



# Learning Overview

Primary: 6HS

Room: 15

Teacher/s: Mrs Harkin &amp; Mr Hamilton

## Literacy

### Writing

This term, learners will develop their writing skills by creating personal recounts, diary entries, and letters. They will focus on organising their ideas clearly, using correct punctuation, and choosing vocabulary to engage the reader. Learners will also practise editing and improving their work to make their writing more detailed and accurate.

### Reading

This term, the children will be reading 'A Greyhound of a Girl' by Roddy Doyle. The novel will be used as a modelling block to introduce and revise a range of reading skills, with a focus on skimming, scanning, predicting, and questioning to help explore the meaning of the text.

### Listening and Talking

Our taught listening and talking sessions will be linked to our class novel, providing a stimulus to practise how to find and use information for different purposes. P6 will discuss the purpose, main ideas and supporting detail contained within the text.

### How can I support my learner at home?

- Read together – Find a novel you are both interested in and spend time reading for pleasure.
- Revising spelling words (uploaded online).
- Ask your child to create a comic strip on their day to practise recounting.
- Read diary entries together or blog posts.
- Nessy

## Numeracy

This term we are focusing on place value, number and number processes, and estimation and rounding. Pupils will continue to strengthen their written strategies in the four operations and apply their skills confidently across different contexts.

## Maths

This term, learners will build confidence in telling the time on analogue and digital clocks, building confidence in their ability to work with time in different formats. They will calculate how long events last and use calendars and timetables to plan activities. Through practical tasks, they will apply their knowledge of time to real-life situations.

### How can I support my learner at home?

- Reading and writing numbers with 5 or more digits.
- Ongoing revision of times table facts
- Daily Sumdog
- Asking questions related to time and supporting your child to plan and manage their own time.

## Learning Across the Curriculum

### Interdisciplinary Learning

This term, pupils will be learning about The Victorians and exploring what life was like during this period in history. They will have the opportunity to investigate how the Victorians lived, worked, and were educated, as well as the impact of inventions and changes brought about during the era.

### Wider Learning

Our swimming sessions continue on a Wednesday morning.

Pupil Masterclasses begin Friday 5<sup>th</sup> September.

## Home-School Partnerships

If you or someone you know has a job, interest or knowledge base that may support our Victorians topic, please get in touch.

We are looking forward to meeting you at our parent consultations on Wednesday 24th September.

We would both like to thank you for your ongoing support and commitment to your child's learning.

Mrs Harkin & Mr Hamilton

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