Literacy

Pupils will continue to work through the phonics and spelling programme relevant to their stage.

Pupils will receive 1-2 taught writing lessons per week and our focus this term is information reports, narrative writing and how to write an explanation. During grammar lessons children will develop their understanding of using verbs and nouns during taught writing lessons. We will continue to focus on handwriting and letter/numeral formation.

Pupils will continue to work through the reading programme at their level with a focus on story maps, questioning and making inferences.

All children will have the opportunity to learn and recite a Scottish poem in preparation for our Scots Night in February.

<u> ICT</u>

Pupils will have the opportunity to use the Chromebooks and iPads to develop skills taught in class.

<u>Science</u>

Pupils in Primary 2 will be investigating the movement of toys and explore the properties of sound. Primary 3 will be building on their knowledge of magnetism going onto learning about electricity.

<u>R.M.E</u>

This term our focus will be on Chinese New Year. Holi and Ramadan. Pupils will also have the opportunity to learn about the Easter Story.

French and British Sign language

Pupils will have the opportunity to learn the French vocabulary and British Sign language for the calendar and weather, classroom objects and colours. Homework - Google Classroom Homework will be issued on a Monday via Google Classroom and is due back on Friday. This will give pupils the opportunity to consolidate their daily learning. We will also be using Easimaths and Reading Eggs in our homework, which will be linked through Google Classroom. Weekly activities will include: • Spelling • Reading • Numeracy/Maths

Mrs Morton

January - March 2025

Health and Wellbeing

This term our HWB indicators are Active, Respect and Responsible. This will be explored through P.E, healthy lifestyles and personal achievements. During outdoor and indoor PE, we will be exploring central net and wall games and athletics.

Numeracy

Pupils will continue to work on numbers to 100 (P2) or 1000 (P3). We will continue to develop a better understanding of place value. Pupils will also work at the appropriate stage and pace for them whilst developing their knowledge of subtraction. We will be working on calculations within 20 (P2) and 100 (P3).

Pupils will get the opportunity this term to explore time. Children will be taught how to read times on an analogue and digital clock. We will also be learning about measure, and we will be exploring area, capacity, length and weight.

Pupils will also focus on quick recall of number facts through our Big Maths activities. Our main focus this term will be adding 2 and 3 to a single digit number (P2) and the 5 times table (P3).

PE days are:

Tuesday (indoors) Thursday (outdoors) Woodlands is on a Monday. Appropriate clothing is required for all sessions.

Topic - Easter and Spring

This term children will complete our Easter and Spring topic. Children will have the opportunity to learn about the Christian festival Easter and research how it is celebrated around the world. We will also be exploring Spring and new life. Children will learn about life cycles and what they can expect during the Spring season, moving into the summer. We will showcase our learning at our assembly on **Friday 28th March 2025**.

