

Literacy & English

Writing- Narrative writing based on the book 'Hansel and Gretel' and Speech Writing linked to IDL topic.

Reading – Book talk strategies used for class novel, 'Where the River Runs Gold' and group novels. Learners will extend these strategies within group reading sessions. Guided and independent reading comprehension based around class texts. We will develop skills to analyse a text and provide extended comprehension answers, using evidence from the text.

Spelling – Progressive Spelling patterns. Spelling investigations to recap spelling rules. Common Word Practise.

Grammar- Adjectives, Modal verbs, Colons, Inverted commas, Adverbial phrases, Complex Sentences, Alliteration, Repetition, Comparatives and Superlatives. Grammar will link to writing lessons. Consistency in using correct punctuation.

Talkina and Listenina – Book Talk Discussions.



Numeracy & Maths



Numeracy

- 4 operations (+, -, x and ÷). We will focus on developing confidence in choosing the best strategy to solve a problem.
- Place Value; exploring decimal fractions and linking to fractions and percentages. Extend number line into negative numbers
- Basic Maths Facts –to develop quick recall of facts and strategies.

Maths

- Data Handling – focusing on using digital technology to organise data.
- To describe 3D objects and 2D shapes using specific vocabulary including regular, irregular, diagonal, radius, diameter and circumference.

Health & Well Being

P.E. – Hockey with Mrs Tait, PE specialist on Tuesday and Thursdays.

Mental and Emotional Wellbeing: Mondays with Mrs Finnigan. Through games, activities and learning opportunities we will be learning about how we behave when we feel certain emotions and feelings and how to show support for others.

Social Wellbeing: Beginning to learn about our rights as a child. We have been learning about our basic needs, our right to be safe and expressing ourselves. We have started looking at our whole school learning skills. This term we will be looking at co-operation skills, imagination, learning

What we are
learning in P7 in
Term 1



Interdisciplinary Learning (IDL):

Equality and Diversity

Big Question: Should we all be treated equally?

- Exploring stereotypes (Gender, race, etc.)
- Ukraine war and the current refugee crisis.
- Racial inequalities with links to current events.
- Historical Equality movements (E.g. suffragettes)
- Equality vs Equity
- Class debates.
- Speech Writing.
- Discussion of Graphic Novel 'the Arrival'.

Discrete Subjects

RME – Values and Morals.

ICT- Research Tasks and confidence when using google apps (e.g. docs, sheets, slides)

Art – Exploring a range of inspirational artists, using the elements of line, shape, colour and pattern.

Modern Languages – Developing confidence in numbers, telling people your age, days of the week and months of the year in French.

Drama – A range of activities and designed to develop movement, voice and improvisation. Often linked to writing.

Ethos & Life of the School



- School rules – 'Ready, Respectful, Safe'
- School Values – 'Be Confident, Work Hard, Be Kind'
- Meet the Teacher Evening – P7 Helpers
- Leadership roles – undertaking duties of House Captain, Sports Captains, JRSO, Eco Captains. All P7 will take on a leadership role.
- Maths Week Scotland.

Additional Information

P.E. on a Tuesday and a Thursday. Please bring a suitable PE kit to change into. Indoor footwear is also needed.



Opportunities for Personal Achievement

- Home learning activities on Google Classroom
- P7 Leadership Roles
- Sumdog
- Classroom jobs
- Learning Journals
- Sharing wider achievement on Google Classroom or Learning Journals

