

### Literacy

#### Listening and Talking

- We are learning to listen to the opinion of others and contribute to group discussion.
- We are learning to build on each other's answers and respond in an appropriate and respectful way.

#### Reading

- We are learning how to answer evaluative and inference questions using a given text.
- We are learning to read using expression, confidence and fluency.
- We are learning how to find information for a specific purpose through our weekly comprehension activities.
- Pupils read assigned books throughout each week individually and as a group.

#### Writing

- We are learning to organise and structure our writing using paragraphs.
- We are learning how to skim and scan for information to create new texts for a specific purpose.
- We are learning how to use different sentence structure techniques to engage our reader.
- Pupils are regularly producing different genres of text such as formal and informal letter writing, fact files, informative posters, personal writing and imaginative story writing.
- Pupils practice spelling weekly in groups.
- Pupils explore a range of grammar to enhance their writing such as adverbs, similes, metaphors, ellipsis and onomatopoeia.

Curriculum Links: LIT 2-02a, ENG 2-03a, LIT 2-12a, LIT 2-14a, LIT 2-25a, LIT 2-22a, LIT 2-26a, LIT 2-18a, LIT 2-07a

### Numeracy and Mathematics

#### Numeracy

- We are learning to understand word problems and select the correct calculations to get our answer.
- We are learning to identify and calculate cube numbers.
- We are learning to apply the order of operations correctly when using BODMAS.
- We are learning to calculate the square root of a number.
- We are learning to use the 4 operations to extend number sequences.
- We are learning to solve simple equations where the value is represented by a symbol.
- We are continuing to develop our times table recall and knowledge of factors and multiples.

#### Measure

- I can calculate Area and Perimeter
- I am developing my skill in length and volume

Curriculum links: MTH 2-13a, MTH 2-15a, MNU 2-03a, MTH 2-05a

### Specialist Subjects

#### Music

- Pupils are learning to produce instrumental music independently.
- Pupils are learning to create different sounds using a variety of percussion instruments.

#### Art

- There are weekly art lessons with the art teacher.

#### Physical Education

- We are learning to use our teamwork and communication skills in class P.E. with Miss Baronet.
- We are increasing our gross and fine motor skills, coordination and fluency in Athletics with Mr Kirkness.

## Health & Well-being

### Substance Misuse

- We are learning about different types of drugs e.g. medicinal, recreational and illegal.
- We are learning about the effects of drugs, including smoking and alcohol, on the human body.
- We are learning about how social media can impact on our decision making.
- We are learning about the impact of drugs on decision making, peer pressure and risk taking behaviour.
- We are learning how to respond in an emergency situation related to substance misuse.
- We are learning how substance misuse can affect children and families and what services are there to help.

### Citizenship

- I can explore my rights and responsibilities as a Scottish Citizen and member of the Burra /Shetland community.
- I can make a personal contribution to my community.
- I can take part in activities which benefit my community.

Curriculum Links: HWB 2-38a, HWB 2-39a, HWB 2-40a, HWB 2-41a, HWB 210a, HWB 2-11a, HWB 2-12a, HWB 2-13a, HWB 2-14a

## Science - Chemical Changes

- We are learning about the properties of different substances such as solids, gasses and liquids.
- We are learning about when products can change state including reversible and irreversible change.
- We are learning about new substances which can be produced by chemical changes.
- We are learning to recognise the signs of a chemical reaction such as the production of bubbles, a colour change, or the release of heat.
- We are learning to discuss and investigate everyday chemical reactions like burning and corrosion.

Curriculum links: SCN 2-15a, SCN 2-16a, SCN 2-16b, SCN 2-18a, SCN 2-19a

## Social Subjects - Democracy

- I can describe the main features of democracy.
- I can discuss the rights and responsibilities of a Scottish citizen.
- I can identify the key features of an election and the roles within this.
- I can discuss the different tiers of government there are in Scotland. Local and National.

Curriculum Links: SOC 2-17a, SOC 2-18a

## Modern Languages - Sign Language

- I am learning finger spelling for British Sign Language
- I can use special signs for myself, family, colours, animals, foods and pastimes.

Curriculum Links: MLAN 2-01a, MLAN 2-05a