

Term 4 Curriculum Information

Primary 3a

Learning Journey - Wednesday 28th May (tbc)
 Moving up Afternoon - Thursday 19th June (tbc)
 Health and Wellbeing Week - w/b 20th May

Literacy

- Recap the spelling patterns learned, common words and tricky words.
- Write consistently using the correct heights and letter formation.
- Continue to learn the joins for joined up handwriting.
- Begin to use a variety of punctuation in our writing.
- Develop our comprehension skills.
- Continue to develop our reading skills.
- Further develop our group discussion and presenting skills that we have been working on.

Physical Education

- Athletics - Determination, resilience and flexibility
- Games - Focus and Attention
- Rounders - Communication

Other Curricular Areas

Our topic is Shetland.

- Look at and label maps of Sound, Lerwick and Shetland.
- Identify key features of our local landscape.
- Explore the different industries in Shetland and their importance, e.g. farming, fishing, tourism.
- Discover a range of Shetland foods and how they contribute to a healthy diet.
- In RME, we will be learning about the churches in Shetland and their links to the community.
- In ICT, we will be using the class blog to show how we can share information online.
- Continue to learn about the importance of internet safety and explore the responsibilities we have when online.
- In HWB, we will be exploring friendships, this will include respecting boundaries and personal space. We will look at verbal and non-verbal ways to communicate our feelings.
- Our school value for this term is determination.
- Our leadership focus this term is playground.

Art

- In Art we are learning to observe and record real life objects. We are also learning how to block print Fair Isle patterns using polystyrene.

Homework

- Practise reading aloud to an adult.
- Answer questions based on the book.
- Look at the class blog together.

Numeracy and Mathematics

- Continue to improve our mental maths skills.
- Further our understanding of multiplication and division.
- We will investigate chance and uncertainty.
- Conduct surveys, gather and record data in a variety of ways.
- Interpret information from graphs and diagrams.
- We will be learning more about fractions.
- We will do some problem-solving using maths.

French

- Revise French greetings, days of the week, months of the year, body parts and colours.
- Learn the vocabulary for weather and family.

Music

- We will be singing topic related songs with simple percussion accompaniments. We will reinforce our learning of the solfa names and hand signs for 'so' and 'mi' and we will be introduced to the solfa name/sign for 'la'. This term we will also be exploring musical genres including classical, folk, pop and traditional music from different cultures.