Term 2 Overview – Primary 6/5

Literacy

Our reciprocal reading focuses for this term are **summarising** and **clarifying**. This will help us better understand a range of texts. Through exploring non-fiction texts, we will build on our ability to skim read, note take and organise our work into sub-heading to form an information report. We will continue to develop our core writing skills by including punctuation, spelling, paragraphs, sentence structure and editing our work.

Numeracy

Our maths learning will focus on **fractions, decimals and percentages,** as well as **geometry** through a STEM project. As always, we will engage in ongoing numeracy work by participating in number talks sessions, practise with the four operations, investigations with money and RICH/Building Thinking Classrooms activities.

Health and Wellbeing

P6/5 are excited to take part in **conditioned team games** this term such as bench ball, treasure island and hand ball. This will develop our communication, movement skills, coordination and sportsmanship. In the run up to Christmas, we will be practising some social dance too. We will continue to support our own and others wellbeing by discussing and exploring self-awareness through our focus indicators **'Safe'** and **'Included'**, as well as a range of topics such as social media use, consent and emotional wellbeing.

Interdisciplinary Learning

Our main interdisciplinary topic this term is **European Countries**. Throughout this term we will research a European country in depth, develop map-reading and geographical skills, learn about landmarks, culture, language, climate and daily life. We will also compare Scotland with countries across Europe, as well as explore currencies, time zones and significant features of different countries. This topic will provide opportunities to apply literacy, numeracy and digital skills in meaningful contexts.