

Maths

This term pupils will be learning about fractions. Pupils will learn to identify fractions of sets and will begin exploring equivalent fractions using visual aids. Within their tasks pupils will link their learning to real life situations. Pupils will also be learning about money during this term. They will have the experience of calculating change mentally and will use practical materials to support their learning. Pupils will learn to add notes and coins together to make amounts. The pupils will also explore measure through some practical activities this term.

Homework

- Spelling
- Literacy
- Maths
- Grammar or Topic related task

Literacy

This term the children will continue to work through their phonic and spelling programme at their appropriate level. Pupils have been working well on their spelling strategies and they will continue to use resources such as *elkonin boxes* and active spelling strategies to build on their phonic and spelling ability. The pupils will continue to work and develop their reading strategies to expand their reading skills and ability. Pupils this term will focus on inferences and summarising to build and secure their comprehension. The pupils will also work on answering comprehension questions in sentences with detail. In writing, we will be focussing on report and imaginative writing. Pupils will be able to conduct research for their report writing and will continue to build on their VCOP skills.

Health and Wellbeing

During this term our May HWB indicator is Included. The children will take part in some practical activities and will recognise the importance of working collaboratively and including all members within a team.

In Physical Education, the pupils will learn gymnastics. They will develop different skills within this such as different balances and jumps. The children will also focus on athletics which will be preparation for our upcoming Sports Week. Pupils will participate in athletic activities such as sprints, relay, standing long jump and high jump.

Primary 5/4

Mr Shanks

April - June

2019

PE days are:

Wednesday (Indoor)

Thursday (MUGA)

Gym kit is required for both sessions.

Please provide appropriate clothing for our outdoor PE MUGA sessions.

Religious and Moral Education

On Thursday Ms Raeside will be teaching the pupils about Human Rights and Caring for Others. The pupils will study the Notable Christians William Quarrier and Mother Theresa.

Topic

As part of our "Keeping Scotland Beautiful Topic" children will continue to learn and recognise their responsibilities that they have to keep their environment clean. Part of this topic will be to launch and lead the WOW (Walk Once a Week) campaign to encourage children in the school community to improve our air quality.