

Primary 3/2 Curriculum Flyer



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Term 3



Welcome Back

We hope you all had a lovely Christmas break and are ready for a very busy and fun term 3!

Here is a snapshot of what we will be covering in class.

Learning @ Home

Homework will continue to be on a four week rotation. One week of Health and Wellbeing followed by a block of three weeks. The first block of homework will begin on **Monday 15th January** with a hand in date of: **Friday 2nd February**

Your child will bring home a reading book each week. We ask that you please ensure that your child brings their book back to school with them **every day**. All reading books **must** be handed in every Friday so that these can be swapped for the following week. Please read our homework guide for more information.

Health and Wellbeing

This term we are going to focus on our own personal progress and achievements and we will be setting targets for ourselves.

Our PE days will be Mondays and Thursdays. It is important children bring a change of clothes to allow them to move freely around the gym hall. This term we will focus on Tennis and Gymnastics.



Literacy



Reading – In class we will be reading ‘George’s Marvellous Medicine’ as our class novel. Through this book we will discuss Character, Setting, Main Events and Questions. We will continue to read our banded reading books and apply our understanding of the text through follow up activities in groups, pairs and individually.

Phonics – We will continue to follow new sounds for each stage every week. Spelling will consist of active and written tasks and common words will be tested at the end of the week.

Writing – Our writing days will be on a Wednesday and we are very lucky to have both teachers in for this. We will begin a new Talk for Writing unit which the children will learn to internalise using actions.

Interdisciplinary Learning (Topic)

This term we are starting off with Scots month. We have already started learning our poems and we are so impressed with the children’s commitment to learning and performing them. We will also be spending time familiarising ourselves more with the Scots language. We will be looking at and translating words, as well as reading our Scots novel ‘Geordie’s Mingin Medicine’.

Our annual Scots Poetry competition will take place on Friday 26th January. Two finalists will be chosen from each year group and will have the opportunity to perform their poem in front of the rest of the school and the judges!

We will then move on to our history topic of ‘The Ice age’ and we are looking forward to investigating and learning about what the world looked like during the last Ice Age.

Numeracy & Maths

During Term 3 we are planning to cover:

- Number Processes (including finding the missing number in calculations)
- Multiplication
- Division
- Maths in real life contexts

We will use a variety of active and written tasks to help embed the taught skills.