

Primary 5/4 Homework Overview

- Each week your child will be assigned a homework task for Numeracy, Spelling, Reading and Listening & Talking. A class project or tasks for other curricular areas will be distributed when relevant.
- Homework will be distributed on a Friday and collected on a Thursday. This provides time over the weekend for those families and pupils with weekday commitments. Homework club will also be available for support.
- A sticker in the homework diary will inform you and your child of the tasks for that week.
- After homework tasks are completed, please sign your child's diary. Diaries are a great way to communicate so please write any queries or comments, and ask your child about their 'behaviour' leaves.

Homework Tasks

- **Spelling-** Different weekly tasks linked with learning in class. Tasks are on a 4 week rotation- please see front of homework jotter for description.
- **Reading-** Assigned pages/chapters or personal reading.
- **Numeracy-** Mixture of worksheets, websites, RM Easimaths and Big Maths Learn Its. Google Classroom (accessed through Pupil Glow Log in) will provide pupils with sound files for Big Maths Learn Its.
- **Talk Homework-** Weekly discussion.

Maths

Learners will be developing their knowledge of place value before moving on to improve our addition and subtraction skills. Pupils will work at their appropriate level.

Place value:

- Can read, write and order numbers up to either 999,999 or 9,999 in words and digits.
- Can partition, sort and order numbers up to 999,999 or 9,999.
- Can use appropriate vocabulary to describe and compare numbers.

Health and Wellbeing

At the beginning of the term, learners will be exploring their rights as children and how they link to our school values. We will use these to create our class charter together and discuss how we will treat each other with respect and kindness.

In P.E we will be working on developing our coordination and teamwork skills through indoor and outdoor activities such as handball, netball and football.

Swimming will also begin for our P5s (starting Thurs 29th August). During this time P4s will participate in PE with Mrs Mulvey.

Science

This Term Primary 5 will be learning all about animal habitats and Primary 4 will be learning about bones in the body.

ICT

In ICT, learners will be building on their existing knowledge of Glow. We will also be learning how to keep ourselves safe online.

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Miss MacLeod

August-October 2019



PE days are:

Monday (MUGA)

Thursday (Indoor and swimming)

Gym kit is required for both sessions.

Religious and Moral Education

Miss McMaster will be teaching RME every Thursday. This term pupils will focus on key figures in Christianity such as The Good Samaritan'.

Literacy

This term the pupils will be working through the spelling programme at their appropriate level. Spelling will be completed daily and children will use a range of strategies to improve their spelling ability.

Pupils will also be working on the reading programme at their own level. This will include tasks which build on reading techniques, such as: comprehension, predicting and questioning. In taught writing, we will be looking at areas for children to expand their VCOP (Vocabulary, Connectives, Openers and Punctuation).

Topic

This term we will begin our topic which will be New Lanark. Learners will be focussing on the history and environment of New Lanark but we will also be looking for opportunities to incorporate subjects from across the curriculum. Using a range of subjects in our topic will help learners gain a deeper knowledge of the well-known area.