

# **Focus for Learning**

## **January- April 2022**

### **Primary 4-5**

#### **Language**

- **Our Writing will be focussed on Information Reports, Discursive and narrative**
- **We will use notes and organise information to help structure our writing.**
- **We will link our writing to Climate Change, Rainforests and our Group Texts.**
  
- **We will be exploring Scottish Poetry by listening, reciting and responding.**
- **In reading we will be building up the time we can read uninterrupted.**
- **We will aim to be more independent when using comprehension strategies.**

#### **Our focus for Talking and Listening will be:**

- **To give a short talk, speaking clearly, using appropriate volume, speed and pace.**
- **Use expression in voice, gesture and appropriate eye contact.**

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### **Numeracy and Maths**

**This term we will continue to revisit key concepts such as addition and subtraction.**

**The children will :**

**Build, describe and count arrays.**

**Recall table facts.**

**Multiply and divide whole numbers by 10, 100 and 1000.**

**Find fractions of whole numbers e.g.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 16**

**$\frac{1}{8}$  of 64**

**Begin to convert fractions into decimal fractions.**

**Carry out straightforward calculations involving money and money problems.**

**Know the role of £ and p signs and the need for two decimal places in written amounts of money.**



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### **Health and Wellbeing**

**Our focus for this term is:**

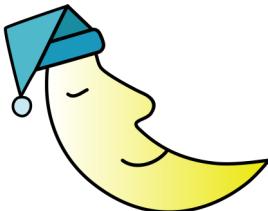
**Healthy Lifestyles— Understand why they should be physically active 60 mins a day.**

**Recognise ways they can become more active on a daily basis.**

**Consolidate understanding around the positive relationship between health & activity.**

**Understand the importance of having a balance of activity & rest and sleep to maintain health.**

**Raise awareness of effects different substance have on the body.**



### **Physical Education**

**This term we will be focusing on Possession Games.**

**Aiming to maintain possession, score points, goals and think tactically.**

**P.E. days are currently Tuesdays and Thursdays.**

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### **Topic**

**Our topics this term will be:**

- **Planet Earth- Looking at Rainforests; their importance, climate and weather systems.**
- **We will look at the UK climate and compare this to the rainforest.**
- **We will look at ethical trading and options available to us in Scotland.**

