

Health and Wellbeing

One of our PE sessions is swimming which is on a Tues afternoon for 10 weeks. Our PE in school will be 'Possession' on a Thursday morning.

We will focus on the wellbeing indicators 'Safe', 'Healthy' and 'Achieving'.

Technologies

This term we will design and construct models of Planet Earth. We will continue to explore Chromebooks to enhance our learning.

Expressive Arts

We will complete pieces of art using the visual elements of line, shape, form, colour, tone, pattern and texture through our topic work.

RME

This term we will be looking at 'Special Places' for different religions. We will explore the main features, practices and traditions. Looking at special objects and precious things. We will then move onto the Christian celebration of 'Christmas' where we will explore values and traditions.

Tinto Primary School

Primary 4

Term 1 Overview

Session 24-25

(Mon- Wed) Mrs MacConnell
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PE Days- Tuesday (Swimming) and Thursday

Outdoor Learning- Wednesday Afternoon

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. This folder forms a record of your child's development throughout their time at Tinto Primary School. We have now transitioned to a digital version of the portfolio.

Literacy

Writing- This term we will begin with a revision of 'Description' then move onto 'Narrative' and finish with 'Exposition' just before Christmas.

Reading- During reading sessions, we will work on our decoding strategies to read tricky words. We will focus on identifying the main ideas of texts and answering questions to show our understanding.

We will also continue to develop handwriting, spelling patterns and Listening and Talking activities.

Numeracy and Mathematics

Numeracy- This term we will be focussing on rounding, place value and the 4 operations.

Maths- We will be focusing on money. We will work on calculating change, totalling and using coins and notes as well as digital methods of payment.

Homework

In Primary 4 we use Google Classroom to set homework. All homework is consolidation. Homework activities are designed to give practice, consolidation and experience in line with classwork. Each week there will be spelling words and reading. There will also be a grid containing maths and numeracy tasks/games.

I am Remarkable!

Every Friday we will have an opportunity for pupils to share their achievements from within and beyond the classroom. Pupils are invited to bring in certificates, achievements and photographs of things they have done out with school to share. Please remember achievements do not only need to come from clubs, but we also love to hear of baking success and learning to tie shoes etc. Their achievements will be shared with the wider school on our We are Remarkable Wall.

Science

This term we will be learning about Planet Earth. We will be exploring aspects including weather, how plants grow and orbits.

Social Studies

We will explore different climate zones across the world. We will also consider ways of looking after our school and community and will discuss the importance of caring for the environment.