

# TERMLY OVERVIEW

PRIMARY 4-7 TERM 1 2024/2025

## TOPIC

This term our topic is Delting in the 1970s. We will be learning about:

- Using primary and secondary sources to research events in the past
- Exploring historical evidence to help build a picture of our heritage
- Compare and contrast a society in the past with my own
- Discuss the environmental impact of human activity
- Presenting information on different places to live, work and relax and interesting places to visit

P4-7 have had personalisation and choice with this class topic and have been thinking of lessons and resources we could use to meet these outcomes.

If you have any stories or photos you can share with your child to help with our topic, it would be greatly appreciated!

### LITERACY

Our literacy focus for writing will be story writing and descriptive writing. We will be learning about using descriptive language, creating our own characters, settings and texts. We will also be writing about our topic - Delting in the 1970s.

Spelling will be on Mondays and Thursdays and we will complete a spelling challenge on Fridays. The reading days for your child are written in their reading diaries. We will complete weekly reading activities using skills and strategies to help understand texts.

We will have a weekly lesson on grammar, punctuation and vocabulary to help ensure our writing is interesting and exciting.

## **NUMERACY**

This term we will be focusing on place value and the importance between understanding the link between a digit, its place and its value. This will also involve estimation and rounding.

We will then start covering addition and subtraction strategies and have a weekly lesson on data handling and chance/probability.

#### HEALTH AND WELLBEING

This term we are having a whole school focus on the Rights of the Child. We are setting up a working team including children and staff to discuss ideas, which will be delivered to everybody.

In class, we will be learning about being resilient and having a growth mind-set.

#### **EXPRESSIVE ARTS**

Mondays - Art with Mrs Carr

Tuesdays - Music with Miss O'Dwyer

Fridays - PE with Mr Murdock

Pupils will have opportunities to engage in expressive arts in the classroom during interdisciplinary learning.

#### HOMEWORK

Pupils will receive weekly spelling patterns on Mondays to practise throughout the week. We will have a spelling challenge on Friday to test their words.

Reading will be heard regularly throughout the week, please check reading diaries for days your child will be reading.