

# Primary 3/2 Class Newsletter

**September  
2022**

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I am Mrs Dougall and I will be teaching Primary 3/2 this year. This is my second year at Sikeside and cannot wait to teach your children.

I hope you all had a lovely summer break. The class have settled back to school and have been working so hard. We are all very excited and ready to learn lots of new things in P3/2.

## Interdisciplinary Study

We have been looking at the movie 'Inside Out' and have been exploring the different characters and relating these to the emotions which we can feel everyday.

## Science

Throughout this term, we are going to be looking at Energy within Science, this will enable us to understand how we get electricity.

## Literacy

We have enjoyed reading different books throughout the first few weeks of the term. We will begin to read our new books each week at our level which your child should be able to tell you about. Please continue to encourage your child to read books for pleasure.

We will also be working on our handwriting and grammar during our literacy time focussing on the structure of our sentences, such as capital letters and full stops. We are continuing to work hard on our spelling using a range of strategies to spell tricky words.

Our main focus for our writing genre for this term is **Narrative**.

## Things to remember

Please remember to come to school with appropriate clothing for PE on our PE days, such as trainers, a light waterproof/windproof jacket and leggings or joggers.

Our days for PE this year are Tuesday and Thursday.

Please, remember to provide your child with a bottle of water for school.

However, please remember this cannot be flavoured water or diluting juice.

## Homework

Homework will be posted on Microsoft Teams at 9.00am every Monday morning and should be handed back in to Mrs Dougall on a Friday.

## Useful Websites

[www.sumdog.com](http://www.sumdog.com)

[www.oxfordowl.co.uk](http://www.oxfordowl.co.uk)

## Numeracy

Our main focus this term will be Number and Number Processes, Estimating and Rounding and Measurement. We have already begun looking at Place Value, Addition and Subtraction.

Learning about the different units of measure also provides us with different life skills that we can use out with school.

Our number talks and mental maths will continue to be a part of our everyday maths lessons to practice developing these skills.

## Upcoming events:

- STEM Week: 19.09.22 – 30.09.22
- September weekend holidays: 23.09.22 – 26.09.21
- October Week: 17.10.22 – 21.10.22
- In-service Day: Monday 14<sup>th</sup> November 2022.
- Christmas Break: 22<sup>nd</sup> December – 9<sup>th</sup> January 2023.