



Welcome Back!

It was lovely to meet a lot of our families at our 'Meet the Teacher' night in Term 1 and I look forward to future opportunities to welcome you into the school.

Literacy

Reading – We will continue to use 'Bug Club' in class to support reading development. Bug Club books will be assigned based on the phonemes we are learning through the online version.

Phonics – We will be following the South Ayrshire Reads (SAR) progression for Literacy. The children will learn three new phonemes each week. These phonemes will be shared in Homework Diaries, and we would encourage and appreciate you practising the phonemes at home as much as possible – this will help hugely with early reading and writing development.

Writing – We will be completing taught writing weekly in class. During this, children will be supported to draw a detailed picture, tell an adult what they have drawn and underwrite the phonemes we have learned in class.

Mathematics

During Term 2 we are planning to cover:

- Numbers to 20
- Shape and Pattern
- Addition

We will be utilising both the classroom and outdoor spaces to support and extend learning.

Interdisciplinary Learning

Throughout Term 2 we are planning to cover:

- Weather and Seasons
- Christmas Story/Nativity

HWB

P.E. – Our PE days are Wednesday and Thursday. In term 2 we are focussing on ball skills and we will be welcoming Royal Troon in to teach us Golf.

Outdoor Learning – We will be utilising the outdoor spaces we have at school and in our community to extend learning and develop Meta-skills.



Announcements



Our P1 Nativity show will be on Wednesday 9th December - more information from the school will follow.



Please ensure children are coming into school dressed for the weather to ensure we can utilise outdoor spaces for learning.



On PE days please ensure children are not wearing lots of jewellery.