



Learning Overview

Primary: 7AS

Room: 16

Teacher/s: Mrs Scott & Mrs Anderson

Literacy

Writing

Our focus this term will be on personal writing. We will write recounts of events that have been important to us and will also write about our thoughts and feelings, as we approach S1. In addition, we will continue with our 'short burst' writing activities, continuing to think about extending our use of interesting vocabulary and writing gripping story openers, conclusions and descriptions. We will continue to use of figures of speech such as personification and metaphors.

Reading

As our class reading for enjoyment novels this term, we will finish reading 'The Night Bus Hero' by Onjali Q. Rauf, followed by 'Divided City' by Teresa Breslin. The children will continue to read their group novels. There will be comprehension tasks and reading skills developed through these books, focusing on developing our inference skills, as well as building on our paraphrasing and summarising skills.

Listening and Talking

We will be focusing on developing a solo talk, which focuses on memories from Primary School, as well as hopes and aspirations for the future. Pupils will be encouraged to consider the impact of appropriate vocabulary and content, use appropriate tone, pace, eye contact and be aware of body language to suit the needs of an audience. We will also record a group 'podcast' on our thoughts of S1, as part of our listening and talking project with Cathkin High School.

How can I support my learner at home?

- We are encouraging reading for enjoyment as a school, so please support your child to read each day at home.
- Encourage your child to discuss their day and how they are feeling about the transitions that are coming.
- Practise spelling through the Google Classroom.
- Log on to Nessy Spelling and Reading.

Numeracy

We will look at the concept of budgeting and affordability, based on real life costings and a set budget. We will also focus on problem solving skills and using our core knowledge of multiplication, division, addition and subtraction to help solve multi- step problems. In preparation for S1, we will also revise most concepts covered throughout the year.

Maths

In maths, we will be converting units of measurement from one measure to another using our knowledge of decimals. We will then work on rounding decimals to 2 decimal places. We will look at the concept of probability and chance and describe the likelihood of events occurring as a fraction and a percentage, by carrying out trials and experiments.

How can I support my learner at home?

- Encourage your child to access Sumdog.
- Practise multiplication facts.
- Practise multiplying and dividing decimals by 10, 100 and 1000 and multiples of these
- Hit the Button

Learning Across the Curriculum

Interdisciplinary Learning

We will continue to work through the PATHS programme which focuses on resilience and activities to support P7 through their transition to High School. We will have Pupil Support Visits from Cathkin High this term as well more Destination Cathkin assemblies.

Wider Learning

We are focusing on the transition to high school this term, with assemblies from our feeder high school. In addition, we will be focusing on completing Anti - Bullying Activities in class alongside delivery of our RSHP programme.

Home-School Partnerships

If you or someone you know has a job, an interest, artefacts or a knowledge base that may support our learning across the curriculum, please get in touch.

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