Primary 5 Term Ahead: April- June 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,



We hope that you all had a lovely spring break and are ready for an exciting term. Below are details of what we will be learning as well as some useful information for the term ahead.

Literacy and English

In reading, we will be looking at both fiction and non-fiction texts.

Our non-fiction texts will be linked to our topic -Enterprise, where we will look at the vocabulary, grammar and punctuation used in recipes and instructions.

Our fiction texts will encourage our reading for pleasure, and we will discuss the author's choice of language around characters, plot and setting.

Additional time will also be given to reading for enjoyment supported by the class library and online app 'Epic'.

Literacy and English

In writing, we will be focusing on writing instructions/recipes for things to bake/ make and sell as part of our enterprise project and persuasive writing to advertise the businesses and products we create.

Grammar and punctuation we are continuing to punctuate sentences consistently accurately and developing interesting vocabulary. In addition, we will be revising and developing persuasive language and use of imperative verbs.

Spelling will concentrate on magic e with prefixes and suffixes.
a-e, i-e, o-e, u-e, ing, d/ed/ied, er/est/iest, s/es/ies, re, dis, mis, un, ex
We will also practice our common words

Numeracy and Mathematics

Throughout the year we will be using White Rose Education to support our Numeracy and Maths lessons.

In numeracy, we will be focusing on fractions and introduce decimals and percentages.

We will also be learning about:

- Mental Maths- completing weekly beat that tests
- Money: We will link this to our enterprise project and learn about budgeting, managing money and profit and loss.

Learning Across the Curriculum

We are continuing to work with and support our Primary one buddies.

Health and Well-Being we will be looking at: the affect our actions have on others, what qualities we love about ourselves and others and names of body parts (https://rshp.scot/second-level/)

Topic this term will span across 4 areas of the curriculum - Literacy, Numeracy, Technologies and Social Studies. In our enterprise topic, children will create their own businesses and products to sell to raise money for an end of term trip. They will learn how to budget to make a maximum profit. They will learn about advertising and branding. Look out for your invite to our enterprise fair!

Administration

P.E: will take place on Mondays, with Mr Murray. Please ensure children are dressed appropriately so they get the full benefit of his lessons.

Outdoor Learning will take place on Tuesdays. Please ensure children are dressed appropriately so they get the full benefit of being outdoors.

Homework: Parental involvement in children's learning is invaluable and we have provided a Home Learning Wall with a variety of activities which complement the learning in class.

We also suggest that your child is reading daily and practising their times tables. With recall of 2-12 times tables.

Any questions please do not hesitate to contact us. Kind Regards, Rachel Wyllie and Alex Freeman

Primary 5 Home Learning

Term 4

Below is a selection of activities that you can work on independently or work together as a family. You can share your work with the class if you wish.

Reading

Please encourage your child to read for pleasure and/or purpose. It doesn't always have to be a book, it could be a comic, magazine, newspaper, instructions, recipes.

Share your reading-read to friends and family!

Health and Wellbeing/Outdoor Learning

Enjoy being outside and in the sunshine! See the attached bucket list of free ideas to do this spring/summer!

Discuss our work on RHSP: What is Love? Names of Body Parts https://rshp.scot/second-level/

Expressive Art/Technology

Create your own advertisement for a product by either creating a poster or video persuading people to buy it.

Watch a TV/Online Advert and write what you think makes it effective e.g. colours, music, slogans?

With regards to sustainability week coming up, create a poster, model or digital artwork that encourages people to help the planet- use recycled materials or eco friendly messages in your design.

Social Studies

Think about the goods you have bought and the services you have used in the past week. For example, food, clothes, toys, clubs, transport or trips.

Which ones were essential? (need)
Which ones were non-essential? (want)
For example, if you got a taxi somewhere could
you have walked or taken the bus?

If you had a budget of £50 to spend next week, what would you spend it on?

Literacy and English

Can you follow a recipe of your choice to make something delicious? Highlight all punctuation, adverbials, pronouns and prepositions you can see or create your own recipe then write instructions on how to make it.

You can also write instructions for building a Lego model or creating a Minecraft house. Include what you will need list, method and pictures to show what it should look like.

Numeracy Mental Agility

Use your Sumdog login and practice the skills we have been working on in class - focus on something you are finding tricky or would really like to get better at!

https://www.sumdog.com/user/sign_in

15 minutes a week makes a big difference!

Maths Money

- Pay for an item at the shop. Can you work out the amount of change you should receive back?
- 2. Choose a few items at home, write down their prices and practice adding the total cost or giving change.



SPRING

Bucket List

COLOR WITH CHALK	GO ON A BIKE RIDE
FLY A KITE	BLOW BUBBLES OUTSIDE
VISIT THE FARMER'S MARKET	PLAY IN THE RAIN
FIND A RAINBOW	MAKE A RAINBOW CRAFT
PLANT A SEED	DYE EASTER EGGS
PAINT ROCKS	GO ON AN EASTER EGG HUNT
HAVE A PICNIC	VISIT A FARM
VISIT A LOCAL ICE CREAM SHOP	MAKE HOMEMADE LEMONADE
GO TO THE ZOO	PAINT A FLOWER POT
MAKE A BIRD FEEDER	GO HIKING AS A FAMILY
HUNT FOR BUGS	VISIT THE LIBRARY
GO ON A SCAVENGER HUNT	FLY A PAPER AIRPLANE
MAKE A NATURE COLLAGE	HAVE A TEA PARTY
VISIT A NEW PARK	MAKE A SUNCATCHER
MAKE A FAIRY GARDEN	GO FISHING

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