



# TROON PRIMARY SCHOOL & EYC

## CURRICULAR MAP – TERM 1



### PRIMARY 4

Mrs Wyper, Mr Paterson, Ms Beaton

#### LITERACY

##### Spelling

Pupils will continue to follow the Jolly Phonics Spelling and Grammar Programme this session. We will be applying spelling strategies taught to new and familiar sounds. Pupils are encouraged to practice their spelling words at home. These words can be found on TEAMS within the Homework grid provided. Each week we will carry out a check up to see how each child is progressing.

##### Reading

This term our book study will be Gangsta Granny. We will regularly be using 'Blooms Buttons' during reading sessions to allow us to use higher order thinking skills when reflecting and evaluating the text. Pupils will also be using the text during imaginative writing sessions to create fictional stories. Each day pupils will have time to read for enjoyment. Each class will have a library slot where they can select a book of interest to use during this time.

##### Listening and Talking

Pupils will regularly use First News and Newsround as a stimulus for class and small group discussions.

#### NUMERACY & MATHS

##### Mental maths

Pupils will continue to develop their mental agility through Beat That challenges, Number Talks sessions and Sumdog.

##### Number and Number processes –

Children will learn how to add and subtract up to 3 digits with and without carrying numbers and will be able to use concrete materials to help them such as counters and 100 squares. They will be shown how to use a calculator properly and some children will be challenged with creating addition and subtraction word problems for the class to solve. Pupils will consolidate their knowledge of prior times tables.

#### SOCIAL STUDIES

##### The Ocean

This term our pupils will be learning all about Oceans. As well as looking at the layers of the Ocean, pupils will consider the impact of pollution and climate change on our sea wildlife and habitats. Learners will extend their knowledge of maps and their place in the wider world. Pupils will also contribute to discussions on relevant scientific news related to their topic.

#### OTHER CLASS INFORMATION

**PE** – Our PE sessions this term will be on a Monday/Wednesday (P4) and Tuesday/Friday (P4/5). Pupils will also complete a 10 week swimming block. Throughout the course of the week we will complete the Daily Mile to improve fitness

**HWB** – In class pupils will explore what a growth mindset is. Pupils will look at adopting strategies in their own learning, which will assist in meeting personal targets set this term. Across the school we will focus on 2 of the SHANARRI indicators – safe and healthy.

**ICT** – All pupils will be issued their own computer, GLOW and Sumdog logins. Focus this term will be on pupils using these independently.

**Science** – Water Cycle

**Music** – Mr Paterson will be delivering ICT and Music on a Thursday (P4/5) and Friday (P4)

