Curriculum for Excellence

Class - Room 7

What are we learning this term?

Language & Literacy

This term we will -

- Develop higher order thinking reading strategies including connecting and comparing and self-questioning.
- P3 Grammar Revise alphabetical order, collective nouns, verbs and sentence structure
- P4 Grammar Learn about adverbs. comparative adjectives, singular and plural.
- In writing, we will focus on Functional writing - instructions and poetry.
- Practise joined handwriting.
- Develop reporting back skills when working in a group.
- In French, we will focus on the calendar and weather.

Social Studies

This term our focus is on the IDL topic My Skeleton.

about inherited characteristics. We will then explore how this shapes our cultural identity and compare it to that of others across the globe.

Through our science lessons we will learn

Health & Wellbeing



- In PE, we will be further developing skills in hockey, golf and dance.
- We will about food hygiene and controlling the spread of germs.
- We will recognise achievements and focus on good relationships and keeping healthy.
- In addition, we will also be further developing our understanding of children's rights as a Rights Respecting School.

Religious & Moral

Term 2

Our focus this term will be on-Parables in Christianity, including-

- The Good Samaritan
- The House on the Rock

Later in the term, we will be looking at Christmas- 'A Festive Feast'.

Numeracy



This term, we will further develop our mental agility skills through Number talks. We will also be developing skills in-

Addition and subtraction to 100 Money

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All- Problem solving activities and transferring these skills across different concepts.

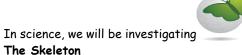
Technologies

We will be using our ICT skills to enhance our learning across the curriculum and developing our knowledge of how technology can help people.

We will also develop our use of-

- Microsoft Office Applications, including creating and saving our files.
- Sending and receiving e-mails through Glow.
- Internet Safety
- iPad Applications

Science



We will-

- Describe the position and function of the bones of the skeleton.
- Develop an understanding what I need to do to keep my bones strong and healthy.
- Identify inherited characteristics.
- Understand what germs are and how they are spread.
- Identify how to keep healthy.

Expressive Arts



- In art, we will develop skills in painting using primary and secondary colours, using textures and lightening/ darkening tones.
- In drama, we will develop our performance skills through our Christmas Nativity for P3 and 'Bah Humbug' for P4.
- In music we will be working on Christmas Carols.
- In dance we will learning traditional ceilidh dances.



Language & Literacy

Read for pleasure!

Talk to a parent or carer about what you are reading.

Read your class reading book.

Practise your spelling list using active spelling strategies.

Visit the library and discover a new author.

Social Studies

Create a family tree.

Look at similarities and differences in your family, looks, likes/dislikes, food preferences etc

Health & Wellbeing

Create a set of rules for the MUGA. Go cycling.

Go for a walk or run.

Go outside and play!

Make a healthy snack for your family. Talk to your family about what you have learned at school about food hygiene and keeping healthy.

Keep a diary of your healthy activities.

Religious & Moral

Can you find other parables and explain the morals of the stories?

Find out if your family or family friends have their own Christmas traditions.

Find out where you can contribute to a Foodbank or collection for the Homeless.



Numeracy &

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Practise number bonds and multiplication tables.

Use a whiteboard to practise quick fire mental maths with a partner.

Go shopping with an adult and discuss the prices of items on your list. What is most/least expensive? Which coins could you use to pay?

Play a maths game on Top Marks or Sumdog.

Technologies



Discuss internet safety with people at home.

Use the internet to search for interesting subjects you have learned about in class.

Help someone at home to make dinner.

Science



Create a movable joint out of cardboard or paper to show how the joint works.

Make a quiz about the skeleton and challenge your family.

Expressive Arts



Start a sketch book.

Paint, draw and be creative.

Make an autumnal leaves picture.

Make your own birthday and

Christmas cards.

Visit a gallery or museum.

Learn your words for the show songs. Learn how to make paper snowflakes.



Home Learning Opportunities

Here are some activities for you to try at home!