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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST

- We have PE sessions on a Tuesday and Wednesday. Please ensure your child comes to school with indoor shoes for gym, shorts and a t-shirt.
- All jewellery must be removed for PE
- Scottish Assembly ~ Friday 25th January
- Parent Meetings Thursday 21st March
- Come Count with Me ~ Tuesday 19th February

We welcome your comments.





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Curriculum News

Term: 3 Dates: January - March Class: Primary 4

Literacy and English

Reading

- Literacy World Readers/Group Novels
- Topic-related reading comprehension activities

Writing

• Writing activities linked to the topics 'Scotland' and 'The Rainforest'.

Talking and listening

- Promote talking and listening skills through all curricular areas
- Personal Talk

<u>Mathematics</u>

- Multiplication and Division
- 2D & 3D shape
- Fractions
- Developing mental maths strategies

Social Studies

- Scotland
- The Rainforest

I.C.T. / Technologies

Developing research skills through topic-related activities.

Health & Wellbeing includes Physical Education

PE

- *Gymnastics*
- Club Golf
- Curling
- Please ensure appropriate gym kit is worn: a change of shoes, t-shirt and shorts. No jewellery should be worn and long hair should be tied back.

Health & Well-Being

- Rights Respecting schools ~ Right of the fortnight
- PATHS (Promoting Alternative Thinking Strategies)
 - Self Control
 - Using our Thinking Skills
 - Getting Along with Others- Friendships

Expressive Arts

<u>Drama</u>

 Performance skills and role play developed through our class topics

Art and Design

- Artwork with a Scottish focus
- Drawing and painting techniques
- Experimenting with effects of perspective
- Mixed media (textile, printmaking and collage)

Music

• Songs with different genres and rhythms linked to Scotland

Religious & Moral Education

- Stories about key figures from Islam, Judaism and Christianity.
- Easter Celebrations

French

- Numbers 1-31
- Days of the Week/Months of the Year
- Birthdays
- The Alphabet
- In the House

Homework

Homework will be issued on a Tuesday or Wednesday to be returned the following Monday.

Homework will usually include a spelling and maths related activity. Topic homework will also be issued at various points throughout the term.

You will find a times table sheet in your child's homework pack. We would ask that you spend some time every week revising these.

Please continue to encourage your child to read for enjoyment and use the Bloom's Bookmark to support discussion about the text.



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