

CLASSROOM NEWSLETTER

February 2025

Welcome to term 3, the children have all been very focused, getting back into their routine. It has been a busy term so far and the children have been amazing, jumping straight into their new learning and events. As always, please feel free to contact myself or Mrs Dickie with any questions you may have.

<p>PE days are Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please make sure children have their PE kits on both days, including:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Shorts, jogging bottoms or similar2. T-shirt/top3. Trainers (no platforms please) <p>*THESE CAN BE WORN UNDER CLOTHING*</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Interdisciplinary Learning</p> <p>We are undertaking a few topics this term, including 'Burns', 'My Community' and 'Heathy Schools'.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Numeracy & Mathematics</p> <p>This term we are focusing on number processes (addition and subtraction), coordinates, time and measure.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Classroom Schedule</p> <p>Monday Homework will be issued (see Google Classroom)</p> <p>Tuesday PE (indoor)</p> <p>Thursday PE (MUGA)</p> <p>Friday Infant Activities Assembly</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Literacy & English</p> <p>We will continue to apply the Monster Phonics programme which is an enhanced systematic synthetic phonics scheme.</p> <p>Comprehension will also be a focus this term via the 'Stonelaw Strategies' programme, this will develop the following skills:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Predicting• Connecting• Visualising• Self-Questioning• Determining Importance• Literal & Inferential Questions <p>Writing will continue to be a focus this term including developing handwriting skills. The writing genres to be developed this term are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Creative (story writing)• Procedure	<p style="text-align: center;">Important Dates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• February Weekend – 17th & 18th February• In-service – 19th February• Book Fair – Week beginning 24th February• Parent/Carer Consultation – 27th February• Easter/Spring Break – school will close at 2.30pm on Friday 4th April and reopen on Tuesday 22nd April• World Book Day – 6th March• STEM Day – 7th March

Kind Regards

Mrs Burns & Mrs Dickie