



## Primary 4/3 (Base 5) Newsletter - April - June

This newsletter is to inform you on how Primary 4/3 has settled back into school life and what they will be working on this term. We are very proud on how the class have returned to Noble and adapted to the recent changes and rules and routines. This terms main focus will be on Literacy, Numeracy, Health and Wellbeing, IDL, STEM, RE and French , below is some information on what they will be doing.

### Literacy and English

This term the pupils in Primary 4/3 will be writing **Persuasive** and **Recount** genres linked to the *ECO IDL* and will continue to write **Narrative** stories, as well as having opportunities for writing across the curriculum.

Core Targets emphasis will focus on using spelling strategies, nouns adjectives/verbs, connectives and using joined up handwriting. The children will also continue to use NLC Active Literacy Programme for phonemes and spelling, along with Find it, Prove it, Talk about it and will be introduced to the 6 Strategies of Comprehension in reading. Our Class novel is "The Ice Monster" by David Walliams



### Numeracy and Mathematics

The pupils will be experiencing a variety of concepts this term which includes symmetry, measurement, subtraction and addition - introducing problem solving, word problems and equations.

Number work will continue throughout the term, mentally and in written form and will focus on addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

Mental Agility focus this term is using the strategies doubles/near doubles, making tens, compensation and adding in chunks.



### Health and Wellbeing

The 2 hours of Outdoor PE per week will include teams games e.g. rounder's/cricket and hockey with Mr Dornan.

HEALTHY: Pupils will be discussing Healthy Lifestyles which will include; how to manage and access risk to keep their self and others safe, how to respond to a range of emergency situations and finding out about the world of work.

R.R.S.A.: The Rights of the Child being looked at this term will be article 2, 15, 22 30 and 32.

BUILDING RESILIENCE: Pupils will be learning about "setting goals" by following the Building Resilience Pack to promote emotional health and wellbeing.



### Interdisciplinary Learning (ECO)

This terms interdisciplinary topics will be "The Rainforest", "Plants and their Functions", "Water Works" and the class will continue to develop the school allotment space.



### Homework

Homework will be set online through Microsoft TEAMS. This will normally be set on a Tuesday but may change due to the demands of the school and needs of the class.