

In literacy, we are learning:

- **Reading**
To read with increased fluency, adding appropriate expression. To create questions about a text for others to answer. To recognise the difference between fact and opinion.
- **Talking and listening**
To create and ask a variety of questions about the main ideas of a text.
- **Phonics/spelling**
To identify and read and write words with the taught spelling rule and phoneme.
- **Writing**
To write persuasively and to create interesting settings in our narrative writing using a variety of literary techniques.

Wider Curriculum

Science - Energy and Forces
STEM – Marble Ramps
Digital Learning
RME – Airdrie Churches at Christmas
French – Feelings, The Body, Classroom Talk

Discovery Zone – Enquiry Based Learning
Clans

Visiting Airdrie Library
Visiting Gartlea Gardens Care Home

In Health & Wellbeing we are learning:

- **Emotional Health**
Zones of Regulation
Relaxation and Mindfulness Techniques
- **Physical Health**
Party Dances/Games
Target Games

Outdoor Learning – Loose Parts Play (alternate Thursday afternoons)

Our Learning Journey Primary 4 Base 7 October to December 2025

Other Information

P.E. Days are Wednesday (pitch) and Thursday (hall) please bring PE kit and indoor gym shoes for the hall.

Homework issued on Mondays

Useful websites for this term's learning:

Topmarks – Maths Games
Educandy – Spelling
Glow

In maths, we are learning:

- **Number**
To identify the value of each digit in a number with 3 digits.
To double numbers and near doubles.
To find strategies to add 2-digit numbers (mental).
To add and subtract multiples of 10 or 100 to any number to 1000.
To begin to record 3-digit addition and subtraction.
- **Measure**
To measure volume, capacity and mass
To read scales to the nearest graduation.
To convert measurements e.g. ml to l, g to kg

Dates for your Diary

Thursday 30th October - Halloween Disco
Friday 31st October - Halloween Dress up/Down Day
Thursday 6th November - Parents Night
Tuesday 11th November - Visit to Airdrie Library
Monday 17th November - School closed to pupils for staff In-service training
Wednesday 26th November - Parent Council Meeting
Thursday 18th December - school closes at 2.30pm for Christmas break
Monday 5th January 2026 - School re-opens