

Focus for Learning

March-June 2021

Primary 7



Numeracy and Maths



Our focus for this term **fractions, decimals fractions and percentages, angle symmetry and transformation, expressions and equations, data analysis**

Fractions, decimals fractions and percentages, we will develop skills in

- Using knowledge of equivalent fractions, decimal fractions, and percentages to solve problems.
- Calculating quantities of percentages in real life situations.

Angle symmetry and transformation, we will develop skills in

- Measuring and drawing angles
- Identify and illustrate line symmetry
- Interpreting maps and models

Expressions and Equations, we will develop skills in

- Solve simple algebraic equations

Data analysis we will develop skills in

- Collect, organise and display data accurately.
- Create surveys, tables, graphs and pie charts

Mental agility skills will develop skills through daily Number Talks activities and mental agility tasks.

- **Problem solving skills** will be developed through outdoor activities.



Literacy



Reading skills will be developed through the use of None Fiction Texts. Note taking and summarising information from non-fiction texts

- Poetry
- Reading comprehension tasks linked to class novel
- Media Study

Recount - writing will be linked to personl choice and High School Transition activities

Instructions/Procedures- writing will be linked to Science enquires respiratory system/forces/ non-renewable energy.

Persuassive-linked to Scottish Parliament topic make a persuasive poster to try and persuade someone of a particular opinion.

Narrative - imaginative story writing, using inspiration from texts read in class and images/video clips

Talking and Listening skills will developed through

- Participation during Scottish Parliament debates
- Discussions of texts and topics that arise in class novel

Health and Wellbeing (HWB)

Primary 7 will continue to take part in the following activities:

- Daily Mile Challenge
- Daily mindfulness tasks
- Pupil choice of the daily outdoor learning activities

INCLUDED The children will be learning to:

- **understand** how behaviour and actions can make people feel isolated.
- **know** about different types of bullying and discrimination that exist eg, body image, stereotyping etc.
- **understand** the impact they have on making their school a welcoming place for all.

Children will also learn about Stereotypes, Prejudice and Discrimination by exploring the **Equality Act** during **This Is Our Faith** and **God's Loving Plan** lessons.





Interdisciplinary Learning (IDL)

Interdisciplinary Learning (IDL) will focus on the topic of **The Scottish Parliament**

The children will be learning to:

- Describe the main features of a democracy and discuss the rights and responsibilities of the citizens in Scotland.
- Investigate the features of an election and the work of representatives at a local level. Investigate a Scottish historical theme to discover how past events or actions have shaped Scottish society.

Pupils will also participate in **Science** and **STEM** enquiries exploring the **respiratory system**, **forces**, and **non-renewable energy**.

