using our spelling strategies. We will also continue to work on letter formation and developing our handwriting skills, including writing letters on the line. In reading we will be developing our pace and fluency and reading with expression. We will continue to learn new common words each week, using our spelling strategies. We will develop our handwriting skills thinking about letter sizes and writing letters on the line.

In **Numeracy and Maths**, we will continue to work on place value, addition and subtraction. We will explore shape and also data handling. We will continue to develop skills within problem solving.

In **IDL**, we will be learning about Katie Morag and the differences between life on an island and on mainland.

- Other class specific information (PE Days, Glow Information, homework etc)
- Our PE days are Tuesday and Thursday.
- Homework can be found within files on the Room 4 team, in the Class Materials folder.



Christmas

Messages/Activities/Enterprise
Miss Brennan and Room 4 wish all parents
and carers a very merry Christmas!



You can contact your child's teacher directly by emailing enquiries@mossend.n-lanark.sch.uk. Please mark it for their attention and allow a few days for replies during normal school hours



