**Grid 2 Learning Descriptor – Primary 5 – October-December 2018**

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| Health and Wellbeing* Road Safety
* Anti-bullying
* Mindfulness
* HWB programme and Jogging

 (Mondays with Mrs Mayhew)* Indoor P.E. – Creative Dance (Mondays)
* Specialist Teacher P.E. – Basketball (Wednesdays with Mrs Howard)
 | Literacy* First Minister’s Reading Challenge
* Reading for Information and Note-taking
* Literacy Circle Activities
* Descriptive language including: adjectives, alliteration, similes, onomatopoeia
* Functional Writing – letters, personal reports
* Listening for Instructions
* Reading Buddies
 | Numeracy and Maths* Numbers – times tables, multiplication and division
* Problem-solving – worded problems
* Number Talks
* Compass Points
* Co-Ordinates
* Measure – area, length, perimeter
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| Interdisciplinary Learning* WW1 centenary

(Main Focus: Social Studies)* Bridges

(Main Focus: Technologies)Bridges Workshop (in school) – 26.11.18Visit to Queensferry Crossing – 11.12.18 | What P5 are learning this term fromOctober to December.Williamston Primary School | Discrete Subjects* Outdoor Learning – Maths

(Tuesday P5a and Wednesday P5b with Miss Allcoat)* French – colours and numbers
* RME – Key Christian figures incl. Moses, Value of the Month, Christmas,
* Science – Floating and Sinking
* Art – WPS art exhibition 29.11.18
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| Ethos and Life of the School* Assemblies
* Value of the Month

(Oct: Patience, Nov: Peace, Dec: Love)* Pupil Leadership Groups continue
* “Pants” Week w.b. 22.10.18
* School Photos 1.11.18
* Remembrance Day Service 9.11.18
* St Andrews Day celebration assembly 30.11.18
* P5a Values Assembly: Love 7.12.18
* Christmas Service 17.12.18
 | Additional Information* P5 Cluster Harvest Service – 25.10.18
* Terrific Tuesdays start Tues 30.10.18 for 5 weeks, last one Tues 27.11.18.
* Flu Vaccinations 5.11.18
* Wee Sleep Out 9.11.18
* Anti-Bullying Week w.b. 12.11.18
* Learning for Sustainability Curriculum Evening 14.11.18
* Children in Need 16.11.18
* Road Safety Week w.b. 19.11.18
* Book Week Scotland w.b. 19.11.18
* Christmas Disco ?19.12.18
 | Opportunities for Personal Achievements* Class Reward Systems
* V.I.P. Table
* House Points
* Achievement Awards
* Golden Time
* I-JournAL
* Star Writer Awards
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**Please remember:**

**Indoor P.E. kits are required each week (to be brought in on Mondays and taken home on Fridays).**

**Outdoor clothing (including at the least a waterproof jacket with hood and suitable boots/outdoor shoes) is required to be kept in school.**

**Grid 1 Home Learning – Primary 5 - September / October 2018 Due: Friday 7th December 2018**

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| Health and Wellbeing* The theme for Road Safety Week this year is “Bike Smart”. See <http://www.roadsafetyweek.org.uk/>.

Design a banner to encourage bike awareness and safety amongst drivers or cycle safety amongst cyclists. What will your message be?* The theme for Anti-Bullying Week this year is “Choose Respect”

Write a rap (try to make it rhyme) to promote this message. | Literacy* Complete your reading homework each week.
* Complete your Literacy Circle booklet activity each week.
* Complete your spelling homework each week.
* Complete your First Minister’s Reading Challenge record book each week (will be issued during Book Week Scotland in November).
* Write a poem using interesting adjectives, alliteration, similes, onomatopoeia. You may want to add rhyme. Suggested topics: fireworks, World War 1, bridges, the seasons, Christmas.
 | Numeracy and Maths* Continue to play Sumdog games regularly. Complete your maths homework each week.
* Practise your times tables aiming for quick recall of facts. Use them to solve multiplication and division problems. Keep a record in your booklet.
* Choose 5 books and measure the area of the front cover of each one.
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| Interdisciplinary Learning* Research a bridge. It can be a bridge in our local area or from another country. Make a fact file about your bridge for our class book. Include key information such as name, location, engineer/company, when built, length , materials used, purpose and who uses it.
* Research how animals supported the forces in World War 1, e.g. who was Sergeant Stubby?
 | P5 Home Learning ActivitiesSeptember/ OctoberWilliamstonPrimary School*(Activities with a star are compulsory, all others are optional)* | Discrete Subjects* Science: Investigate floating and sinking at home. Make a list of items that float and another list of those that sink.
* French: Make a poster to display colours and/or numbers in French.
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| Ethos and Life of the School* Talk to your family about our school values of Patience, Peace and Love.
* Find out some facts about St Andrew to share with the class.
 | Additional Information* Talk to your family about all our focus days and weeks this term: “Pants” Week, Remembrance Day, Children in Need Day, Road Safety Week, Anti-Bullying Week and Book Week Scotland.
 | Opportunities for Personal Achievements* Record at least one personal achievement you make outside of school on an A4 page for your I-JournAL – be creative! Bring in any certificates and medals.
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