

### Health and Wellbeing

This term we will be taking part in RSHP lessons with our peer groups. P4 will have this delivered together with Mrs Kilgallon and P2 and P3 will have their session together with Mrs Rodger. All RSHP information is available for you and your child's programme has been sent home to you.

We will continue to work on emotional recognition and discussion as a class and discuss social and emotional wellbeing through tasks and the emotionworks programme.

The children will receive two sessions of P.E per week. One session will be delivered by Mrs Rodger, with a focus on dance (Friday) and the other by Mrs MacConnell with a focus on fitness (Monday).

### Science

This term we will learn about different materials and their properties. We will plan many activities through our outdoor learning and run practical play activities and experiments together following the scientific method.

### Technologies

This term we will learn about textiles and develop our sewing skills. We will do this through the context of Scotland and create a simple project for our family ceilidh.

This will give opportunity for peer learning and individual achievement.

## Tinto Primary School

### Primary 2/3/4 Mrs Rodger

### Term 2 Overview 2023-24

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### Target Setting in the Classroom

Throughout this year, your child will be setting a series of targets for themselves, challenging their learning, and striving for excellence. The targets which your child sets will stem from our termly overview targets and be personalised to specific areas which your child may wish to challenge themselves in or have found challenging in their learning.

As our children achieve their targets, and celebrate their success, their work will be placed in their purple pupil portfolio which you can view on open days and parent's evenings. This folder forms a record of your child's development throughout their time at Tinto Primary School. We will transition to a digital version of the portfolio system this session, about which you will receive more information in due course.

### Numeracy and Mathematics

This term our numeracy will focus on multiplication and division and then link into learning about fractions. We will spend time learning tables but also explore how they are structured through activities and games on groups and arrays to make clear the links between multiplying and dividing. We will be practicing tables every week and this will also form part of homework this term.

Within Mathematics our focus this term will be time. We will work with clocks and timers and explore our sense of time through our school day and our weekly timetable. There will be a range of practical activities and games to support our learning and once confident we will begin working on time problems and exploring duration.

### Expressive Arts

In **Art**, this term the children will focus on entries for the Biggar Little Festival programme. We will explore a range of media to achieve this.

Through **Dance** we will explore Scottish dances for our ceilidh and learn a range of steps and moves to learn partner and group dances.

In **Music**, we are continuing to use our new resource; Charanga Music. We are extending our understanding of rhythm and learning how to use instruments to build up a piece of music.

### Language and Literacy

**Reading:** We are continuing to develop our comprehension skills through blooms questioning for discussion and stonelaw reading approaches with a range of written and response activities.

**Spelling:** We are using dictation, magnetic boards, games, website tasks and practical activities to improve our knowledge of phonemes and develop our ability to make and break words. We will practice in class throughout our week and there will be homework on last weeks words most weeks this term.

**Writing:** This term we are focussing on procedure writing and will look at adjectives, nouns, present tense verbs and analysing the structure of instructions to be able to write our own instructions.

**Talking & Listening:** We will work on presenting our own learning in small groups and learn songs together for our Scotland topic.

**Modern Languages:** We are increasing our knowledge of simple conversational and instruction vocabulary. We continue to embed French in our daily routines and instructions.

### Outdoor Learning

This term the children will focus on their learning in science, art and technologies. We will also use outdoor activities across the curriculum.