

Primary 5/6

Termly Newsletter - April - May



Maths

This term we will be learning all about angles and their use within position and movement. We will cover data handling and analysis and learn all about probability and chance. We will have lots of opportunities to apply our learning practically.

Number Talks

Number talks are 5-10 minute activities that help build number sense, mental maths, and flexibility with numbers. This term we are continuing to focus on multiplication and division strategies including

- Partial Products
- Partial Quotients.



Reading



We continue to work on our class reading books using the North Lanarkshire 6 reading strategies. This term we will be focussing on finding information to understand and create new texts.

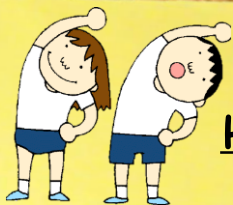
Writing

In writing we will be applying our grammar knowledge of sentence structure and tenses to develop our writing. We will be focussing on

- Explanation Writing.
- Information Reports.
- Discursive Writing.



Health and Wellbeing



Physical Education Focus

Indoor P.E - Tuesday

Outdoor P.E - Friday

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SHANARRI Indicator Focus

Each month we have a different focus:

April- Responsible

May - Lifestyles

June- Included



STEM

Play

Through our play sessions we will be developing our skills and abilities in STEM through a range of construction and scientific activities. We will have the chance to consolidate and apply our knowledge in maths to help us complete challenges.



Outdoor Learning

We will be using the outdoor environment to help us further understand our work in maths. We will be exploring angles and data handling through the use of natural resources.



IDL



This term we have a class theme of Democracy around the world, building on our learning from the origins of democracy in Ancient Greece. We will also be exploring the Paris 2024 Olympic games.

Science



We will be exploring 2 science topics this term. We will be learning about Electricity and how electrical circuits work leading us to designing our own. We will be learning about light and how this travels and creates colour.

Dates for Your Diary

Open Afternoon - 10th May (2-3pm)
Polo Day - 28th May
Sports Day - 31st May
Show dress rehearsal - 4th June
Summer Show Afternoon - 5th June
Summer Show Evening - 6th June
Award Ceremony - 18th June
26th June - School Closes (1:30pm)

