*Orchard Primary School*

**Home Learning Ideas**

*Class P.2 Term 2, 2016-17*

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The purpose of our home learning sheet is to give you an overview of what learning your child’s class will be developing this term. It will also give suggested activities that you and your child can complete at home if you wish.

You will get your child’s snapshot jotter home once a month which will have examples of their work across the curriculum and have teacher comments and next steps to show you their progression.

**Our PE Days**

**Monday and Wednesday.** Please ensure all clothes are labelled with your child’s name as we have changing facilities in the School, and items are getting mixed up.

We are also working on getting dressed quickly. Please work on this at home as well.

**My Class Teacher**

**Mrs. McGuire**

**Other adults who work in my class:**

**Mrs. Cullen Mrs. Davidson**



**Remember all children have reading to do at home every night. Weekly they have spelling/common words and numeracy facts to practice. These will be assessed in class as part of their learning tasks.**

**Discreet Subject Areas**

*The Nativity*

**Ideas for home**

*Your child could tell you about the nativity play. Practise song and lines together.*

*Design Christmas cards together. Sing a new Christmas song.*

**Literacy**

**Planned learning focus for daily writing activities**

*Joining words (and, but), capital letters and full stops.*

**Further learning ideas for home**

*Use the puppets in the yellow “ Read Write Count” bag. The children can give the puppets names and make up a story about them. They could put on a play using their puppets as characters. They could also write the story using ”and & but”.*

**Numeracy & Maths**

**Planned learning focus for numeracy/Maths activities**

*Numbers to 100.*

*Money to one pound*

**Further learning ideas for home**

*Play the “ Snakes and Ladders” game that is in the yellow “ Read Write Count” bag, getting your child to talk about numbers before and after. Save your coins up and let the children count them. Let your child pay for items when you go to the shop.*

**PE & Sports planned Learning**

*Performance and fitness*

**Ideas for home**

*Go for a walk together while counting steps on your pedometer or phone.*

*Dance along to Jumpstart Jonny (jumpstartjonny.co.uk)*

**Topic/Interdisciplinary Learning Theme**

*Hairy Maclary – looking at characters and rhyming words*

*St Andrew’s Day and being Scottish*

**Further learning ideas for home**

*Highlight different dogs you see in your street. Talk about how we look after dogs. The “ Shifty McGifty” book in the yellow “Read Write Count” bag is ideal for reinforcing rhyming words and discussing the different characters***.**

*Find Scottish poems and songs together. Make Scottish food*and tweet a picture of it.

*rocket.*