

**Date: Term 1**

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**Learning Overview – Primary 3**

The focus for this term will be:

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| **Literacy and English:****Reading –** * **Class novel study on ‘The Adventures of the Wishing Chair’ looking at how the author uses adjectives when describing characters and places.**
* **Focus on comprehension, predication and character development.**

**Writing –** * **Big Writing – focus on V.C.O.P. and particularly punctuation.**

**Talking & Listening –** * **Class talk focusing on presentation skills.**
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| **Numeracy and Mathematics:*** **Number – numbers to 1000 (consolidating to 100 first). Focus on ordering and counting in increments of 10,2,3,4 and 5, both forwards and backwards.**
* **Place Value – consolidating our understanding of tens and ones, before developing understnading of hundreds, tens and ones.**
* **Shape – investigating the properties of 2D shape.**
* **Mental maths – develop mental maths strategies.**
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| **Health and Wellbeing:*** **Rights Respecting Schools – class charter development**
* **P.E. – developing racket skills, throwing and catching**
* **Emotions – looking at different strategies we could use to help us when feeling sad, angry etc.**
* **Friendship – exploring what makes a good friend and why it is important to be kind to one another.**
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| **Interdisciplinary Learning:*** **France – discovering different foods, art and architecture. We will look at how life in France compares to Scotland**
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| **Any other information:*** P.E. will be on a Wednesday (outdoor) and Friday (indoor) and children will need to bring suitable kit for these
* Home learning will be issued once every 10 days. Reading books will be changed during this time and should be brought into school everyday.
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